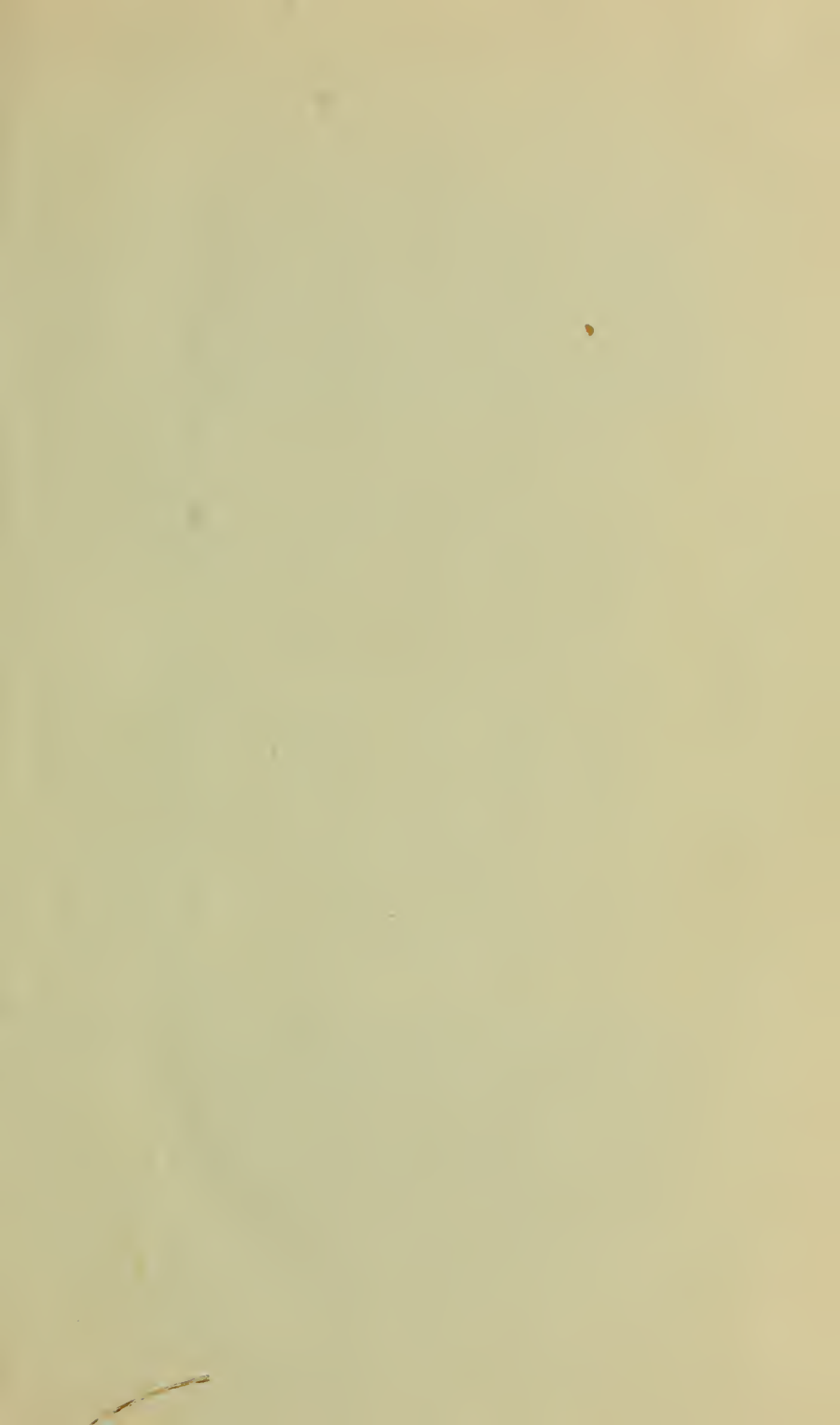


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Friday, January 1, 1875.

The hour of twelve o'clock having arrived,

The President

Called Council to order.

Select Council being introduced, and Select and Common Councils being assembled in Common Council chamber,

The President of Select Council, Mr. Downing, in the chair,

Announced that Councils had assembled in conformity with the second section of the Act of Assembly, approved February 2d, 1854, and Supplement of March 21st, 1861, which prescribes that the Mayor shall take the oath of office in the presence of Councils, to be administered by

one of the Judges of the Courts of said City, at 12 o'clock noon, on the first day of January.

Mr. J. C. Martin,

From the Joint Committee appointed to make arrangements for the inauguration, reported that the Committee had attended to the duty assigned them, and that the Hon. William S. Stokley, Mayor elect, was now present, with Hon. Joseph Allison, President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas.

Rev. Walter G. Scott read a passage of Scripture, and offered up an appropriate and impressive prayer.

Judge Allison then administered the oath of office to the Mayor elect.

After which the Mayor made the following address in presence of Councils and a large concourse of citizens :

Gentlemen of the Select and Common Councils :

FELLOW CITIZENS:—In assuming the duties of Chief Magistrate of Philadelphia, to which office your suffrages have called me for a second term, I have to thank you for the confidence you have thus expressed, and the ratification and approval therein given to my past administration. The task is one of no small magnitude, to so hold the reins of government that justice may be done to all, and all classes be satisfied. In all large communities many will be found to complain of men and measures when they themselves fail to report derelictions coming under their immediate notice, and many more who have much to offer in extenuation of any delinquent, no matter how grave his offence. I ask my fellow-citizens to co-operate with me in enforcing the laws and correcting abuses, assuring them that in any matter coming within the province of my office, in which they feel themselves aggrieved, if they will but address me, they shall receive all the attention in my power. For the future I have no specific pledges to make, save that, as heretofore, I shall endeavor to discharge the varied functions of the office to the best of my abilities, for the honor of the City and the safety and well-being of its citizens.

Under the new Constitution the powers of the municipality are much enlarged, and both its legislative and executive officers should feel that with this increase of privileges comes increase of responsibilities; and should, therefore, more carefully guard their actions, so that the advantages anticipated by the change should be fully realized by the people. The General Assembly has also empowered Councils to reorganize such departments of the City government as they may deem proper, with the full authority to modify the powers and duties of departments and officers; this privilege should be exercised with great care, and only after due deliberation; and in this connection I would suggest that as the Mayor is required to have a supervision over all the departments of the City, that he be empowered to appoint and remove the officers in the departments you deem expedient to reorganize under this authority, so that his supervision may amount to something more than an empty name with no power to enforce.

The financial condition of the City, always a matter of grave importance, is not such as could be desired. The debt, already large, is steadily increased from year to year by the pernicious system of not providing a revenue sufficient to pay the interest on the funded debt and the current expenses of the year, together with a contingent fund to meet cases when special appropriations become necessary.

The course pursued for the present year of levying a tax totally inadequate, and then cutting down appropriations to meet it, is not only reprehensible but void of economy; as for every dollar thus cut off, three will have to be added in the shape of special appropriations to carry on the departments and meet deficiencies at the end of the year.

The most careful scrutiny should be had of the expenses of the departments, and all superfluous and useless outlays should be avoided, so that the tax rate need not be materially increased, yet be made sufficiently large to yield a revenue ample for all the necessary expenditures of the corporation, without increasing the funded indebtedness, or allowing the market to be flooded with unpaid warrants, thus depreciating the credit of the City. The

estimates for necessary appropriations should first be made, and the tax rate then fixed at a sum sufficient to meet these and all contingencies for special appropriations likely to arise during the year. And while we should study to practice economy in the administration of the affairs of the City, yet the exigencies of the present time, when the business of the country is paralyzed and thousands of our citizens idle and crying for the means of supporting their families, demand that the improvements already under way should be completed, and those needed commenced, so that employment may be found for the needy and deserving, and their sufferings alleviated, thus removing the terrors of starvation from the doors of many a household.

An improvement in the mode of assessment of real estate has been effected by the passage of the necessary legislative enactments, but it will require time to develop the practical workings of the new system, and show whether it will be of material advantage to the taxpayers.

By the increase of the police force, wisely ordered by Councils during the past year, better protection can be afforded to persons and property than heretofore, for the vast extent of territory to be guarded rendered it impossible for the force as formerly constituted to guarantee the safety from violence and wrong doing which was demanded by our citizens. Great care will be exercised as hitherto, in the selection of the officers, and they will be held to a strict accountability for the faithful performance of their duties, and neglect of duty or disobedience of orders will be punished by instant dismissal.

With the completion of the new police tug boats, the river fronts of the City can be much more effectually guarded than in the past, and the shipping and wharves protected from robbery and the devastation by fire.

The constitution and legislative enactments have provided for a new system of civil magistracy, and we will shortly be called upon to elect those who are to fill these offices. We should take care that those selected possess the qualifications necessary to fit them for the office, that they may be enabled to discharge their duties in a manner to promote the ends of justice, and to aid the police

authorities in the detection and punishment of crime, and the bringing of offenders to prompt and speedy punishment.

In the present organization of the Fire Department there is great room for improvement. I would recommend that the fire apparatus be located near the several station houses, and the police be required to assist the firemen, whereby a great saving of expense to the City would be effected.

The House of Correction being now completed, and in operation as a reformatory institution, supplies a need long felt, and I do not doubt will be productive of great good, and will relieve other institutions of the press of inmates that have hitherto been sent to them improperly, but of necessity.

Our park, although of great benefit to the City, and the pride of our citizens, is too large for any practical purpose, as the outlay necessary to properly improve it would be enormous, and totally beyond our resources. We should then utilize some portion of it to place the balance in better condition. The most feasible plan appears to me to be, to sell from the borders sites for buildings of a prescribed character, the lots to be of uniform size, and each to have an iron railing of a fixed style erected at the rear, the whole, when completed, forming an enclosure for the park. This course could be pursued with marked advantage, and save an otherwise heavy tax for the maintenance and improvement of the park.

The work of preparation for the Centennial Exposition, to be held in our City, is progressing very satisfactorily, and on every side the interest appears to be increasing and its success to become more assured. On the grounds set apart for the exhibition all is bustle and activity, and the work on the buildings is well under way. The formal breaking of ground took place on the 4th day of last July, and actual work commenced on the 8th, and the first stone was laid on the 28th of the same month. The amount of progress made since then is surprising; all the grading, involving the moving of 97,000 cubic yards of earth, has been finished; the entire base of the memorial hall is levelled up to the first floor, including all the

granite work, and the iron beams for the floor in place, and on the front the granite work is up to a height of twelve feet above the floor. The brick work of the inner walls is up ready to receive the iron girders for the dome, and the rear walls for the roof girders, a height of some forty feet; the piers for the main or temporary building are about completed. To give some idea of the magnitude of the work already accomplished, about 450 men have been continuously employed, and there has entered into the construction of the edifice 3,490,000 brick, 14,543 perches of stone, and 624,206 pounds of iron; and there has been received from the granite quarries scattered from Maine to Virginia, and in which 1,100 more men are employed, 27,768 cubic feet of granite, two-thirds of which is in position. The iron work for the temporary building is nearly completed, and its delivery on the ground will be commenced early in the present month; materials of all kinds are being received and stored in large quantities, to be ready for active operations as the season advances.

A foundry is being built for casting the statuary, some of which will be of very large size. There is no doubt from the manner in which the work is progressing, that the contractor for the buildings will perform his obligations, and have them ready for occupancy at the appointed time. It therefore behooves us to perform our part as well, and use our best endeavors to contribute to the success of the undertaking, and make the Centennial Exposition a triumphant and fitting celebration of the Anniversary of American Independence.

In conclusion, we should all strive earnestly to further the interests of the City, and see that her rights are carefully guarded; that by wise legislation and judicious execution of the laws good order may prevail within her limits, and prosperity and happiness be the portion of her citizens. Let us look to the Great Ruler of the Universe for His assistance and blessing, and so order our actions that at the close of our official terms, we may have the commendation and approval of our fellow-citizens, and feel that we are entitled to receive from them the verdict—"Well done, good and faithful servant."

1875.]

The inauguration of the Mayor having been completed,
Select Council retired.

Mr. J. C. Martin

Moved to adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

Monday, January 4, 1875.

The members of Common Council whose terms of office had not expired, and the members elect, met this day, at 10 o'clock A. M., in Common Council chamber, agreeably to an act of Assembly entitled "An act to incorporate the City of Philadelphia," and the supplements thereto, for the purpose of organization.

The President, A. W. Henszey, Esq., called Council to order.

The roll of members holding over from last year was called, and the following members answered to their names:

Messrs. Ashton,
Bardsley,
Bonsall,
Clouds,
Collins,
Davis,
Garwood,
Gibson,
Gilbert, J. C.
Glenn,
Hall, G. E.
Hanby,
Jamison,
Kennedy,

Messrs. Klauder,
Lyster,
Martin, J. C.
McGuckin,
McMorris,
Mouat,
Rittenhouse,
Salter,
Siner,
Vories,
Weir,
Williamson,
Wright,
Henszey, *Pres't.*

The members elect were requested to present their certificates, whereupon, the following certificates were presented and read, to wit:

City and County of Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, *February 27, 1874.*

Mr. AMOS M. SLACK,

SIR:—At an Election held February 17th, 1874, you were duly elected to the office of Common Council of the First Ward.

[SEAL.]

JAMES PENN MACCAIN,
Pro Prothonotary.

City and County of Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, *February 28, 1874.*

Mr. JOSEPH H. TATEM,

SIR:—At an Election held February 17th, 1874, you were duly elected to the office of Common Council of the Second Ward.

[SEAL.]

JAMES PENN MACCAIN,
Pro Prothonotary.

City and County of Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, *February 28, 1874.*

Mr. JOSEPH MARTIN,

SIR:—At an Election held February 17th, 1874, you were duly elected to the office of Common Council of the Second Ward.

[SEAL.]

JAMES PENN MACCAIN,
Pro Prothonotary.

City and County of Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, *February 28, 1874.*

Mr. EDWARD C. QUIN,

SIR:—At an Election held February 17th, 1874, you were duly elected to the office of Common Council of the Third Ward.

[SEAL.]

JAMES PENN MACCAIN,
Pro Prothonotary.

City and County of Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, *February 28, 1874.*

Mr. OWEN F. KANEY,

SIR:—At an Election held February 17th, 1874, you were duly elected to the office of Common Council of the Third Ward.

[SEAL.]

JAMES PENN MACCAIN,
Pro Prothonotary.

City and County of Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, *February 28, 1874.*

Mr. WILLIAM McMULLIN,

SIR:—At an Election held February 17th, 1874, you were duly elected to the office of Common Council of the Fourth Ward.

[SEAL.]

JAMES PENN MACCAIN,
Pro Prothonotary.

City and County of Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, *February 28, 1874.*

Mr. JOHN J. GEGAN,

SIR:—At an Election held February 17th, 1874, you were duly elected to the office of Common Council of the Fourth Ward.

[SEAL.]

JAMES PENN MACCAIN,
Pro Prothonotary.

City and County of Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, *February 28, 1874.*

Mr. GEORGE WHITE,

SIR:—At an Election held February 17th, 1874, you were duly elected to the office of Common Council of the Fifth Ward.

[SEAL.]

JAMES PENN MACCAIN,
Pro Prothonotary.

City and County of Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, *February 28, 1874.*

Mr. JOHN KENNEDY,

SIR:—At an Election held February 17th, 1874, you were duly elected to the office of Common Council of the Sixth Ward.

[SEAL.]

JAMES PENN MACCAIN,
Pro Prothonotary.

City and County of Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, *February 28, 1874.*

Mr. ALEXANDER RUSSELL,

SIR:—At an Election held February 17th, 1874, you were duly elected to the office of Common Council of the Seventh Ward.

[SEAL.]

JAMES PENN MACCAIN,
Pro Prothonotary.

City and County of Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, *February 28, 1874.*

Mr. WILLIAM DIVINE,

SIR:—As an Election held February 17th, 1874, you were duly elected to the office of Common Council of the Seventh Ward.

[SEAL.]

JAMES PENN MACCAIN,
Pro Prothonotary.

City and County of Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, *February 28, 1874.*

Mr. GEO. A. SCHAFER,

SIR:—At an Election held February 17th, 1874, you were duly elected to the office of Common Council of the Eighth Ward.

[SEAL.]

JAMES PENN MACCAIN,
Pro Prothonotary.

*City and County of Philadelphia.*PHILADELPHIA, *February 28, 1874.*

Mr. E. B. McDOWELL,

SIR:—At an Election held February 17th, 1874, you were duly elected to the office of Common Council of the Ninth Ward.

[SEAL.]

JAMES PENN MACCAIN,
Pro Prothonotary.

*City and County of Philadelphia.*PHILADELPHIA, *February 28, 1874.*

Mr. H. B. LIPPINCOTT,

SIR:—At an Election held February 17th, 1874, you were duly elected to the office of Common Council of the Tenth Ward.

[SEAL.]

JAMES PENN MACCAIN,
Pro Prothonotary.

*City and County of Philadelphia.*PHILADELPHIA, *February 28, 1874.*

Mr. ALBERT H. LADNER,

SIR:—At an Election held February 17th, 1874, you were duly elected to the office of Common Council of the Twelfth Ward.

[SEAL.]

JAMES PENN MACCAIN,
Pro Prothonotary.

*City and County of Philadelphia.*PHILADELPHIA, *February 28, 1874.*

Mr. HENRY BUDD,

SIR:—At an Election held February 17th, 1874, you were duly elected to the office of Common Council of the Thirteenth Ward.

[SEAL.]

JAMES PENN MACCAIN,
Pro Prothonotary.

City and County of Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, *February 28, 1874.*

Mr. JAMES SUBERS,

SIR:—At an Election held February 17th, 1874, you were duly elected to the office of Common Council of the Fourteenth Ward.

[SEAL.]

JAMES PENN MACCAIN,
Pro Prothonotary.

City and County of Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, *February 28, 1874.*

Mr. SAMUEL C. COLLINS,

SIR:—At an Election held February 17th, 1874, you were duly elected to the office of Common Council of the Fifteenth Ward.

[SEAL.]

JAMES PENN MACCAIN,
Pro Prothonotary.

City and County of Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, *February 28, 1874.*

Mr. JOSEPH L. CAVEN,

SIR:—At an Election held February 17th, 1874, you were duly elected to the office of Common Council of the Fifteenth Ward.

[SEAL.]

JAMES PENN MACCAIN,
Pro Prothonotary.

City and County of Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, *February 28, 1874.*

Mr. E. HICKS HAYHURST,

SIR:—At an Election held February 17th, 1874, you were duly elected to the office of Common Council of the Sixteenth Ward.

[SEAL.]

JAMES PENN MACCAIN,
Pro Prothonotary.

City and County of Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, *February 24, 1874.*

Mr. JAMES W. ALLEN,

SIR:—At an Election held February 17th, 1874, you were duly elected to the office of Common Council of the Seventeenth Ward.

[SEAL.]

JAMES PENN MACCAIN,
Pro Prothonotary.

City and County of Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, *February 17, 1874.*

Mr. FERDINAND DOEBLEY,

SIR:—At an Election held February 17th, 1874, you were duly elected to the office of Common Council of the Eighteenth Ward.

[SEAL.]

JAMES PENN MACCAIN,
Pro Prothonotary.

City and County of Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, *February 28, 1874.*

Mr. WILLIAM JUDGE,

SIR:—At an Election held February 17th, 1874, you were duly elected to the office of Common Council of the Nineteenth Ward.

[SEAL.]

JAMES PENN MACCAIN,
Pro Prothonotary.

City and County of Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, *February 28, 1874.*

Mr. ADAM MYERS, JR.,

SIR:—At an Election held February 17th, 1874, you were duly elected to the office of Common Council of the Nineteenth Ward.

[SEAL.]

JAMES PENN MACCAIN,
Pro Prothonotary.

City and County of Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, *February 28, 1874.*

Mr. DANIEL CURRIE,

SIR:—At an Election held February 17th, 1874, you were duly elected to the office of Common Council of the Nineteenth Ward.

JAMES PENN MACCAIN,
Pro Prothonotary.

[SEAL]

City and County of Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, *February 28, 1874.*

Mr. SAMUEL A. MILLER,

SIR:—At an Election held February 17th, 1874, you were duly elected to the office of Common Council of the Nineteenth Ward.

JAMES PENN MACCAIN,
Pro Prothonotary.

[SEAL.]

City and County of Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, *February 28, 1874.*

Mr. GEORGE WIDENER,

SIR:—At an Election held February 17th, 1874, you were duly elected to the office of Common Council of the Twentieth Ward.

JAMES PENN MACCAIN,
Pro Prothonotary.

[SEAL.]

City and County of Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, *February 28, 1874.*

Mr. GEORGE DORLAN,

SIR:—At an Election held February 17th, 1874, you were duly elected to the office of Common Council of the Twentieth Ward.

JAMES PENN MACCAIN,
Pro Prothonotary.

[SEAL.]

City and County of Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, *February 28, 1874.*

MR. ROBERT LAUGHLIN,

SIR:—At an Election held February 17th, 1874, you were duly elected to the office of Common Council of the Twentieth Ward.

[SEAL.]

JAMES PENN MACCAIN,
Pro Prothonotary.

City and County of Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, *February 28, 1874.*

MR. H. N. UHLER,

SIR:—At an Election held February 17th, 1874, you were duly elected to the office of Common Council of the Twenty-first Ward.

[SEAL.]

JAMES PENN MACCAIN,
Pro Prothonotary.

City and County of Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, *February 28, 1874.*

MR. JOHN D. CALDWELL,

SIR:—At an Election held February 17th, 1874, you were duly elected to the office of Common Council of the Twenty-second Ward.

[SEAL.]

JAMES PENN MACCAIN,
Pro Prothonotary.

City and County of Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, *February 28, 1874.*

MR. JOSEPH CARTLEDGE,

SIR:—At an Election held February 17th, 1874, you were duly elected to the office of Common Council of the Twenty-third Ward.

[SEAL.]

JAMES PENN MACCAIN,
Pro Prothonotary.

City and County of Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, *February 24, 1874.*

Mr. NICHOLAS A. SUTTON,

SIR:—At an Election held February 17th, 1874, you were duly elected to the office of Common Council of the Twenty-fifth Ward.

[SEAL.]

JAMES PENN MACCAIN,
Pro Prothonotary.

City and County of Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, *February 24, 1874.*

Mr. WM. THORNTON,

SIR:—At an Election held February 17th, 1874, you were duly elected to the office of Common Council of the Twenty-sixth Ward.

[SEAL.]

JAMES PENN MACCAIN,
Pro Prothonotary.

City and County of Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, *February 28, 1874.*

Mr. WILLIAM JAMES,

SIR:—At an Election held February 17th, 1874, you were duly elected to the office of Common Council of the Twenty-sixth Ward.

[SEAL.]

JAMES PENN MACCAIN,
Pro Prothonotary.

City and County of Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, *February 28, 1874.*

Mr. PHILIP H. KLOHSE,

SIR:—At an Election held February 17th, 1874, you were duly elected to the office of Common Council of the Twenty-sixth Ward.

[SEAL.]

JAMES PENN MACCAIN,
Pro Prothonotary.

City and County of Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, *February 28, 1874.*

Mr. W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,

SIR:—At an Election held February 17th, 1874, you were duly elected to the office of Common Council of the Twenty-seventh Ward.

[SEAL.]

JAMES PENN MACCAIN,
Pro Prothonotary.

City and County of Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, *February 28, 1874.*

Mr. ROBERT H. COOPER,

SIR:—At an Election held February 17th, 1874, you were duly elected to the office of Common Council of the Twenty-eighth Ward.

[SEAL.]

JAMES PENN MACCAIN,
Pro Prothonotary.

City and County of Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, *February 28, 1874.*

Mr. B. FRANK BONHAM,

SIR:—At an Election held February 17th, 1874, you were duly elected to the office of Common Council of the Twenty-ninth Ward.

[SEAL.]

JAMES PENN MACCAIN,
Pro Prothonotary.

The Clerk called the roll, when the following members answered to their names :

Messrs. Allen,	Messrs. Klohse,
Bonham,	Ladner,
Bonsall,	Laughlin,
Budd,	Lippincott,
Caldwell,	Lyster,
Cartledge,	Martin, J.
Caven,	Martin, J. C.
Clouds,	McDowell,
Collins, S. C.	McGuckin,
Collins, W. B.	McMorris,
Cooper,	McMullin,
Currie,	Miller,
Davis,	Mouat,
Divine,	Myers,
Doebley,	Quin,
Dorlan,	Rittenhouse,
Garwood,	Rowan,
Gegan,	Russell,
Gibson,	Salter,
Gilbert, J. C.	Schafer,
Glenn,	Siner,
Henszey,	Slack,
Hall,	Subers,
Hanby,	Sutton,
Hayhurst,	Tatem,
James,	Thornton,
Jamison,	Uhler,
Judge,	Vories,
Kennedy, J.	White,
Kennedy, J. H.	Widener,
Klauder,	Wright,
	Williamson,

The President

Retired from the chair, and called Mr. Clouds to the same.

Mr. J. C. Martin

Moved that Council proceed to nominate and elect a President.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. J. C. Martin

Nominated A. W. Henszey.

There being no other nominations,

Mr. Ladner

Moved that A. W. Henszey be elected by acclamation President of Common Council.

Which was unanimously agreed to.

And A. W. Henszey was declared unanimously elected President of Common Council, and was conducted to the chair by Mr. Ladner, who administered the oath of office to him.

The members elect who had presented their certificates, appeared before the Clerk's desk, and were sworn or affirmed according to law.

Mr. J. C. Martin

Moved that Council proceed to the nomination and election of a Clerk and Assistant Clerk.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Clouds

Nominated John Eckstein for Clerk,

Mr. Rowan

Nominated Hugh A. Mullen for Assistant Clerk.

There being no other nominations,

Mr. Doebley

Moved that John Eckstein be elected by acclamation Clerk, and Hugh A. Mullen, Assistant Clerk.

Which was unanimously agreed to.

And John Eckstein and Hugh A. Mullen appeared before the Clerk's desk, and were duly qualified to perform the duties of their respective offices.

Mr. J. C. Martin

Moved to proceed to the nomination and election of two Messengers.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. J. C. Martin

Nominated Gavin Neilson and Geo. W. Johnson.

There being no other nominations,

Mr. Ladner

Moved that Gavin Neilson and Geo. W. Johnson be elected by acclamation.

Which was unanimously agreed to.

And Gavin Neilson and Geo. W. Johnson were declared unanimously elected Messengers.

Messrs. Gavin Neilson and Geo. W. Johnson appeared before the Clerk's desk, and were duly qualified to perform the duties of their offices.

The President

Appointed Wm. H. Felton, Page, and Geo. W. Miller, Doorkeeper.

The President

Then introduced Rev. W. Q. Scott, who read a passage of Scripture and made an appropriate prayer.

President Henszey

Returned his thanks in a few appropriate remarks for the honor conferred upon him.

Mr. Ladner

Offered the following, to wit:

RESOLUTION

Of thanks to the Rev. Walter Q. Scott.

Resolved by the Common Council of the City of Philadelphia, That the thanks of this Chamber are due and are hereby tendered to the Rev. Walter Q. Scott, for his kindness in opening with appropriate religious ceremonies the session of Common Council, this fourth day of January, A. D. 1875.

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Rowan

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution relative to seats of Edward McDowell and John D. Caldwell." (*Appendix No. 1.*)

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The President

Appointed the following Committee, Messrs. Rowan, Doebley, J. C. Martin, McMullin, and Budd.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had passed a resolution entitled "Resolution relative to the unfinished business of the late Councils," in which they asked concurrence.

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Mr. Miller

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to continue the Joint Special Committees, and to continue all unfinished business." (*Appendix No. 2.*)

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Lyster

Offered the following, to wit:

RESOLUTION

Relative to the late rules of Common Council.

Resolved, That the rules and regulations of the late Common Council be adopted by this Council.

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. J. C. Martin

Offered the following, to wit:

RESOLUTION

To appoint a Committee of two to inform Select Council that Common Council was organized and ready for business.

Resolved, That a Committee of two be appointed to inform Select Council that Common Council is organized and ready to proceed to business.

The resolution was twice read and agreed to

The title was agreed to.

The President

Appointed Messrs. J. C. Martin and Quin, the Committee, who subsequently reported Select Council was organized and would communicate with Common Council shortly.

Mr. Clouds

Offered the following, to wit:

RESOLUTION

To appoint a Joint Committee to wait on the Mayor.

Resolved, That a Joint Committee of three be appointed to wait on the Mayor, and inform him that these Councils are now organized and ready to receive any communication he may have to make.

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The President

Appointed Messrs. Clouds, Davis, and Ladner, as the Committee.

Mr. G. E. Hall

Moved that the members proceed to draw seats.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Glenn

Moved that J. C. Martin and Mr. Clouds have leave to retain their seats.

Which was agreed to.

The Clerk

Thereupon drew slips of paper containing the names of the members, which were handed to the President, and as he announced their names, they selected their seats.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had passed a resolution entitled "Resolution to appoint a Joint Committee to wait on the Mayor, and inform him that Councils are now organized and ready to receive any communication he may have to make," and had appointed

Messrs. Shoemaker, Albright, and Bickel, on the part of Select Council.

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to:

So Common Council concurred.

The President

Appointed Messrs. Clouds, Davis, and Ladner, the Committee on the part of Common Council.

Also,

That they had passed a resolution entitled "Resolution to continue the Joint Special Committee on the Navigation of the Delaware and Schuylkill rivers."

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Messrs. Jones and Kamerly, a Committee from Select Council, were introduced, and stated that Select Council was organized and ready for business, with the following officers:

ROBERT W. DOWNING.....*President.*

JOSEPH H. PAIST.....*Clerk.*

ROBERT BETHELL.....*Assistant Clerk.*

MORTIMER L. JOHNSON.....*Messenger.*

Mr. Miller

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to appoint a Joint Standing Committee on Health and Street Cleaning."

Which was referred to the Joint Special Committee on Board of Health award of contracts.

Mr. Glenn

Moved that Council take a recess of fifteen minutes.

Which was agreed to.

After the expiration of fifteen minutes the President called the Chamber to order.

Mr. Clouds,

On behalf of the Committee appointed to wait on his Honor the Mayor, reported that they had attended to the duty assigned them, and that the Mayor had no communication to make, but would do so at some future period.

Mr. Laughlin

Moved that Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

And Council adjourned.

Thursday, January 7, 1875.

Council met—Members present:

Messrs. Allen,
Ashton,
Bardsley,
Bonham,
Bonsall,
Budd,
Cartledge,
Caven,
Clouds,
Collins, S. C.
Collins, W. B.
Cooper,
Currie,
Davis,
Divine,
Doebly,
Dorlan,
Garwood,
Gegan,
Gibson,
Glenn,
Hall,
Hanby,
Hayhurst,
James,
Jamison,
Judge,
Kaney,
Kennedy, J.
Kennedy, J. H.

Messrs. Klauder,
Klohse,
Ladner,
Lippincott,
Lyster,
Martin, J.
Martin, J. C.
McGuckin,
McMorris,
McMullin,
Mouat,
Myers,
Quin,
Rittenhouse,
Rowan,
Russell,
Salter,
Schafer,
Siner,
Slack,
Sutton,
Tatem,
Thornton,
Uhler,
Vories,
Weir,
White,
Widener,
Williamson,
Wright,

Henszey, *Pres't.*

Mr. J. C. Martin (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to meet in Joint Convention." (*Appendix No. 3.*)

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Hall

Presented a communication from the Chief Engineer of the Water Department in regard to the fitting up of Spring Garden Hall for occupation by the Water Department. (*Appendix No. 4.*)

Which was referred to the Committee on Water, when appointed.

Mr. Gibson (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to organize and establish a Department of Street Cleaning."

Which was referred to the Special Committee to investigate the Street Cleaning contract awards of the Board of Health.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to reorganize the Department of the Board of Health."

Which was referred to the Special Committee to investigate the Street Cleaning contract awards of the Board of Health.

Also,

Presented a communication from George A. Shisler, a street cleaning contractor, relative to the right of the Board of Health to reject sureties offered by him.

Which was referred to the Special Committee to investigate the Street Cleaning contract awards of the Board of Health.

Mr. Kaney (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Trustees of the City Ice Boats."

Which was referred to the Special Committee on the Navigation of the Delaware and Schuylkill Rivers.

Mr. Gibson (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the City Controller."

Which was referred to the Special Committee to investigate the Street Cleaning contract awards of the Board of Health.

Mr. Caven

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property for a sewer on Fairmount avenue, between West street and Corinthian avenue.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys, when appointed.

Mr. Doebley (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Special Committee on the seats of Edward McDowell and John D. Caldwell." (*Appendix No. 5.*)

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to amend an Ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Board of Health for the expenses of the year 1875.'"

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance, when appointed.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to regulate the running of steam cars in the built up portions of the City of Philadelphia."

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads, when appointed.

Mr. Siner (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Board of Fire Commissioners."

Which was referred to the Committee on Fire Department, when appointed.

Mr. Currie

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property of the Nineteenth Ward for water pipe on Marshall street, from Huntingdon street to Lehigh avenue, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works, when appointed.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Nineteenth Ward for the grading and paving of Marshall street, from Huntingdon street to Lehigh avenue, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways when appointed.

Mr. Hall (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to grade intersection of Elm and Sewer streets, Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways, when appointed.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to pave intersection of Elm and Sewer streets, Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways when appointed.

Mr. W. B. Collins (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance fixing the term of office of the Chief Engineer of the Water Department and the Commissioner of City Property."

Which was referred to the Joint Committees of Water and City Property, when appointed.

Mr. Hall (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to erect public lamps in the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works, when appointed.

Mr. Dorlan (on leave)

Presented a petition and resolution of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-fifth Ward for the grading and paving of Frankford avenue, from Alleghany avenue to the bridge in Frankford.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways, when appointed.

Also,

Presented a communication from Edward Thompson offering to sell a lot of ground on Thirteenth street, above Columbia avenue, for fire purposes, in the Twentieth Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Fire Department, when appointed.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gas lamp at the southeast corner of Twelfth street and Girard avenue, in the Twentieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works, when appointed.

Mr. Bardsley

Presented the official bond of C. H. T. Collis, City Solicitor, dated January 1st, 1875, for \$10,000.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance, when appointed.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance declaratory of the effect of an Ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to create a loan for the further extension of the Philadelphia Gas Works,'" approved the 16th day of November, A. D. 1874, and to amend the same.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance, when appointed.

The President

Announced the following Standing Committees for the year 1875:

Finance.—Messrs. Bardsley, (Ch.,) Rowan, Subers, Caven, Divine, W. B. Collins, Laughlin, Lippincott, Salter, Ashton, Allen and Budd.

Centennial.—Messrs. Salter, S. C. Collins, Schafer, Klauder, W. B. Collins, Lippincott, White, Caven, Lyster, Thornton, Clouds and J. Kennedy.

Highways.—Messrs. Rowan, (Ch.,) Bardsley, Currie, Slack, Miller, Doebley, Dorlan, Klohse, Bonsall, D. W. Gilbert, Quin and McMullin.

Water.—Messrs. Wright, Glenn, Klauder, Clouds, Rowan,

Hall, Dorlan, J. C. Gilbert, Allen, Myers, Tatem and Kennedy.

Surveys.—Messrs. Thornton, (Ch.,) J. J. Martin, Tatem, Bonham, Rittenhouse, James, S. C. Collins, Uhler, Siner, Hall, Cooper and Quin.

City Property.—Messrs. J. C. Martin, Slack, Ashton, Davis, James, Currie, Williamson, Bonham, Myers, Russell, Hayhurst and McMullin.

Police.—Messrs. Glenn, (Ch.,) J. C. Martin, Davis, Laughlin, Russell, Williamson, Jamison, Mouat, Sutton, Hayhurst, Weir and Gegan.

Schools.—Messrs. Miller, Cooper, Lippincott, Kennedy, Weir, Schafer, Jamison, McMorris, Judge, Widener, Caven and Budd.

House of Correction.—Messrs. Widener, (Ch.,) Davis, Cartledge, Kennedy, White, Miller, Vories, Lyster, Klohse, Judge, D. W. Gilbert and Gibson.

Railroads.—Messrs. Clouds, J. J. Martin, Bardsley, Jamison, Mouat, Glenn, Subers, Currie, Ashton, S. C. Collins; Doebley and McDowell.

Fire.—Messrs. Dorlan, (Ch.,) Wright, Slack, Mouat, Siner, Hayhurst, Garwood, Glenn, J. Martin, Bonsall, Rittenhouse and Ladner.

Law.—Messrs. W. B. Collins, Hanby, Allen, Doebley, Klauder, J. C. Gilbert, Lyster, Divine, Subers, Caldwell, Gibson and Quin.

Election Divisions.—Messrs. Slack, (Ch.,) White, Williamson, Klohse, Hayhurst, Myers, Caldwell, Cartledge, Hanby, Tatem, McGuckin and McDowell.

To Verify Cash Accounts of City Treasurer.—Messrs. Bardsley, Laughlin, Lippincott, Garwood, S. A. Miller, Uhler, Thornton, McMorris, Bonham, J. Martin, McDowell and McGuckin.

Prisons.—Messrs. Doebley, (Ch.,) James, Schafer, Rittenhouse, J. C. Gilbert, Klohse, Cartledge, Garwood, J. Martin, Siner, Tatem and Ladner.

Boiler Inspection.—Messrs. McMorris, Judge, J. J. Martin, Hanby, Wright, Ashton, Currie, Laughlin, Gegan, Kaney, Gibson and McGuckin.

Gas.—Messrs. Hall, (Ch.,) Russell, White, Garwood, Thornton, Cooper, Kennedy, Sutton, Uhler, Siner, Cartledge and Ladner.

Compare Bills.—Messrs. J. C. Martin, (Ch.,) D. W. Gilbert, James, Klauder, Salter, Vories, Weir, Williamson, Kaney, Hanby, Gibson and Kennedy.

Printing and Supplies.—Messrs. Uhler, J. C. Martin, D. W. Gilbert, Caldwell, Jamison, Judge, Myers, Vories, Wright, McGuckin, Ladner and McMullin.

Police and Fire-Alarm Telegraph.—Messrs. Divine, Hall, Mouat, Bonsall, Sutton, Vories, Weir, J. Martin, McMorris, Rittenhouse, Gegan and Kaney.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE.

Navigation Delaware and Schuylkill Rivers.—Messrs. J. H. Kennedy, Lyster, Salter, McDowell, Budd and Kaney.

Mr. Quin (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution directing the Commissioner of Markets and City Property to have the snow and ice removed from the footways in front of the public squares." (*Appendix No. 6.*)

Mr. Clouds

Moved to refer the resolution to the Committee on City Property.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Rowan, seconded by Mr. Jamison, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Bardsley, Bonham, Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, J. H. Kennedy, Klohse, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, McMorris,

McMullin, Myers, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Russell, Slack, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—37.

NAYS—Messrs. Ashton, Bonsall, Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Gibson, Hanby, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Ladner, Lippincott, Mouat, Quin, and Widener—14.

Which was agreed to.

The President

Presented a message from his Honor the Mayor, transmitting a communication signed by a Committee on behalf of the College of Physicians of Philadelphia, in opposition to the locating of a drove-yard and abattoir on the west side of the Schuylkill, north of Market street. (*Appendix No. 7.*)

Mr. J. C. Martin

Moved that the further reading of the message and communication be dispensed with, and that it be printed in the Appendix.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to refer the communication to the Committee on Railroads, when appointed.

Which was agreed to.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had appointed, on the part of Select Council, the following Joint Standing Committees for the year 1875 :

Finance.—Messrs. Smith, Hodgdon, Shoemaker, Burnell, Gates, Bradly, Hill, Miskey, Wilson, Cochran, King and Marcus.

Centennial.—Messrs. Shoemaker, (Ch.,) Park, Spering, McDowell, Bumm, Gates, Shallcross, Smith, Marcus, Cochran, Bickel and King.

Highways.—Messrs. Jones, Park, Hodgdon, Eno, McDowell, Hill, Albright, Miskey, Glass, Fox, Marcus and Monroe.

Water.—Messrs. Shallcross, (Ch.,) Hodgdon, McAdam, Burnell, Bumm, Miskey, Jones, Clifford, Bradly, Fox, Kamerly and Bickel.

Surveys.—Messrs. Gates, Park, Burnell, Glass, Fox, Smith, Eno, McAdam, Clifford, Cochran, Bickel and Kamerly.

City Property.—Messrs. Park, (Ch.,) Hodgdon, Spering, Eno, McDowell, Bumm, Albright, Jones, Glass, Miskey, Cochran and King.

Police.—Messrs. Albright, Park, Eno, Jones, Bradly, Wilson, Smith, Glass, Spering, Monroe and Kamerly.

Schools.—Messrs. Smith, (Ch.,) Burnell, McDowell, Hill, Bumm, McAdam, Gates, Shallcross, Fox, Kamerly, Monroe and King.

House of Correction.—Messrs. Glass, Smith, Fox, Shoemaker, Shallcross, Eno, Albright, McAdam, Clifford, King, Kamerly and Bickel.

Railroads.—Messrs. Burnell, (Ch.,) Park, Shoemaker, Hill, Bumm, Jones, Shallcross, Wilson, Spering, Cochran and Kamerly.

Fire Department.—Messrs. Spering, Burnell, Smith, Albright, Bradly, McDowell, Bumm, Clifford, Marcus, Bickel and Monroe.

Law.—Messrs. Cochran, (Ch.,) Shoemaker, Hodgdon, Gates, Smith, Shallcross, McAdam, Jones, Bradly, Hill, Marcus and King.

Election Divisions.—Messrs. Hill, Park, Eno, Spering, McAdam, Shoemaker, Albright, Gates, Wilson, Fox, Bickel and Monroe.

Cash Accounts City Treasurer.—Messrs. Miskey, (Ch.,) Park, Hodgdon, McDowell, Wilson, Gates, Clifford, Bradly, Fox, Bickel, King and Monroe.

Prisons.—Messrs. Hodgdon, McDowell, Hill, Bumm, Albright, Gates, Clifford, Smith, Cochran, Bickel and Monroe.

Boiler Inspection.—Messrs. Eno, (Ch.,) Hill, Fox, Wilson, Clifford, Glass, Shallcross, Jones, Albright, McDowell, King and Monroe.

Gas Works.—Messrs. Bradly, Wilson, Glass, Jones, Albright, Bumm, Burnell, Shoemaker, McAdam, Sperring, Kamerly and Marcus.

Compare Bills.—Messrs. Eno, McAdam, Shoemaker, Hill, Bumm, Miskey, Gates, Bradly, Monroe, Marcus and Bickel.

Printing and Supplies.—Messrs. McAdam, (Ch.,) Park, Sperring, Eno, Burnell, McDowell, Miskey, Glass, Clifford, Kamerly and Cochran.

Police and Fire-Alarm Telegraph.—Messrs. Jones, (Ch.,) Hodgdon, Sperring, Shoemaker, Miskey, Shallcross, Glass, Bradly, Wilson, Marcus and Fox.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE.

Navigation of Delaware and Schuylkill Rivers.—Messrs. McAdam, (Ch.,) Burnell, Cochran, Eno and Sperring.

The President

Presented a communication from L. Romanoff Mestaniz, inviting Councils to inspect a very accurate miniature representation of Fairmount Park.

Mr. W. B. Collins

Moved that the invitation be accepted.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Caven

Moved that Council take a recess of ten minutes.

Which was agreed to.

The President,

After the expiration of ten minutes, called Council to order.

JOINT CONVENTION.

Select Council being introduced, and Councils being assembled in Joint Convention,

Mr. Downing, President of Select Council, in the chair,

Announced the object of the Joint Convention to be the election of a Superintendent of the Department of Police and Fire-Alarm Telegraph.

And announced the nominations for the same were in order.

Mr. J. C. Martin

Nominated Wm. J. Philips.

There being no other nominations,

Mr. W. B. Collins

Moved that Wm. J. Philips be elected Superintendent of the Department of Police and Fire-Alarm Telegraph by acclamation.

Which was unanimously agreed to.

And Wm. J. Philips was declared unanimously elected Superintendent of the Department of Police and Fire-Alarm Telegraph for the ensuing term.

The purpose for which the Convention had assembled having been accomplished, Select Council retired.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had passed a resolution entitled "Resolution of instruction to

the heads of the various departments of the City of Philadelphia," in which they asked concurrence.

The bill was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also,

That they had passed a resolution entitled "Resolution protesting against the passage of the Police Magistrate Act by the General Assembly of this Commonwealth," in which they asked concurrence.

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Mr. J. C. Martin

Moved that Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

And Council adjourned.

Thursday, January 14, 1875.

Council met—Members present:

Messrs. Allen,
Ashton,
Bardsley,
Bonham,
Bonsall,
Budd,
Cartledge,
Caven,
Clouds,
Collins, S. C.
Collins, W. B.
Currie,
Davis,
Divine,
Doebley,
Dorlan,
Garwood,
Gegan,
Gibson,
Gilbert, D. W.
Gilbert, J. C.
Glenn,
Hall,
Hayhurst,
James,
Jamison,
Judge,
Kaney,
Kennedy, J.
Klauder,
Klohse,

Messrs. Ladner,
Lippincott,
Lyster,
Martin, J.
Martin, J. C.
Martin, J. J.
McGuckin,
McMorris,
McMullin,
Miller,
Mouat,
Myers,
Quin,
Rittenhouse,
Rowan,
Russell,
Salter,
Schafer,
Siner,
Slack,
Subers,
Sutton,
Tatem,
Thornton,
Uhler,
Vories,
Weir,
White,
Williamson,
Wright,
Henszey, *Pres't.*

Mr. Hall

Presented a communication from the students of the Eclectic Medical College of Pennsylvania relative to certificates of attendance for the clinical courses of the Philadelphia Hospital. (*Appendix No. 8.*)

Which was referred to the Committee on Law.

Mr. Jamison (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Guardians of the Poor."

Mr. J. C. Martin

Moved that the resolution be referred to the Committee on Law.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Ladner

Presented the petition and complaint of Jno. J. Clancy, and sixteen other citizens and electors of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, contesting the election of B. Frank Bonham, a sitting member of the Common Council of the City of Philadelphia, from said Ward. (*Appendix No. 9.*)

Mr. Caven

Presented a petition of the qualified electors of the Twenty-ninth Ward, contesting the seat of B. Frank Bonham in Common Council. (*Appendix No. 10.*)

Mr. Caven

Moved to proceed to the selection of a Committee to try the contested election case of B. Frank Bonham, a sitting member of this Chamber from the Twenty-ninth Ward.

Which was agreed to.

The President

Ordered the Clerk to call the roll of members, noting

the names of absentees, when the following members answered to their names :

Messrs. Allen, Ashton, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Currie, Davis, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Ladner, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, J. J. Martin, McGuekin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't.*

The President

Appointed Messrs. W. B. Collins and Budd, tellers, to take down the names of members drawn, and note the challenges.

The Clerk then prepared separate slips of paper containing the names of members present, excepting that of the President and the member whose seat was being contested. These slips were carefully rolled up and put into a box on the President's desk, and after having been shaken and intermixed, they were drawn out by the Clerk, one at a time, and put alternately into three boxes placed on the President's desk. The Clerk then shook and intermixed the papers in each box, and drew alternately from each box the papers so rolled up, and delivered them singly to the President, who opened and read them aloud ; and the tellers took down the names in writing when so called, and noted the challenges, until the slip containing the name Jno. Gegan, was drawn, when there being a discrepancy in the count of the ballots, the President declared that it was evidently a mistake, and ordered the drawing to proceed over again.

The Clerk again prepared separate slips with the names of the members present, except the sitting member and the President on as before, and deposited them in the boxes in like manner, and the names of the members were drawn as above, and all the members drawn were challenged by either the contestants or respondent, except Messrs. Divine, S. C. Collins, Klohse and W. B. Collins, and those whose

names remained in the boxes, which were read off by the President, and were as follows: Messrs. Caven, Gibson, Thornton, Ladner, Salter, Wright, D. W. Gilbert, Russell, Jamison, Uhler, Tatem, Kaney and Doebley. Two separate lists of the seventeen members unchallenged were made out, and one copy was delivered to the contestants and another to the respondent, who retired with the Clerk of Common Council, and the parties alternately struck off the names upon the list until the number was reduced to eleven. Within the hour the parties returned and delivered to the President the names of the following members as the Committee, viz.: R. B. Salter, Wm. Wright, Alexander Russell, H. N. Uhler, Joseph H. Tatem, Owen F. Kaney, Ferdinand Doebley, Wm. Divine, S. C. Collins, Philip H. Klohse and W. B. Collins, who, thereupon, were respectively sworn or affirmed by the President to try the matter of the petitions, and give a true judgment thereon according to the evidence, unless the Committee shall be dissolved.

Mr. Caven

Moved that the Committee meet to-morrow, Friday, January 15th, in Common Council chamber, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Rowan, (on leave,)

Chairman of the Special Committee to inquire into the right of Edward McDowell and John D. Caldwell to hold their seats in Common Council, presented a report, with a resolution annexed entitled "Resolution to declare the seats of Edward McDowell, of the Ninth Ward, and John D. Caldwell, of the Twenty-second Ward, vacant." (*Appendix No. 11.*)

Mr. Clouds

Moved that the report be accepted and Committee continued.

Which was agreed to.

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. McGuckin (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Special Committee to inquire into the rights of Edward McDowell, of the Ninth Ward, and John D. Caldwell, of the Twenty-second Ward, to hold seats in Common Council."

Which was referred to the Special Committee appointed to inquire into the right of Edward McDowell and John D. Caldwell to hold seats in Common Council.

Mr. Tatem (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore Railroad Company, to place flagmen along the line of Washington avenue."

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Also,

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Chief Commissioner of Highways."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Gibson (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Committee on City Property."

Which was referred to the Committee on City Property.

Mr. McMullin (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution for locating a precinct house in the Seventeenth Division of the Fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Mr. Bardsley

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property for the opening, grading and paving of Thirty-first street, between Market and Chestnut streets.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Petition of citizens and property owners for the grading and paving of Cathedral avenue, from Forty-ninth street to Fifty-second street, Mars street, from Fifty-second street west two hundred and thirty-two feet, and Fifty-first street, from Girard avenue to Cathedral avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Petition of citizens and property owners for the grading and paving of Ackley street, from Girard avenue to Monroe avenue, and Fiftyeth street, from Girard avenue to Monroe avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay R. J. Dobbins the balance due him for completing the House of Correction."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to restrict the lien of a certain judgment."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay damages caused by the opening of

Markle street, and the setting back of a certain building at the northeast corner of South street and Perry's court."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay damages caused by the widening of Thirty-fourth street, from Market street to Aspen street, in front of the property of David McClees."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of City Commissioners for deficiencies for the year 1874."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. S. C. Collins (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to change the place of voting in the Thirty-eighth Division, Fifteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Mr. Currie

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners for the paving of Margaret street, from Frankford street to Richmond street, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fifth Wards.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to grade Margaret street, from Frankford street to Richmond street, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fifth Wards."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to pave Margaret street, from Frankford street to Richmond street, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fifth Wards."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Siner (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of York street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Miller (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Chief Engineer and Surveyor with reference to plans and estimates for bridges on Fairmount avenue and Columbia avenue."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution relative to such legislation as will secure the transfer to the City Treasury of all funds raised from tavern and hotel licenses." (*Appendix No. 12.*)

Mr. W. B. Collins

Moved to refer the resolution to the Committee on Law.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Miller, (on leave,)

Petition of citizens of the Nineteenth Ward for a sewer on Norris street, from Belgrade street to Almond street, in the Eighteenth and Nineteenth Wards.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Dorlan (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to lay water

pipe on Eighth street, from Tioga street to Rising Sun lane, in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to lay water pipe on Tioga street, from Fifth street to Germantown avenue, in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Mr. Uhler

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of Upper Manayunk, Twenty-first Ward, for improvements to the footways on Market street, from Boon street to Terrace street.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Wright (on leave)

Offered the following to wit: "Resolution to locate division house in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Divisions, Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gas lamps in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to grade Mulberry street, from Harrison street to a point two hundred feet north from Wakeling street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to grade Willow street, from Harrison street to a point two hundred feet north of Wakeling street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to grade Wakeling street, from a point seventy-six feet northwest from Willow street to Mulberry street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to grade Cherry street, from Harrison street to Dyre street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to grade Ann street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Jamison (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gas lamps in the Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Hall (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Grape street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Committee on Surveys."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. W. B. Collins, seconded by Mr. Miller,

Moved to reconsider the vote by which the resolution relative to such legislation as will secure the transfer to the City Treasury of all funds raised from tavern and hotel licenses, was referred to the Committee on Law.

Which was agreed to.

The question being on referring the resolution to the Committee on Law,

It was not agreed to.

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. D. W. Gilbert (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to grade Philip street, from Lehigh avenue to Somerset street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to grade P street, from Kensington avenue to Front street road, in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to grade Philip street, from Somerset street to Cambria street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to repeal a part of a resolution approved June 22d, 1874, entitled 'Resolution to open Somerset, Sixty-first-and-a-half, Sixty-second-and-a-half, Arch, Race and Crawford streets, so far as it relates to proviso to the opening of Somerset street, from Garnet street to Frankford street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward.'"

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to grade Aramingo street, from Venango street to Westmoreland street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to grade Memphis street, from Venango street to Westmoreland street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to grade Luzerne street, from Kensington avenue to Nicetown lane, in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to open Cambria street, from Kensington avenue to D street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to place

Thurlow street, from Indiana street to Hart lane, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, upon the City plan."

Which was referred to Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Chief Commissioner of Highways."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to fix the place of voting in the Sixth, Twenty-fourth, Twenty-fifth and Twenty-sixth Divisions of the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gas lamp on the southwest corner of Ann and Melville streets, in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Rowan (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to amend a resolution entitled 'Resolution to authorize the paving of market plots on Lehigh avenue,' " passed December 30th, 1873.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to authorize the grading of Tackawana street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to authorize the opening of Twenty-third, Media, Fifty-second and Forty-sixth streets."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to amend a resolution entitled 'Resolution to authorize the grading of Columbia avenue, Jefferson, Forty-second and Foulkrod streets,'" approved November 28th, 1874.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution authorizing the grading of Hancock and Oxford streets."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution authorizing the grading of Darby avenue, in the Twenty-seventh Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to authorize the opening of Knorr, Elizabeth and Gransback streets."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution authorizing the paving of Westminster avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution authorizing the paving of Sixteenth street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution authorizing the grading of Sixteenth street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution authorizing the paving of Pine, Wyoming, Anthracite, and Salmon streets."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit; "Resolution authorizing the opening of Park avenue, in the Twenty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution authorizing the grading of Franklin street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution authorizing the opening of Day street, in the Eighteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to amend a resolution entitled 'Resolution to authorize the opening of

Somerset, Sixty-one-and-a-half, Sixty-two and-a-half, Arch, Race and Crawford streets.' ”

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled “An Ordinance to retrimway and repave Cuthbert street, also to reset the curbing on said street.”

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled “An Ordinance to repeal a portion of an Ordinance entitled ‘An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers on Cuyler, Twenty-sixth, Fortieth, Fifty-first, Wright, Race, Filson, Foulkrod, Seventeenth and Wharton streets, and Elm and Girard avenues, and Master street.’ ”

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Chairman of the Committee on Highways, presented a report, with a resolution annexed entitled “Resolution authorizing the Chief Commissioner of Highways to draw a warrant in favor of Benjamin F. Dutton.” (*Appendix No. 13.*)

Laid over to be printed.

Mr. Klauder (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: “Resolution fixing the place of voting in the Fifteenth Division of the Twenty-eighth Ward.”

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Mr. W. B. Collins

Presented a communication from the Judges of Court

of Common Pleas relative to obtaining possession of the room now occupied by the Water Department. (*Appendix No. 14.*)

Which was referred to the Committee on City Property.

Mr. Glenn,

Chairman of the Committee on Police, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to grant permission to the Philadelphia Butchers' Ice and Coal Company to erect a frame ice house." (*Appendix No. 15.*)

Laid over to be printed.

Mr. Mouat

Moved that Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

And Council adjourned.

Thursday, January 21, 1875.

Council met—Members present :

Messrs. Allen,	Messrs. Ladner,
Ashton,	Laughlin,
Bardsley,	Lippincott,
Bonham,	Lyster,
Bonsall,	Martin, J.
Budd,	Martin, J. C.
Cartledge,	Martin, J. J.
Caven,	McGuckin,
Clouds,	McMorris,
Collins, S. C.	McMullin,
Collins, W. B.	Miller,
Cooper,	Mouat,
Currie,	Myers,
Davis,	Quin,
Divine,	Rittenhouse,
Doebley,	Rowan,
Dorlan,	Russell,
Gibson,	Salter,
Gilbert, D. W.	Schafer,
Gilbert, J. C.	Siner,
Glenn,	Slack,
Hall,	Subers,
Hanby,	Sutton,
Hayhurst,	Tatem,
James,	Thornton,
Jamison,	Vories,
Kaney,	Weir,
Kennedy, J.	White,
Kennedy, J. H.	Williamson,
Klohse,	Wright,

Henszey, *Pres't.*

The President

Presented a communication from his Honor the Mayor relative to the signing of certain Ordinances and resolutions. (*Appendix No. 16.*)

Mr. Davis

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property of the First Ward asking for iron coverings for gutter crossings on Dickinson street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Mouat (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a fire-alarm box at the corner of Sixth and Spruce streets, Fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Police and Fire-Alarm Telegraph.

Mr. White (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to change the place of voting in the Eighth Division of the Fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Mr. Glenn (on leave)

Presented a petition and resolution of citizens and owners of property of the Fifteenth Ward for the construction of a culvert on Twenty-third street, between Hamilton and Biddle streets, in said Ward.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to reduce the width of Thirty-first street, between Market and Chestnut streets, in the Twenty-seventh Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department for Supplying the City with Water to defray the expenses of fitting up Spring Garden Hall for the occupancy of said department, purchasing furniture for the same, expenses of removal, and compensating Post No. 2 of the Grand Army of the Republic, for their expenses incurred in fitting up the second floor of the hall."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Mr. Williamson (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to open Beach street, from Otis street to Plum street, in the Eighteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property of the Eighteenth Ward on the line of Beach street, asking for the speedy bridging of Aramingo canal, at Beach street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Doebley, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to tramway Geary street, in the Eighteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Miller

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property of the Twenty-eighth Ward for the grading of Lambert street, between Norris street and Park avenue, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property of the Twenty-eighth Ward for the paving of Lambert street, between Norris street and Park avenue, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property of the Twenty-eighth Ward for water pipe on Lambert street, between Norris street and Park avenue, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property of the Twenty-eighth Ward for water pipe on Woodstock street, between Norris street and Park avenue, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property of the Twenty-eighth Ward for the grading of Woodstock street, between Norris street and Park avenue, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property of the Twenty-eighth Ward for the paving of Woodstock street, between Norris street and Park avenue, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe on Siloam street, from Otis street to Norris street, in the Eighteenth and Nineteenth Wards."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to regulate the size of wheels on trucks, used for hauling stones and other heavy material."

Which was referred to the Committee on Law.

Mr. Dorlan

Presented the following, to wit :

PHILADELPHIA, *January 21, 1875.*

To the Common Council,
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—I hereby tender my resignation as a member of Common Council from the Twentieth Ward, to take effect February 1st, 1875, inasmuch as I contemplate a change of residence. I cannot sever my connection with your body without expressing my thanks for the courtesy that has been extended to me by every member of this Chamber. With the best wishes for your health and prosperity, individually and collectively,

I am very respectfully, &c.,

THOMAS ASHTON.

Mr. Wright (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit : "Resolution to lay water pipe on Orleans street, from Frankford avenue to Emerald street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property

of the Twenty-fifth Ward for water pipe on Philip street, from Lehigh avenue to Cambria street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property of the Twenty-fifth Ward for water pipe on Second street, from Lehigh avenue to Cambria street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property of the Twenty-fifth Ward for water pipe on Third street, from Lehigh avenue to the Reading Railroad, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property of Twenty-fifth Ward for water pipe on Somerset street, from Front street to Sixth street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Mr. Cartledge

Presented a petition of Messrs. Russell & Mason for permission to locate a powder magazine on the river Delaware, below Tacony, in the Twenty-fifth Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on City Property.

Mr. Hall (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to grade Forty-eighth street, from Haverford avenue to Lancaster avenue, in Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. D. W. Gilbert (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Chief Commissioner of Highways."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. W. B. Collins (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to change the place of voting in the Eighth Division of the Twenty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Mr. Thornton (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to create a loan for the building of main sewers in the City of Philadelphia, and resolution to publish a loan bill."

Which were referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Bonham (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to open Thompson street, between Twenty-second street and Twenty-fourth street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Rowan (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to amend a resolution entitled 'Resolution to authorize the grading of Columbia avenue, Jefferson, Forty-second and Foulkrod streets.'"

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Hanby (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gas lamp on Jefferson street, Twenty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to change the place of voting in the Eighteenth Division of the Twenty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Mr. Dorlan (on leave)

Presented a petition and resolution of citizens and owners of property of the Twenty-fifth Ward for the paving and grading of Fifth street, from Clearfield street to Wingohocking creek, in said Ward.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Miller (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the payment of Jos. F. Page for the grading of Fontaine street, from Fifteenth street to Eighteenth street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Thornton,

Chairman of Committee on Surveys, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance instructing the Department of Surveys to establish the width of the footways and revise the grade of Germantown avenue, Twenty-second Ward." (*Appendix No. 17.*)

Laid over to be printed.

Mr. Glenn

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to grant permission to the Philadelphia Butchers' Ice and Coal Company to erect a frame ice house."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Quin

Moved to amend the first and only section by adding the following, to wit: "*And provided further*, That the same shall be removed at the option of the City upon three months' notice."

Which was agreed to.

The bill was laid over to print the amendment.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the resolution entitled "Resolution authorizing the Chief Commissioner of Highways to draw a warrant in favor of Benjamin F. Dutton."

Which was agreed to.

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The resolution was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Ashton, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Caven, Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, James, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, McMorris, McMullen, Myers, Quin, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Siners, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Weir, White, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—48.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

The President

Presented the annual report of the City Controller for the year 1874. (*Appendix No. 18.*)

Mr. Bardsley (on leave)

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property for the paving of Alter street, from Gray's Ferry road to Schuylkill avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Presented a petition and resolution of citizens and owners of property of the Twenty-sixth Ward for the paving of Carpenter street, from Twenty-third street to Twenty-fourth street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition and resolution of citizens and owners of property of the Twenty-sixth Ward for the paving of Oakford street, from Twenty-seventh street to Twenty-eighth street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Mouat (on leave)

Presented a petition of citizens of the Seventeenth Division of the Fourth Ward asking for the location of the division house at the northeast corner of Third and Bainbridge streets.

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Mr. Kaney

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution accepting an

invitation to attend the funeral of our late fellow member, William H. Fagen." (*Appendix No. 19.*)

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Slack,

Chairman of the Committee on Election Divisions, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to change and establish places of voting in the several Wards of the City." (*Appendix No. 20.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Mr. Miller,

Moved that Council take a recess of fifteen minutes.

Which was agreed to.

The President,

After the expiration of fifteen minutes called Council to order,

Mr. Bardsley,

Chairman of the Committee on Finance, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to release the property of Aaron Engle from the lien of a certain judgment." (*Appendix No. 21.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of City Commissioners for deficiencies for the year 1874." (*Appendix No. 22.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill

annexed entitled "An Ordinance declaratory of the effect of an Ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to create a loan for the further extension of the Philadelphia Gas Works,' " approved the 16th day of November, A. D. 1874. (*Appendix No. 23.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to restrict the lien of a judgment against C. C. Carman and others." (*Appendix No. 24.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay R. J. Dobbins the balance due for completing the House of Correction." (*Appendix No. 25.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to approve the sureties of Charles H. T. Collis, City Solicitor elect." (*Appendix No. 26.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to create a loan for the completion of the storage reservoir at Fairmount Park, and resolution to publish a loan bill." (*Appendix No. 27.*)

Which were laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the satisfaction of a certain judgment."

Which were referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Rowan,

Chairman of the Committee on Highways, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance instructing the Chief Commissioner of Highways relative to the opening of Park avenue." (*Appendix No. 28.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the grading of Sixty-third street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward." (*Appendix No. 29.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the grading of Thirty-seventh, Aspen, Parrish, Clearfield and Eadline streets." (*Appendix No. 30.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the paving of Forty-sixth street, in the Twenty-seventh Ward." (*Appendix No. 31.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the grading

of Fiftieth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward." (*Appendix No. 32.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the paving of Girard avenue, in the Twenty-ninth Ward." (*Appendix No. 33.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the paving of Sixty-third street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward." (*Appendix No. 34.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance instructing the Chief Commissioner of Highways to notify owners of property on Twenty-sixth street and Pennsylvania avenue to grade, curb and pave the footways." (*Appendix No. 35.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the paving of Fiftieth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward." (*Appendix No. 36.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the grading

of Forty-sixth street, in the Twenty-seventh Ward." (*Appendix No. 37.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Mr. Miller, seconded by Mr. Rowan,

Moved to reconsider the vote by which the resolution entitled "Resolution authorizing the Chief Commissioner of Highways to draw a warrant in favor of Benjamin F. Dutton," was passed.

Which was agreed to.

The question being on agreeing to the resolution,

Mr. Miller

Moved to strike out "Resolved by," and insert "Section 1," and "do ordain."

Which was agreed to.

The title was again read.

Mr. Miller

Moved to strike out "Resolution," and substitute "An Ordinance."

Which was agreed to.

The bill was laid over to print the amendments.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit :

"Resolution relative to such legislation as will secure the transfer to the City Treasury of all funds raised from tavern and hotel licenses."

Mr. Doebley

Moved that Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

And Council adjourned

Thursday, January 28, 1875.

Members present :

Messrs. Allen,
Bardsley,
Bonham,
Bonsall,
Budd,
Cartledge,
Caven,
Clouds,
Collins, S. C.
Collins, W. B.
Cooper,
Currie,
Davis,
Divine,
Dorlan,
Garwood,
Gegan,
Gibson,
Gilbert, D. W.
Glenn,
Hall,
Hanby,
Hayhurst,
Jamison,
Judge,
Kaney,
Klauder,
Ladner,

Messrs. Laughlin,
Lippincott,
Lyster,
Martin, J.
Martin, J. C.
Martin, J. J.
McGuckin,
McMorris,
Miller,
Mouat,
Myers,
Quin,
Rittenhouse,
Rowan,
Russell,
Salter,
Schafer,
Siner,
Slack,
Subers,
Sutton,
Tatem,
Thornton,
Uhler,
White,
Widener,
Wright,
Henszey, *Pres't.*

Mr. J. C. Martin (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to meet in Joint Convention to elect railroad directors." (*Appendix No. 38.*)

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The President

Presented a statement of the receipts and expenditures of the Trustees of the Northern Liberties Gas Company for the year 1874. (*Appendix No. 39.*)

Mr. Davis

Presented a petition of the citizens and owners of property of the First Ward for the curbing and paving of Twelfth street, between McKean street and Snyder avenue, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of the citizens and owners of property of the First Ward for water pipe on Twelfth street, from McKean street to Snyder avenue, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Mr. Salter

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property of the First Ward for water pipe on McKean street, from Tenth street to Twelfth street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property for the curbing and paving of McKean street, from Tenth street to Twelfth street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Slack (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gas lamps in the First Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Bardsley (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay damages caused by the opening of Robin street, in the Twenty-seventh Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Bardsley

Moved that Council proceed to the nomination and election of two Trustees of the Philadelphia Gas Works.

Which was agreed to.

Nominations were declared to be in order.

Mr. Bardsley

Nominated Albert C. Roberts and William R. Leeds.

Mr. W. B. Collins

Moved that Albert C. Roberts and William R. Leeds be elected Trustees of the Philadelphia Gas Works by acclamation.

Which was unanimously agreed to.

And Albert C. Roberts and William R. Leeds were declared unanimously elected Trustees of the Philadelphia Gas Works for the ensuing term.

Mr. Glenn (on leave)

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance granting permission to the Philadel-

phia Butchers' Ice and Coal Company to erect a frame ice house."

The question being on the section as amended,

It was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Dorlan, Garwood, Gibson, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, Ladner, Lippincott, Lyster, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, McGuckin, McMorris, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Thornton, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—45.

NAYS—Mr. Klauder—1.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Mr. Clouds (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution relative to opening Girard avenue, from Norris to Richmond street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Miller (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to provide an Ordinance to license vehicles for the conveyance of passengers in the City."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a remonstrance of citizens and owners of property against the construction of a sewer on the lines of Cohocksink creek, from Laurel street to Beach street.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Chief Commissioner of Highways to draw warrants in payment of the salaries of the Supervisors of Highways."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the paving of Moyer street, in the Eighteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Cartledge (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to change the place of voting in the Nineteenth Division of the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee of Election Divisions.

Mr. Hall (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to authorize the grading of Silverton avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented the Fourteenth Annual Report of the Trustees of the Philadelphia Gas Works. (*Appendix No. 40.*)

Also,

Presented a petition of the citizens and owners of property of the Twenty-fourth Ward for the paving of Sycamore street, from DeKalb street to Lancaster avenue.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Jamison (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to pay the claim of Jos. D. Maull."

Which was referred to the Committee on Law.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property of the Twenty-fourth Ward for the paving of Westminster avenue, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property of the Twenty-fourth Ward for the opening of Forty-eighth street, in the said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property of the Twenty-fourth Ward for the paving of Forty-eighth street, in the said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Dorlan

Presented the annual report of the Board of Fire Commissioners for the year 1874. (*Appendix No. 41.*)

Mr. Thornton (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Department of Surveys."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Rowan

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property of the Twenty-seventh Ward for the opening of Forty-seventh street, from Walnut street to Gray's avenue, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Cooper

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property of the Twenty-eighth Ward for the locating of a gas lamp at the corner of Ninth and York streets, in the said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Sutton (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to open Venango street, from Ninth street to Broad street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Klauder (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to lay water pipe on Seventeenth street, from Tioga street to Nicetown lane, in the Twenty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Mr. Hanby (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to change the place of voting in the Tenth Division of the Twenty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Mr. Bonham (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gas lamp in the Twenty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Kaney (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to change the place of voting in the Third Division of the Third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Mr. Rowan,

Chairman of the Committee on Highways, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the paving of Cambria, Oxford, Bolton, Redner, Turner, Somerset, Marshall, Dauphin, Girard avenue, Twenty-fifth and Boudinot streets." (*Appendix No. 42.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the grading of Hancock and Oxford streets." (*Appendix No. 43.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the paving of York street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward." (*Appendix No. 44.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the grading of Grape street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward." (*Appendix No. 45.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Mr. Bardsley

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to release property of Aaron Engle from the lien of a certain judgment."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Budd, Cartledge, Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Divine, Dorlan, Garwood, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Judge, Kaney, Klauder, Ladner, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, McGuckin, McMorris, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Thornton, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—48.

NAYS—Mr. Quin—1.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of City Commissioners for deficiencies for the year 1874."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Quin

Moved to amend by striking out "Item 4."

Mr. Lyster

Moved that the bill be postponed and made the special order for Thursday afternoon next, at four o'clock.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Lyster, seconded by Mr. Widener, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Budd, Cartledge, Caven, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Divine, Gegan, Gibson, Hanby, Hayhurst, Judge, Klauder, Ladner, Lyster, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, McGuckin, McMorris, Miller, Mouat, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, White, Widener, and Henszey, *Pres't*—42.

NAYS—Messrs. Clouds, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, Myers, and Wright—5.

Which was agreed to.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance declaratory of the effect of an Ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to create a loan for the further extension of the Philadelphia Gas Works,'" approved the 16th day of November, A. D. 1874, and to amend the same.

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read and agreed to.

The second section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Bardsley, Bonsall, Budd, Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Divine, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hanby, Hayhurst, Judge, Kaney, Klauder, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. Martin, McGuekin, McMorris, Miller, Mouat, Quin, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—46.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to restrict the lien of a judgment against C. C. Carman and others."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Quin

Moved to amend by striking out "ten dollars," and inserting "twenty dollars."

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Rowan, seconded by Mr. Quin, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Gibson, Ladner, and Quin—3.

NAYS—Messrs. Bardsley, Bonsall, Budd, Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Divine, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, Klauder, Laughlin,

Lippincott, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, McMorris, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—46.

Which was not agreed to.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Divine, Garwood, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, McMorris, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—45.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

JOINT CONVENTION.

Select Council being introduced, and Councils being assembled in Joint Convention,

Mr. Downing, President of Select Council, in the chair,

Announced the object of the Joint Convention to be the election of three Directors of the Philadelphia and Erie Railroad Company, and two Directors of the North Pennsylvania Railroad Company. And declared nominations

to be in order for the election of three Directors of the Philadelphia and Erie Railroad Company.

Mr. J. C. Martin

Nominated William C. Stevenson, Edwin A. Gaskill and Geo. W. Fox.

Mr. W. B. Collins

Moved that William C. Stevenson, Edwin A. Gaskill and Geo. W. Fox be elected Directors of the Philadelphia and Erie Railroad Company by acclamation.

Which was unanimously agreed to.

And William C. Stevenson, Edwin A. Gaskill and Geo. W. Fox were declared unanimously elected Directors of the Philadelphia and Erie Railroad Company for the ensuing term.

Nominations for two Directors of the North Pennsylvania Railroad Company were declared to be in order.

Mr. J. C. Martin

Nominated Jacob Riegel and R. J. Dobbins.

There being no other nominations,

Mr. Dorlan

Moved that Jacob Riegel and R. J. Dobbins be elected Directors of the North Pennsylvania Railroad Company by acclamation.

Which was unanimously agreed to.

And Jacob Riegel and R. J. Dobbins were declared unanimously elected directors of the North Pennsylvania Railroad Company for the ensuing terms.

The purposes for which the Joint Convention had assembled having been accomplished, Select Council retired.

Mr. Bardsley

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay R. J. Dobbins the balance due for completing the House of Correction."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Widener

Moved to refer the bill to the Committee on House of Correction.

Which was not agreed to.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS — Messrs. Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Budd, Caven, Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Divine, Dorlan, Garwood, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Judge, Kaney, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, McMorris, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—42.

NAYS—Messrs. Davis, Lyster, Quin, and Salter—4.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to approve the sureties of C. H. T. Collis, City Solicitor elect."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Clouds, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Divine, Garwood, Gibson, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, Judge, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, Miller, Myers, Quin, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, White, Wright, Henszey, *Pres't*—40.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Mr. Slack

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to change and establish places of voting in the several Wards of the City."

Mr. Mouat

Moved to amend by striking out the words "No. 611 Guilford street," and inserting "N. E. corner of Third and Bainbridge streets."

Which was agreed to.

The bill was laid over to print the amendment.

Mr. Rowan (on leave)

Chairman of the Committee on Highways, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Knorr, Elizabeth, and Gransback streets." (*Appendix No. 46.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the paving of Pine, Wyoming, Anthracite and Salmon street." (*Appendix No. 47.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Somerset, Sixty-one-and-a-half, Sixty-two-and-a-half, Arch, Race and Crawford streets." (*Appendix No. 48.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to repeal a portion of an Ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers on Cuyler, Twenty-sixth, Fortieth, Forty-first, Wright, Race, Filson, Foulkrod, Seventeenth and Wharton streets, and Elm and Girard avenues and Master street.'" (*Appendix No. 49.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the grading of Franklin street, in the Twenty-third Ward." (*Appendix No. 50.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the paving of Thirty-seventh, Aspen, Thirty-sixth, Clearfield and Eadline streets." (*Appendix No. 51.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the grading of Tackawanna street, in the Twenty-third Ward." (*Appendix No. 52.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the opening of Twenty-third, Media, Fifty-second and Forty-sixth streets." (*Appendix No. 53.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to amend an Ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to pave the market plots on Lehigh avenue.'" (*Appendix No. 54.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Sixty-third street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

NAYS—Messrs. Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Budd, Caven, Clouds, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Divine, Garwood, Gegan, Gibson, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, Jamison, Judge, Ladner, Laughlin, Lyster, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, Miller, Myers, Quin, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Schafer, Siner, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—40.

NAYS—Messrs. Cartledge and Hanby—2.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Thirty-seventh, Aspen, Parrish, Clearfield, Eadline and Marshall streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Clouds, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Divine, Garwood, Gegan, Gibson, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, Jamison, Judge, Klauder, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Siners, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—39.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Forty-sixth street, in the Twenty-seventh Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Klauder

Moved to postpone the bill for the present.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Klauder, seconded by Mr. Budd, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Budd, Caven, Cooper, Garwood, Gibson, Klauder, Lyster, J. Martin, Salter, and Schafer—10.

NAYS — Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Clouds, Currie, Divine, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, Judge, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, Miller, Myers, Quin, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Russell, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—32.

Which was not agreed to.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Budd, Caven, Clouds, Cooper, Currie, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, Hall, Jamison, Klauder, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Russell, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—36.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on City Property, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance directing the Commissioner of Markets and City Property to notify Post No. 2 of the Grand Army of the Republic, to vacate the second story of Spring Garden Hall, and appropriating four thousand two hundred dollars to pay for fitting up the same for the use of the Water Department," which they had passed, and in which they asked concurrence.

Also,

That they had passed a resolution entitled "Resolution of acceptance of the portrait of Roger Sherman, and of thanks to Hon. Wm. M. Evarts, therefor," in which they asked concurrence.

Also,

That they had concurred in the following, to wit :

"An Ordinance declaratory of the effect of an Ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to create a loan for the further extension of the Philadelphia Gas Works,' approved the 16th day of November, A. D. 1874, and to amend the same.

"An Ordinance to grant permission to the Philadelphia Butchers' Ice and Coal Company to construct a frame ice house."

"An Ordinance to release property of Aaron Engle from the lien of a certain judgment."

"Resolution to meet in Joint Convention, to elect railroad directors."

"A resolution accepting the invitation to attend the funeral of our late fellow member, Wm. H. Fagen."

Mr. Slack

Moved that Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

And Council adjourned.

Thursday, February 4, 1875.

Council met—Members present :

Messrs. Allen,
Bardsley
Bonham,
Bonsall,
Budd,
Cartledge,
Caven,
Clouds,
Collins, S. C.
Collins, W. B.
Cooper,
Currie,
Davis,
Dorlan,
Garwood,
Gegan,
Gibson,
Gilbert, D. W.
Gilbert, J. C.
Glenn,
Hanby,
Hayhurst,
James,
Jamison,
Judge,
Kaney,
Kennedy, J.
Klauder,
Klohse,

Messrs. Ladner,
Lippincott,
Lyster,
Martin, J.
Martin, J. C.
McGuckin,
McMorris,
McMullin,
Miller,
Mouat,
Myers,
Quin,
Rittenhouse,
Rowan,
Russell,
Schafer,
Siner,
Slack,
Subers,
Sutton,
Tatem,
Thornton,
Uhler,
Vories,
Weir,
White,
Williamson,
Wright,
Henszey, *Pres't.*

Mr. J. C. Martin

Moved that Council proceed to the election of three Commissioners of the Fire Department.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. J. C. Martin

Nominated Wm. A. Porter and Hamilton Disston.

Mr. Kaney

Nominated Chas. A. McManus.

Mr. Glenn

Moved that Wm. A. Porter, Hamilton Disston and Chas. A. McManus be elected by acclamation Commissioners of the Fire Department.

Which was unanimously agreed to.

And Wm. A. Porter, Hamilton Disston and Chas. A. McManus were declared unanimously elected Commissioners of the Fire Department for the ensuing term.

Mr. Slack (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to grade Moyamensing avenue, in the First Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Tatem (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the tramwaying of Lancaster street, in the Second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate a gas lamp at the northeast corner of Seventh street and Washington avenue; also one at the northwest corner of

Passyunk avenue and Washington avenue, in the Second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. J. Martin (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Department of Surveys relative to a culvert on Washington avenue."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Mouat (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gas lamp in Pear street, east of Third street, in the Fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Bardsley (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gas lamp."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. J. C. Martin (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to meet in Joint Convention to elect Heads of Departments." (*Appendix No. 55.*)

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. S. C. Collins

Presented a communication from John Mehaffy and James McMonigle, relative to the damages incurred by the opening of Taney street.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Mr. Caven (on leave)

Presented a petition of the citizens and property owners of the Fifteenth Ward for a sewer on Corinthian avenue, from Parrish street to the north side of Poplar street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Hayhurst (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gas lamp on Lawrence street, Nineteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Clouds

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property of the Second Division of the Eighteenth Ward to change the place of voting therein.

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Mr. Currie

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property of the Nineteenth Ward for water pipe on Franklin street, from Cumberland street to Huntingdon street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property of the Nineteenth Ward for water pipe on Eighth street, from York street to Huntingdon street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property of the Nineteenth Ward for water pipe on Huntingdon street, from Seventh street to Eighth street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property of the Nineteenth Ward for the grading and paving of Huntingdon street, from Seventh street to Eighth street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of the citizens and owners of property of the Nineteenth Ward for the grading and paving of Franklin street, from Cumberland street to Huntingdon street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property of the Nineteenth Ward for the grading and paving of Eighth street, from York street to Cumberland street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Miller (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gas lamp at 928 Cumberland street, in the Nineteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance Supplementary to an Ordinance directing the Heads of Departments of the City to insert the residences and occupations of all persons placed on their pay rolls," approved December 31st, 1874.

Which was referred to the Committee on Police.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance creating a board to regulate the use of fire escapes."

Which was referred to the Committees on Police and Fire Department.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to open Aspen street, in the Eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Judge (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gas lamp on Frankford road, in the Nineteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Dorlan (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Thirtieth street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, from Clearfield street to Nicetown lane."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving and grading of Fifth street, from Clearfield street to Nicetown lane, in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Wright

Presented a remonstrance of citizens and property owners against the paving of Wheat Sheaf lane, in the Twenty-fifth Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Cartledge (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to curb, grade and pave the sidewalks on Tacony street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Lyster (on leave)

Presented a petition of the citizens and property owners of the Twenty-fourth Ward for the paving of Forty-second street, from Market street to Haverford avenue, in the said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Jamison (on leave)

Presented a petition of John Weik, asking permission to erect a number of frame buildings in the Twenty-fourth Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Police.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a division house in the Twenty-fourth Division of the Twenty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Also, (on leave,)

Presented a petition of the citizens and property owners of the Twenty-fourth Ward for water pipe on Silverton avenue, from Thirty-eighth street to Thirty-ninth street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Presented a petition of the citizens and property owners of the Twenty-fourth Ward for the grading and paving of

Grape street, from Thirty-fifth to Thirty-sixth street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Sutton (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a sub-station house in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Police.

Mr. D. W. Gilbert (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gas lamp at the corner of Broad and Butler streets, in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Presented a petition of the citizens and property owners of the Twenty-fifth Ward for water pipe on Cambria street, from Front to Fifth street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to place Green street, Twenty-fifth Ward, on the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Department of Highways."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to grade Front street, from Lippincott street to Westmoreland street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-fifth Ward for the grading of Cambria street, from Front to Fifth street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-fifth Ward for the paving of Cambria street, from Front street to Fifth street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. W. B. Collins (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Committee on Law."

Which was referred to the Committee on Law.

Mr. Thornton (on leave)

Presented a petition of the citizens and property owners of the Twenty-sixth Ward for the paving of Jarden street, from Wharton street to Reed street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following to wit: "Resolution to locate a gas lamp at 2007 South Broad street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Rowan (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to revise the lines and grades in a portion of the Twenty-seventh Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Klauder (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to grade

Nineteenth street, from Norris street to Diamond street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Bonham (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Chief Commissioner of Highways to draw a warrant in favor of Jos. McDonald."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to change the place of voting in the Fourteenth Division of the Twenty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Mr. Hanby (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to grade Thirtieth street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-ninth Ward, with a resolution annexed entitled "Resolution to locate a thirty feet wide street, to be called Baltz street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward."

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay for rock cutting in Cambridge and Gross streets.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

The President (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing certain transfers to be made in the appropriation for the expenses of the House of Correction, Employment and Reformation for the year 1875."

Which was referred to the Committee on House of Correction.

Also,

Presented a communication from Samuel L. Smedley, Chief Engineer and Surveyor. (*Appendix No. 56.*)

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

The hour of four o'clock having arrived, Council resumed the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of City Commissioners for deficiencies for the year 1874," which had been made the special order for that hour.

The question being on striking out item four,

Mr. Quin

Withdrew the motion.

The first and only section of the bill was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Bardsley, Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Clouds, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Garwood, Gegan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, Kennedy, Klohse, Ladner, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Russell, Schafer, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton,

Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, William-son, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—49.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Mr. Slack

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to change and establish places of voting in the several Wards of the City."

Which was agreed to.

The question being on the first and only section as amended,

Mr. Slack seconded by Mr. Gibson,

Moved to reconsider the vote by which the amendment striking out the words "No. 611 Guilford street," and inserting "N. E. corner of Third and Bainbridge streets," was agreed to.

Which was agreed to.

The question being on the amendment,

It was not agreed to.

The first and only section of the bill was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Cartledge, Caven, Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Davis, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn,

Hanby, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Ladner, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, McMorris, Miller, Russell, Schafer, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—43.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Mr. Rowan, (on leave,)

Chairman of the Committee on Highways, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the payment of supervisors salaries." (*Appendix No. 57.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Mr. Thornton

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance instructing the Department of Surveys to establish the width of footways and revise the grades of Germantown avenue, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Bardsley, Bonsall, Budd, Caven, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Garwood, Gegan, Gibson, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge,

Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Russell, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Weir, White, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—44.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Mr. W. B. Collins, (on leave,)

Chairman of the Special Committee appointed to try the petitions contesting election of B. Frank. Bonham as a member of Common Council, presented a report. (*Appendix No. 58.*)

Select Council informed Common Council that they had passed a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe on Bamby street, from Parrish street to Poplar street, in the Fifteenth Ward."

The first and only section of the bill was read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Garwood, Gegan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, McMorris, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rittenhouse, Russell, Siner, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Uhler,

Vories, Weir, White, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—47.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Council proceeded to the second reading of a resolution entitled "Resolution of acceptance of the portrait of Roger Sherman, and of thanks to Hon. Wm. M. Evarts" therefor.

The first and only section was read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Budd, Cartledge, Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, Gibson, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, Kanczy, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Ladner, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, McMorris, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Russell, Schafer, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—49.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Mr. Slack,

Chairman of the Committee on Election Divisions, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to change the places of voting in several divisions of the Wards of the City." (*Appendix No. 59.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Mr. Bonham

Presented the petition of James Jenner, claiming the right to a seat in Common Council, from the Twenty-ninth Ward. (*Appendix No. 60.*)

Mr. Slack

Moved that the petition be referred to a Special Committee of five.

Mr. Budd

Moved that the petition be laid on the table.

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Caven

Moved to postpone the consideration of the petition for the present.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Rowan, seconded by Mr. Quin, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Budd, Cartledge, Caven, S. C. Collins, Davis, Gegan, Hanby, J. Kennedy, Ladner, Lyster, J. C. Martin, McGuckin, Miller, and Schafer—17.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Clouds, W. B. Collins, Currie, Dorlan, Garwood, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, Klohse, J. Martin, McMorris, McMullin, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Russell, Siner, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler,

Vories, White, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—
35.

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Caven

Moved that the further consideration of the petition be postponed, and made the special order for Thursday afternoon next, at four o'clock.

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Caven

Moved that the further consideration of the petition be postponed for the present, and that the Clerk be directed to obtain the opinion of the City Solicitor as to the rights of the petitioner to a seat in Common Council.

Mr. Rowan,

Seconded by Messrs. Clouds, W. B. Collins, Dorlan, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Jamison, McMullin, Quin, Rittenhouse, Russell, Slack and Vories,

Moved the previous question.

The question being, "Shall the main question be now put?"

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Caven, seconded by Mr. Lyster, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bonham, Bonsall, Clouds, Currie, Davis, Dorlan, Garwood, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, Klohse, J. Martin, McMorris, McMullin, Myers, Quin, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Russell, Siner, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Williamson, and Henszey, *Pres't*—
35.

NAYS—Messrs. Bardsley, Budd, Cartledge, Caven, S. C.

Collins, W. B. Collins, J. Kennedy, Ladner, Lyster, J. C. Martin, McGuckin, Miller, Schafer, and Sutton—14.

Which was agreed to.

The question being on the motion to refer the petition to a Special Committee of five members,

Mr. Caven

Arose to a question of order, whether the motion to postpone, and the Clerk be directed to obtain the opinion of the City Solicitor as to the rights of the petitioner, was not the main question?

The President

Decided that the question to postpone was a subsidiary motion, and ruled out by the previous question, and that the motion to refer was the main question.

The question being on the motion to refer the petition to a Special Committee of five members,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Slack, seconded by Mr. James, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bonham, Bonsall, Clouds, W. B. Collins, Currie, Dorlan, Garwood, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, Klohse, J. Martin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Russell, Siner, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Williamson, and Henszey, *Pres't*—37.

NAYS—Messrs. Bardsley, Budd, Cartledge, S. C. Collins, Gegan, J. Kennedy, Ladner, Lyster, J. C. Martin, McGuckin, Schafer, and Sutton—12.

Which was agreed to.

The President

Appointed Messrs. Slack, Wright, Currie, Dorlan and Gegan, the Committee.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit:

“An Ordinance instructing the Department of Surveys to establish the width of footways, and revise grades of Germantown avenue, Twenty-second Ward.”

“An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Thirty-seventh, Aspen, Parrish, Clearfield, Eadline and Marshall streets.”

“An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of City Commissioners for deficiencies for the year 1874.”

“An Ordinance to restrict the lien of a judgment against C. C. Carman and others.”

“An Ordinance to approve the sureties of Chas. H. T. Collis, City Solicitor elect.”

“An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay R. J. Dobbins the balance due for completing the House of Correction.”

“Resolution to meet in Joint Convention to elect Heads of Departments.”

Mr. J. C. Martin

Moved that Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

And Council adjourned.

Thursday, February 11, 1875.

Council met—Members present:

Messrs. Bardsley,
Bonham,
Bonsall,
Budd,
Cartledge,
Caven,
Clouds,
Collins, S. C.
Collins, W. B.
Cooper,
Currie,
Davis,
Divine,
Dorlan,
Gibson,
Gilbert, D. W.
Gilbert, J. C.
Glenn,
Hall,
Hanby,
James,
Jamison,
Kaney,
Kennedy, J.
Kennedy, J. H.
Klohse,

Messrs. Ladner,
Lippincott,
Lyster,
Martin, J.
Martin, J. C.
McGuckin,
McMorris,
McMullin,
Miller,
Mouat,
Myers,
Quin,
Rittenhouse,
Rowan,
Russell,
Salter,
Siner,
Slack,
Tatem,
Thornton,
Uhler,
Weir,
White,
Williamson,
Wright,
Henszey, *Pres't.*

Mr. Clouds (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to meet in Joint Convention to elect heads of departments, and repeal a certain resolution." (*Appendix No. 61.*)

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Slack (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gas lamps in the First Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Also,

Presented a petition of the citizens and property owners of the First Ward for the draining of Dickerson street, in the said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Tatem (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the tramwaying of Jackson street, in the Second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Gibson (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gas lamp on Washington avenue, between Sixth and Seventh streets."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Quin

Presented a petition of the citizens and property owners of the Twenty-sixth Ward for the opening of Pallas street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Mouat (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to change the location of a gas lamp, and also to locate one at the southeast corner of Fifth and Landis streets."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Bardsley (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to authorize satisfaction to be entered on the official bond of Samuel P. Hancock, for term of office expiring December 31st, 1874."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay damages caused by the opening of Paschall street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also,

Presented a communication from Benjamin Shallcross, Receiver of Taxes for the Twenty-third Ward, submitting the names of his sureties.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also,

Presented a communication from P. A. B. Widener, City Treasurer, relative to paying interest on stamped warrants. (*Appendix No. 62.*)

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pay damages caused by the opening of Huron street, from Forty-second street to Lancaster avenue."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Bonsall

Presented a remonstrance of the citizens and property owners of the Fourteenth Ward against the construction of a sewer on Ontario street, between Parrish street and Poplar street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Clouds

Presented a petition of the citizens and property owners of the Eighteenth Ward for the changing of the place of voting in the Second Division of the Eighteenth Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Also,

Presented a petition of the citizens and property owners of the Eighteenth Ward for a public lamp on Harriet street, south of Ross street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Miller (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Committee on Railroads relative to the Centennial Exhibition."

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Sergeant street, in the Nineteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to change the place of voting in the Thirtieth Division of the Nineteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Mr. Currie

Presented a petition of the citizens and property owners of the Twenty-fifth Ward for water pipe on Indiana street, from Fifth to Ninth street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also,

Presented a petition of the citizens and property owners of the Twenty-fifth Ward for water pipe on Marshall street, from Somerset street to Indiana street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Mr. Dorlan (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate a gas lamp at the northwest corner of Sixth street and Girard avenue, in the Twentieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave and grade Fifth street, from Clearfield street to Rising Sun lane, in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Uhler

Presented a remonstrance of the citizens and property owners of the Twenty-first Ward against changing the place of voting in the First Division of the Twenty-first Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Mr. Wright

Presented a remonstrance of the citizens and property owners of the Twenty-third Ward against the paving of Edward street, in the said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a remonstrance of the citizens and property owners of the Twenty-fifth Ward against the paving of Wheat Sheaf lane, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. James (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the sale of the old station house on Union street, between Third and Fourth streets, in the Fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Police.

Mr. Thornton

Presented a petition of the citizens and property owners of the Twenty-first Ward for the placing of Belmont avenue, east of Ridge avenue, in the said Ward, on the City plan.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also,

Presented a petition of the citizens and property owners of the Twenty-fourth Ward to place Thirty-fifth street, from Lancaster avenue to Market street, on the City plan.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also,

Presented a petition of the citizens and property owners of the Eighteenth and Twenty-fifth Wards for the tunneling of Edgemont street, at the intersection of the Reading Railroad.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also,

Presented a petition of the citizens and property owners

of the Fifth Ward for the opening of Union street to the river Delaware, in the said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also,

Presented a petition of the citizens and property owners of the Twenty-first Ward on Belmont avenue and Ridge avenue, and in the vicinity of the corner of Ridge avenue and Belmont avenue, for the laying out of Belmont avenue, fifty feet wide, from Ridge avenue eastwardly to the Park.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to revise lines and grades upon plan No. 171, Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Department of Surveys to straighten a certain street in the Twenty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution placing Peal street, in the Twenty-second Ward, on the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to place a certain street in the Twenty-eighth Ward on the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place certain streets upon the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Rowan

Presented a petition of the citizens and property owners of the Twenty-seventh Ward for the paving of Sansom street, from Forty-seventh street to Fifty-second street, with rubble pavement.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Cooper

Presented a petition of the citizens and property owners of the Twenty-eighth Ward against the grading and paving of Spencer street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Bonham (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Stillman street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

The President

Presented the following communication from Mr. W. B. Collins, resigning his seat as a member of Common Council from the Twenty-sixth Ward :

PHILADELPHIA, *February* 11, 1875.

HON. A. WILSON HENSZEY,

President of Common Council :

SIR:—I herewith tender you my resignation as a member of Common Council, to take effect March 25th, next. Thanking you and my fellow members for your and their uniform courtesies and kindness,

I have the honor to be

Very Respectfully,

Your Obedient Servant,

W. B. COLLINS.

Also,

Presented a communication from Samuel L. Smedley, Chief Engineer and Surveyor, relative to South Street Bridge. (*Appendix No. 63.*)

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Bardsley,

Chairman of the Committee on Finance, presented a report, with an Ordinance annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay damages caused by the opening of Robin street, and the widening of Thirty-fourth street." (*Appendix No. 64.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the City Solicitor to satisfy a judgment against the Keystone Bridge Company and others." (*Appendix No. 65.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation for fitting up rooms for the office of the Register of Wills." (*Appendix No. 66.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Mr. Rowan,

Chairman of the Committee on Highways, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Somerset street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward." (*Appendix No. 67.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Clifton, Chatham, Almond and Gaul streets, Hart lane, Eighth, Boudinot, Miller and Division streets." (*Appendix No. 68.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Chief Commissioner of Highways to construct a trunk." (*Appendix No. 69.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Somerset and Cambria streets, Girard avenue, Fleeson, Forty-nine-and-a-half, Twenty-fifth, Boudinot, Dauphin and Leamy streets." (*Appendix No. 70.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Tree, Swain, Forty-seventh, Twenty-eighth, Thirtieth, Twenty-seventh and Bailey streets." (*Appendix No. 71.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Bailey, Lingo, Sixth, Swain and Edgely streets." (*Appendix No. 72.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Spencer street." (*Appendix No. 73.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Hancock street." (*Appendix No. 74.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Spencer street and James street." (*Appendix No. 75.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance granting permission to Messrs. Kreider, Campbell & Co. to lay a pipe." (*Appendix No. 76.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Mr. Rowan

Moved that Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

And Council adjourned

Thursday, February 18, 1875.

Council met—Members present :

Messrs. Allen,
Bardsley
Bonham,
Bonsall,
Budd,
Cartledge,
Caven,
Clouds,
Collins, S. C.
Collins, W. B.
Cooper,
Currie,
Davis,
Doebly,
Dorlan,
Garwood,
Gegan,
Gilbert, D. W.
Gilbert, J. C.
Glenn,
Hall,
Hanby,
Hayhurst,
James,
Jamison,
Judge,
Kaney,
Kennedy, J.
Klauder,
Klohse,

Messrs. Ladner,
Laughlin,
Lippincott,
Martin, J.
Martin, J. C.
McMorris,
McMullin,
Miller,
Mouat,
Myers,
Quin,
Rittenhouse,
Rowan,
Russell,
Salter,
Schafer,
Siner,
Slack,
Subers,
Sutton,
Tatem,
Thornton,
Uhler,
Vories,
Weir,
White,
Widener,
Williamson,
Wright,
Henszey, *Pres't.*

Mr. Clouds (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to meet in Joint Convention to elect Heads of Departments." (*Appendix No. 77.*)

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Slack (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to release a property of John Baldy from the lien of a certain judgment."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Salter

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the First Ward for water pipe on Tree street, between Moyamensing avenue and Seventh street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Mr. Davis

Presented a petition of citizens, manufacturers and property owners of the First Ward, protesting against the removal of the fire apparatus now located at the house of the Shiffler Hose and Steam Fire Engine Company.

Which was referred to the Committee on Fire Department.

Mr. Tatem (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate a gas lamp at the southeast corner of Moyamensing avenue and Marion street, in the Second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to change the place of holding elections in the Second Division of the Second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the tramwaying of China street, in the Second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Quin

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-sixth Ward for the opening, grading curbing and paving of Mifflin street, from Broad street to Thirty-first street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-sixth Ward for water pipe on Mifflin street, from Broad street to Thirty-first street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-sixth Ward for water pipe on Thirtieth street, from Gray's Ferry road to Passyunk road, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-sixth Ward for the paving of Twenty-eighth street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-sixth Ward for water pipe on Twenty-eighth street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-sixth Ward for the paving and curbing of Thirtieth street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Mouat (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to tramway First street, in the Fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Bardsley

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners for the construction of a sewer on Commerce street, from Fifth street to Sixth street, in the Sixth Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an

appropriation to pay damages caused by the widening of Hamilton street, in the Twenty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled " An Ordinance to create a loan for the improvement of Fairmount Park, and the construction of bridges across the river Schuylkill, and resolution to publish a loan bill."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Schafer

Presented remonstrance of citizens and property owners of the Eighth Ward against the non-usage of the railway tracks on Twenty-second and Twenty-third streets, above Spruce, during the winter months, by the Spruce and Pine streets Railway Company.

Which was referred to the Committee on Law.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: " Resolution of instruction to the Committee on City Property to extend a sewer and build a bulkhead on Sansom street wharf."

Which was referred to the Committee on City Property.

Mr. Glenn (on leave)

Presented a petition of the citizens and property owners of the Fifteenth Ward, with a bill annexed, for water pipe on Bambrey street, in said Ward.

Which were referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Presented a petition of the citizens and property owners of the Fifteenth Ward, with a bill annexed, for the paving of Bambrey street, in said Ward.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Twenty-sixth street, from Brown to Poplar street, in the Fifteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Miller (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to create a loan for the construction of main sewers on Norris and other streets."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also,

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Sergeant street, from Cedar street to Almond street, in the Nineteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe on Sergeant street, from Cedar street to Almond street, in the Nineteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Mr. Dorlan (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of inquiry relative to the construction of a bridge at the intersection of Norris street and the Reading Railroad."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate a gas lamp on Marshall street, between Girard avenue and Wager street, in the Twentieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Wright

Presented a remonstrance of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-fifth Ward against the paving of Wheat Sheaf lane, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Hall (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance for the payment of damages caused by the opening of Forty-fourth street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Thornton (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the extension of the Girard avenue sewer."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Rowan

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-seventh Ward for the opening of a road from the Darby Creek Bridge to the Island road, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Klauder (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to grade Twentieth street, from Ontario street to Alleghany avenue, in the Twenty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Bonham (on leave)

Presented a petition of Alex. McCuen, late City Commissioner, with a bill annexed, for the entering of satisfaction upon his official bond.

Which were referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, (on leave,)

Presented a communication from Kingston Goddard, Coroner, with a bill annexed, for the construction of a telegraph line from his office to the Central Police Station.

Which were referred to the Committee on Police and Fire-Alarm Telegraph.

Mr. Hanby (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gas lamp in the Twenty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committees on Water Works, Highways, Surveys, Railroads, Police and Gas Works, with a resolution annexed entitled "Resolution of instruction to the Chairmen of the Committees on Water Works, Highways, Surveys, Railroads, Police and Gas Works relative to improvements for the advancement of the Centennial Exhibition," which they had passed, and in which they asked concurrence.

Also,

That they had received a report from the Committee on Water Works, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Mayor to enter into contracts for furnishing the Department for Supplying the City with Water with iron pipe and branches, iron and brass castings and lead for the year 1875," which they had passed, and in which they asked concurrence.

Also,

That they had received from the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Chief Engineer of the Water Department to lay water pipe on Ninth, Mascher, Thompson, Second, Third, Philip, Somerset and Orleans streets," which they had passed, and in which they asked concurrence.

Also,

That they had received a report from the Committee on City Property, with a resolution annexed entitled "Resolution to discharge the Committee on City Property from the consideration of an Ordinance locating a powder magazine in the Twenty-third Ward," which they had passed, and in which they asked concurrence.

Also,

That they had received a report from the Committee on Law, with a resolution annexed entitled "Resolution discharging the Committee on Law from the further consideration of a petition relative to students attending the medical clinics at the Almshouse," which they had passed, and in which they asked concurrence.

Also,

That they had received a report from the Committee on Schools, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Board of Public Education to pay Thomas McCarty for the completion of the school house at Thirteenth street and Susquehanna avenue," which they had passed, and in which they asked concurrence.

Also,

That they had received from the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the extension of time for completing the school house at Seventeenth and Master streets, to May 1st, 1875," which they had passed, and in which they asked concurrence.

Also,

That they had passed a resolution entitled "Resolution of request to the General Assembly not to pass Senate Bill No. 108, relative to the continuation of the present powder magazine," in which they asked concurrence.

Also,

That they had received a report from the Committee on Law, with a resolution annexed entitled "Resolution of request to the General Assembly of Pennsylvania, to pass an act fixing the time for the organization of the Legislature and executive departments of the cities of this Commonwealth," in which they asked concurrence.

Also,

That they had passed a resolution entitled "Resolution of instruction to the Committee on Railroads relative to the act now before the General Assembly, regulating passenger railways in the City of Philadelphia," in which they asked concurrence.

Also,

That they had concurred in the following, to wit: "An Ordinance to change and establish places of voting in the several divisions of the Wards of the City, with the following amendment," in which they asked concurrence, viz.: insert "Fourteenth Ward, Sixth Division, at the northwest corner of Thirteenth and Brandywine streets." Also, immediately after the words "Twenty-second Ward," the following, "Twelfth Division at the house of George Wolf, corner of Germantown avenue and Coulter street." Also, insert "Twenty-first Ward, First Division, at the house of George Roebuck, Cresson street, below Seville street." Also, insert "Sixteenth Ward, Eighth Division, at the office of Jacob Kohle, No. 1005 North Third street."

Mr. Rowan,

Chairman of the Committee on Highways, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Sixteenth street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward." (*Appendix No. 78.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill

annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the grading of Trenton avenue, in the Nineteenth and Twenty-fifth Wards." (*Appendix No. 79.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the paving of Sixteenth street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward." (*Appendix No. 80.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the paving of Trenton avenue, in the Nineteenth and Twenty-fifth Wards." (*Appendix No. 81.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the grading of Dauphin and Twenty-seventh streets." (*Appendix No. 82.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the grading of Clearfield street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward." (*Appendix No. 83.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill

annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the grading of Almond and other streets." (*Appendix No. 84.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Mr. Glenn,

Chairman of the Committee on Police, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance supplementary to an Ordinance to create a Department of Police, approved November 15th, 1855, providing for the appointment of two additional Sergeants of Police." (*Appendix No. 85.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Mr. Bardsley

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay damages caused by the opening of Robin street, and the widening of Thirty-fourth street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Budd, Caven, Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Ladner, Lippincott, J. C. Martin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Siner, Slack, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—53.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the City Solicitor to satisfy a judgment against the Keystone Bridge Company and others."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Clouds, S. C. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Ladner, Lippincott, J. Martin, McMorris, McMullin, Mouat, Quin, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Siner, Slack, Tatem, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—44.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill en-

titled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation for fitting up rooms for office of the Register of Wills."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonsall, Budd, Cartledge, Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, McMorris, McMullin, Mouat, Myers, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—48.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the resolution entitled "Resolution to publish a loan bill for storage reservoir."

Which was agreed to.

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Chief Commissioner of Highways to draw warrants in payment of salaries of the Supervisors of Highways."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Budd, Cartledge Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Lippincott, J. C. Martin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—45.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Chief Commissioner of Highways to construct a trunk."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonsall, Budd, Cartledge, Clouds, S. C. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Hall, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, Klohse, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, McMorris, McMullin, Mouat, Myers, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—47.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Tree, Swain, Forty-seventh, Twenty-eighth, Thirtieth, Twenty-seventh and Bailey streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Budd, Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Hall, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, McMorris, McMullin, Mouat, Myers, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton,

Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, and Henszey, *Pres't*—49.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance granting permission to Messrs. Kreider, Campbell & Co. to lay a pipe."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Cartledge, Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Garwood, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, McMorris, McMullin, Monat, Myers, Quin, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Russell, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—51.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill en-

titled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Grape street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Caven, Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Doebly, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, McMorris, McMullin, Mouat, Myers, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—53.

NAYS—Mr. Quin—1.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

JOINT CONVENTION.

Select Council being introduced, and Councils being assembled in Joint Convention,

Mr. Downing, President of Select Council, in the chair,

Announced the object of the Joint Convention to be the election of a Chief Commissioner of Highways, Chief Engineer of the Water Works, and Commissioner of Markets and City Property, and announced nominations for Chief Commissioner of Highways to be in order.

Mr. J. C. Martin

Nominated John L. Hill.

Mr. Caven

Nominated Mahlon H. Dickinson.

The Clerks, acting as tellers, reported that 72 votes had been, cast as follows :

Select Council,

Messrs. Albright, Bradly, Bumm, Burnell, Clifford, Eno, Fox, Gates, Glass, Hill, Jones, McAdam, McDowell, Miskey, Park, Shoemaker, Smith, Spering, Wilson, and Downing, *Pres't*,

20, voted for John L. Hill.

Common Council,

Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, Klauder, Klohse, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, McMorris, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*,

51, voted for John L. Hill.

Common Council,

Mr. Caven,

1, voted for Mahlon H. Dickinson.

John L. Hill having received a majority of all the votes cast, was declared elected Chief Commissioner of Highways for the ensuing term.

Nominations were declared to be in order for Chief Engineer of the Water Works.

Mr. J. C. Martin

Nominated William H. McFadden.

There being no other nominations,

Mr. Marcus

Moved that William H. McFadden be elected Chief Engineer of the Water Works by acclamation.

Which was unanimously agreed to.

And Wm. H. McFadden was declared unanimously elected Chief Engineer of the Water Works for the ensuing term.

Nominations were declared to be in order for Commissioner of Markets and City Property.

Mr. J. C. Martin

Nominated Wm. Dixey.

There being no other nominations,

Mr. Doebley

Moved that Wm. Dixey be elected Commissioner of Markets and City Property by acclamation.

Which was unanimously agreed to.

And Wm. Dixey was declared unanimously elected Commissioner of Markets and City Property for the ensuing term.

The purposes for which the Joint Convention had assembled having been accomplished, Select Council retired.

The President

Presented a bill entitled "An Ordinance to approve the sureties of John L. Hill, Chief Commissioners of Highways elect."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also,

Presented a bill entitled "An Ordinance to approve the sureties of William Dixey, Commissioner of Markets and City Property elect."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Clifton, Chatham, Almond and Gaul streets, Hart lane, Eighth, Boudinot, Miller and Division streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Caven

Moved to postpone the bill for the present.

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Clouds

Moved to strike out the words "who shall be selected by a majority of the owners of property fronting on the following streets."

Which was not agreed to.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Budd, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. Martin, McMullin, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Siner, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—46.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Cambria, Oxford, Bolton, Redner, Turner, Somerset, Marshall, Dauphin, Girard avenue, Twenty-fifth and Boudinot streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. D. W. Gilbert

Moved to strike out all that relates to Boudinot street.

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was read.

Mr. D. W. Gilbert

Moved to amend by striking out all relating to Boudinot street.

Which was agreed to.

The title as amended was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Bardsley, Budd, S. C. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—40.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Somerset and Cambria streets, Girard avenue, Fleeson, Forty-nine-and-half, Twenty-fifth, Boudinot, Dauphin and Leamy streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. D. W. Gilbert

Moved to strike out all that relates to Boudinot street.

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was read.

Mr. D. W. Gilbert

Moved to amend the title by striking out all relating to Boudinot street.

Which was agreed to.

The title as amended was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Cartledge, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Dorlan, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, McMullin, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Sines, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—40.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Franklin street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was agreed to

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, S. C. Collins, Currie, Davis, Dorlan, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, James, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, McMullin, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Siner, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Uhler, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—38.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill en-

titled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Tackawanna street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Bardsley, Budd, Cooper, Currie, Dorlan, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, McMullin, Myers, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Siner, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Uhler, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—38.

NAYS—Mr. Quin—1.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Thirty-seventh, Aspen, Thirty-sixth, Clearfield, and Eadline streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, S. C. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Dorlan, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, James, Jamison, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. C. Martin, McMullin, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Siner, Slack, Subers, Thornton, Uhler, Weir, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—36.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Fiftieth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.”

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Budd, Clouds, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, Mouat, Myers, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Siner, Slack, Subers, Thornton, Uhler, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—39.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Girard avenue, in the Twenty-ninth Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Budd, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Dorlan, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Salter, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Uhler, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—40.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Sixty-third street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Budd, S. C. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. C. Martin, McMullin, Mouat, Myers, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Siner, Slack, Subers, Uhler, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—35.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance instructing the Chief Commissioner of Highways to notify the owners of property on Twenty-sixth street, from Pennsylvania avenue to Brown street, and on north side of Pennsylvania avenue, from Coates to Twenty-sixth street, to grade and pave footways."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Clouds, S. C. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Dorlan, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, James, Jamison, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Laughlin, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, McMullin, Mouat, Myers, Salter, Siner, Slack, Subers, Uhler, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—35.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to repeal a portion of an Ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers on Cuyler, Twenty-sixth, Fortieth, Forty-first, Wright, Race, Filson, Foulkrod, Seventeenth and Wharton streets, and Elm and Girard avenues, and Master street.'"

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Budd, Clouds, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Dorlan, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, James, Jamison, J. Kennedy, Laughlin, J. C. Martin, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Salter, Siner, Slack, Subers, Uhler,

Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—35.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Twenty-third, Media, Fifty-second and Forty-sixth streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Hall

Moved to strike out the words "*Provided*, The owners of property on the last three named streets first dedicate the same to the use of the City."

Mr. Thornton

Moved to postpone the bill for the present.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Bardsley (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the General Assembly relative to the Pipe line bill." (*Appendix No. 86.*)

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Thornton, (on leave,)

Chairman of the Committee on Surveys, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance for the

placing of certain streets upon the plan of the City." (*Appendix No. 87.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Council proceeded to the second reading of a resolution from Select Council entitled "Resolution of request to the General Assembly of Pennsylvania to pass an act fixing the time of the organization of the legislative and executive departments of the cities of this Commonwealth."

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of a resolution from Select Council entitled "Resolution of instruction to the Committee on Railroads relative to the act now before the General Assembly regulating passenger railways in the City of Philadelphia."

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit:

"An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay damages caused by the opening of Robin street and the widening of Thirty-fourth street," by the following vote: yeas 21, nays 1.

"An Ordinance to authorize the City Solicitor to satisfy a judgment against the Keystone Bridge Company and others."

"An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Grape street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward."

“An Ordinance authorizing the Chief Commissioner of Highways to draw warrants in payment of salaries of the Supervisors of Highways.”

“An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Tree, Swain, Forty-seventh, Twenty-eighth, Thirtieth, Twenty-seventh, and Bailey streets.”

“Resolution to meet in Joint Convention to elect Heads of Departments.”

Mr. Clouds

Moved that Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

And Council adjourned.

Thursday, February 25, 1875.

Council met—Members present :

Messrs. Allen,
Bardsley,
Bonham,
Budd,
Cartledge,
Caven,
Clouds,
Collins, S. C.
Collins, W. B.
Cooper,
Currie,
Davis,
Dorlan,
Gegan,
Gibson,
Gilbert, D. W.
Glenn,
Hall,
Hayhurst,
James,
Jamison,
Judge,
Kennedy, J.
Klauder,
Klohse,
Ladner,
Laughlin,

Messrs. Lippincott,
Lyster,
Martin, J.
Martin, J. C.
Martin, J. J.
McGuckin,
McMorris,
McMullin,
Miller,
Mouat,
Myers,
Quin,
Rittenhouse,
Rowan,
Russell,
Salter,
Siner,
Slack,
Sutton,
Tatem,
Vories,
Weir,
White,
Widener,
Williamson,
Wright,
Henszey, *Pres't.*

Mr. Dorlan

Presented the following, to wit :

City and County of Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, *February 24, 1875.*

Mr. WILLIAM BALDWIN,

SIR:—At an Election held February 16th, 1875, you were duly elected to the office of Common Council of the Twentieth Ward, unexpired term.

[SEAL.]

JAMES PENN MACCAIN,
Pro Prothonotary.

Mr. Ladner

Presented the following, to wit :

City and County of Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, *February 24, 1875.*

Mr. EDWARD MATHEWS,

SIR:—At an Election held February 16th, 1875, you were duly elected to the office of Common Council of the Eleventh Ward, unexpired term.

[SEAL.]

JAMES PENN MACCAIN,
Pro Prothonotary.

Messrs. Baldwin & Mathews appeared before the Clerk's desk, and were duly qualified by the President, and took their seats as members.

The President

Presented a communication from Jonathan H. Pugh, Commissioner of Markets and City Property, relative to the lease of the building of the American Philosophical Society. (*Appendix No. 83.*)

Which was referred to the Committee on City Property.

Also,

Presented a communication from the City Commissioners, with a bill annexed, relative to an appropriation to pay for ballot boxes for the late election.

Which were referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also,

Presented a communication from Henry W. Arey, Secretary of the Board of Directors of City Trust, submitting the report of that body for the year 1874.

Which was laid on the table.

Also,

Presented a communication from John H. Campbell and others, inviting Councils to the Centennial demonstration of the Catholic Total Abstinence Union of the Diocese of Philadelphia, at the Academy of Music, on the evening of March 3d, 1875.

Mr. Rowan

Moved that the invitation be accepted.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Slack

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property in the First Ward for water pipe on Eighth street, from Mifflin street to McKean street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the First Ward for the grading and paving of Eighth street, from Mifflin street to McKean street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Gibson (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to authorize the repaving and tramwaying of Oliver street, in the Second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Bardsley

Presented a petition of Wm. Struthers, & Sons asking permission to lay a railroad track from Walnut street wharf, Schuylkill, to connect with City railroad on Market street.

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. Russell (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the City Commissioners to pay the overseers of the February election, 1875."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Ladner

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-seventh Ward for the extension of time for the paving and grading of the sidewalks on Chestnut street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Caven

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Fourteenth Ward for a sewer on Myrtle street, from Twelfth street to Thirteenth street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance for the construction of a sewer on Corinthian avenue, from Parrish

street to Girard avenue, in the Fifteenth and Twenty-ninth Wards."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repeal a portion of an Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers on Race, Cuthbert, Forty-second, Myrtle and Race streets, Elm avenue and Walnut street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Glenn (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Hestonville, Mantua and Fairmount Passenger Railway Company to lay a track on Twenty-first street, from Cal-lowhill to Spring Garden street, so as to connect with their tracks on said streets."

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. Miller (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Chief Engineer and Surveyor relative to changing the form of branch sewers from circular to parabola."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the repaving of Vine street, from Front street to Delaware avenue, with Belgian pavement."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Nineteenth Ward for the erection of a temporary wooden chapel on the east side of Fifth street, and north of Huntingdon street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Police.

Mr. Baldwin (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Chief Engineer and Surveyor for plans for a bridge over Ninth street, at Columbia avenue, Twentieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the laying of a pipe across Girard avenue, at Warnock street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate gas lamps on Broad street and Girard avenue."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Carlisle street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Widener (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gas lamp in front of the property No. 1006 Marshall street, in the Twentieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Wright

Presented a remonstrance of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-third Ward against the paving of Edward street, in the said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Chief Commissioner of Highways to pave footways on Lesher street, Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Jamison

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-fourth Ward for the grading of Brooklyn street, from Hutton street to Westminster avenue, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Hall (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to grade Woodland avenue, at the Mill creek sewer."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Klohse

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-sixth Ward for the opening of Tasker street, from Passyunk road westward to the point where said Tasker street is paved, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Rowan (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate gas lamps in the Twenty-seventh Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Bonham (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Thompson street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Markets and City Property, with a resolution annexed entitled "Resolution relative to the retirement of Jonathan H. Pugh from the office of Commissioner of Markets and City Property, which they had passed, and in which they asked concurrence.

Also,

That they had received a report from the Committee on Schools, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the purchase of lots of ground on the lower side of Haines street, in the Twenty-second Ward, for school purposes, and to make an appropriation therefor," which they had passed, and in which they asked concurrence.

Also,

That they had passed a resolution entitled "Resolution of thanks to Mahlon H. Dickinson, retiring Chief Commissioner of Highways," in which they asked concurrence.

Mr. Bardsley, (on leave,)

Chairman of the Committee on Finance, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to create a loan for the building of main sewers in the City of Philadelphia, and resolution to publish a loan bill for sewers." (*Appendix No. 89.*)

Which were laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize satisfaction to be entered on the official bond of Samuel P. Hancock." (*Appendix No. 90.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to create a loan for the

improvement of Fairmount Park, and the construction of bridges across the river Schuylkill," and "Resolution to publish a Park loan bill." (*Appendix No. 91.*)

Which were laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay damages caused by the opening of Paschall, Forty-fourth, Huron (or Aspen) streets, and the widening of Hamilton street." (*Appendix No. 92.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to release the property of John Valdey from the lien of a certain judgment." (*Appendix No. 93.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to approve the sureties of John L. Hill, Chief Commissioner of Highways elect." (*Appendix No. 94.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, reporting back a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Germantown Passenger Railway Company to extend their tracks to connect with Girard Avenue Bridge, and to grant said company the privilege of running cars over said bridge, and requesting that it be referred to the Committee on Railroads."

Which was so referred.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to approve the sureties of Wm. Dixey, Commissioner of Markets and City Property elect." (*Appendix No. 95.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to approve the sureties of Benjamin Shallcross, Receiver of Taxes of the Twenty-third Ward." (*Appendix No. 96.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to enter satisfaction on the official bond of Alexander McCuen, City Commissioner elect." (*Appendix No. 97.*)

Which was laid over and ordered to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to create a loan for the building of bridges in the City of Philadelphia," and "Resolution to publish a loan bill for bridges." (*Appendix No. 98.*)

Which were laid over and ordered to be printed.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Somerset street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Clouds

Moved to postpone further consideration of the bill for one week.

Which was not agreed to.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Cartledge, Cooper, Currie, Dorlan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, J. Kennedy, Klohse, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Quin, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Russell, Siner, Slack, Sutton, Tatem, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—36.

NAYS—Messrs. Clouds and Judge—2.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Pine, Wyoming, Anthracite and Salmon streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Lyster

Moved to strike out all that relates to Pine street.

Which was not agreed to.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Lippincott, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Quin, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Siner, Slack, Sutton, Tatem, Vories, Weir, White, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—36.

NAYS—Messrs. Caven, Clouds, Gibson, Lyster, and Widener—5.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to amend a resolution entitled 'Resolution authorizing the opening of Somerset, Sixty-one-and-a-half, Sixty-two-and-a-half, Arch, Race and Crawford streets.'"

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Budd, Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Dorlan, Gegan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Rittenhouse, Russell, Salter, Slack, Sutton, Tatem, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—46.

NAYS—Mr. Quin—1.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to amend a resolution entitled 'Resolution to authorize the paving of market plots on Lehigh avenue,' " passed December 30th, 1873.

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, W. B. Collins, Currie, Davis, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, James, Judge, J. Kennedy, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. C. Martin, Matthews, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Slack, Sutton,

Tatem, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—37.

NAYS—Mr. Lyster—1.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Almond, Miller, Hancock, Chatham, Division, Gaul, Eighth and Boudinot streets, Wheat Sheaf and Hart lanes."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Clouds, S. C. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Dorlan, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, Klohse, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, Matthews, Miller, Mouat, Quin, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Siner, Slack, Sutton, Tatem, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, and Henszey, *Pres't*—41.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit:

“An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Franklin street, in the Twenty-third Ward.”

“An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Girard avenue, in the Twenty-ninth Ward.”

“An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Tackawanna street, in the Twenty-third Ward.”

“An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Somerset and Cambria streets, Girard avenue, Fleeson, Forty-nine-and-a-half, Twenty-fifth, Dauphin and Leamy streets.”

“An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Cambria, Oxford, Bolton, Redner, Turner, Somerset, Marshall, Dauphin, Girard avenue and Twenty-fifth street.”

“Resolution of request to the General Assembly relative to the Pipe Line bill.”

The President

Announced that he had appointed Mr. Baldwin on the Committees of Finance, Railroads, City Property, and Verify Cash Accounts of the City Treasurer, to fill vacancies.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Park avenue, in the Twenty-eighth Ward.”

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Glenn

Moved to amend by inserting: “*Provided*, The owners of property in the vicinity of said street first file a satisfactory bond with the City Solicitor, indemnifying the City against any damages exceeding forty thousand dollars.”

Mr. Budd

Moved to amend the amendment to strike out "forty thousand dollars" and insert "five hundred dollars."

Mr. Klauder

Moved that the further consideration of the bill be postponed, and that it be made the special order for Thursday afternoon next, at four-and-half o'clock.

Mr. Glenn

Moved that the further consideration of the bill be indefinitely postponed.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Glenn, seconded by Mr. W. B. Collins, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bonham, Budd, Caven, Clouds, W. B. Collins, Currie, Davis, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, Klauder, J. Martin, Matthews, Myers, Quin, Rittenhouse, Salter, Siner, Sutton, Tatem, White, Widener, Williamson, and Henszey, *Pres't*—29.

NAYS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, S. C. Collins, Cooper, Dorlan, Gegan, Gibson, Ladner, Lippincott, Lyster, J. J. Martin, McMullin, Miller, Rowan, Russell, Slack, Vories, and Wright—18.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Glenn, seconded by Mr. Myers,

Moved to reconsider the vote by which the motion to indefinitely postpone the further consideration of the bill was agreed to.

Mr. Currie

Moved to lay the motion to reconsider on the table.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Currie, seconded by Mr. Williamson, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Bonham, Budd, Clouds, W. B. Collins, Currie, Davis, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, Klohse, J. Martin, Matthews, Myers, Quin, Rittenhouse, Salter, Siner, Sutton, Tatem, White, Widener, Williamson, and Henszey, *Pres't*—27.

NAYS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Lippincott, and Wright—4.

A quorum of the members not voting,

The President

Ordered a call of the House, when the following members answered to their names :

Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Clouds, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Gegan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Ladner, Lippincott, J. Martin, Matthews, Miller, Myers, Quin, Rittenhouse, Russell, Salter, Siner, Sutton, Tatem, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—40.

A quorum of the members answering to their names,

The President

Ordered the yeas and nays to be called on the motion to lay the motion to reconsider on the table, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bonham, Clouds, W. B. Collins, Currie, Davis, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, Klohse, J. Martin, Matthews, Myers, Quin, Rittenhouse, Salter, Siner, Sutton, Tatem, White, Widener, Williamson, and Henszey, *Pres't*—27.

NAYS—Mr. Wright—1.

A quorum of the members not voting,

The President

Again ordered a call of the House, when the following members answered to their names :

Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Clouds, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Ladner, Lippincott, J. Martin, Matthews, Miller, Myers, Quin, Rittenhouse, Salter, Siner, Sutton, Tatem, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—36.

A quorum of members answering to their names,

The President

Again ordered the yeas and nays to be called on the motion to lay the motion to reconsider on the table, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bonham, Clouds, W. B. Collins, Currie, Davis, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, Klohse, J. Martin, Matthews, Myers, Quin, Rittenhouse, Salter, Siner, Sutton, Tatem, White, Widener, Williamson, and Henszey, *Pres't*—27.

NAYS—Messrs. Bardsley and Wright—2.

A quorum of the members not voting,

The President

Again ordered a call of the House, when the following members answered to their names :

Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Ladner, Matthews, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rittenhouse, Russell, Salter, Siner, Sutton, Tatem, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—37.

A quorum of members answering to their names,

The President

Again ordered the yeas and nays to be called on the motion to lay the motion to reconsider on the table, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bonham, Clouds, W. B. Collins, Currie, Davis, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, Klohse, J. Martin, Matthews, Myers, Quin, Rittenhouse, Salter, Siner, Sutton, Tatem, White, Widener, Williamson, and Henszey, *Pres't*—27.

NAYS—Messrs. Bardsley and Wright—2.

A quorum of the members not voting,

The President

Again ordered a call of the House, when the following members answered to their names :

Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Clouds, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, Klohse, J. Martin, Matthews, Miller, Myers, Quin, Rittenhouse, Russell, Salter, Siner, Sutton, Tatem, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—34.

A quorum of the members not answering to their names, and it being evident that a quorum of members were present,

The President

Again ordered the yeas and nays to be called on the motion to lay the motion to reconsider on the table, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bonham, Budd, Clouds, W. B. Collins, Currie, Davis, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, Klohse, J. Martin, Matthews, Myers, Quin, Rittenhouse, Salter, Siner, Sutton, Tatem, White, Widener, Williamson, and Henszey, *Pres't*—28.

NAYS—Messrs. Bardsley and Wright—2.

A quorum of the members not voting,

The President

Again ordered a call of the House, when the following members answered to their names :

Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Clouds, W. B. Collins, Currie, Davis, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, James, Judge, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, J. Martin, Matthews, Miller, Myers, Quin, Rittenhouse, Salter, Siner, Sutton, Tatem, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—31.

A quorum of members not answering to their names,

The President

Again ordered the yeas and nays to be called on the motion to lay the motion to reconsider on the table, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bonham, Budd, Clouds, W. B. Collins, Currie, Davis, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, Klohse, J. Martin, Matthews, Myers, Quin, Rittenhouse, Salter, Siner, Sutton, Tatem, White, Widener, Williamson, and Henszey, *Pres't*—28.

NAYS—Messrs. Bardsley and Wright—2.

A quorum of the members not voting,

The President

Again ordered a call of the House, when the following members answered to their names :

Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Clouds, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Davis, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, James, Judge, J. Kennedy, Klohse, J. Martin, Matthews, Miller, Quin, Rittenhouse, Salter, Siner, Sutton, Tatem, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—31.

A quorum of members not answering to their names,

The President

Again ordered the yeas and nays to be called on the motion to lay the motion to reconsider on the table, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bonham, Budd, Clouds, W. B. Collins, Currie, Davis, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, Klobse, J. Martin, Matthews, Myers, Quin, Rittenhouse, Salter, Siner, Sutton, Tatem, White, Widener, Williamson, and Henszey, *Pres't*—23.

NAYS—Messrs. Bardsley and Wright—2.

A quorum of members not voting,

And the hour of seven o'clock having arrived,

The President

Declared Council adjourned.

Thursday, March 4, 1875.

Council met—Members present:

Messrs. Allen,
Baldwin,
Bardsley
Bonham,
Budd,
Cartledge,
Caven,
Clouds,
Collins, S. C.
Collins, W. B.
Cooper,
Currie,
Davis,
Divine,
Doebly,
Dorlan,
Garwood,
Gegan,
Gibson,
Gilbert, D. W.
Gilbert, J. C.
Glenn,
Hall,
Hanby,
Hayhurst,
James,
Jamison,
Judge,
Kaney,
Kennedy, J.
Kennedy, J. H.
Klauder,
Klohse,

Messrs. Ladner,
Lippincott,
Lyster,
Martin, J.
Martin, J. C.
Martin, J. J.
Matthews,
McGuckin,
McMorris,
McMullin,
Miller,
Monat,
Myers,
Quin,
Rittenhouse,
Rowan,
Russell,
Salter,
Schafer,
Siner,
Slack,
Subers,
Sutton,
Tatem,
Thornton,
Uhler,
Vories,
Weir,
White,
Widener,
Williamson,
Wright,
Henszey, *Pres't.*

Mr. Gibson

Called the attention of the President to the Journal of last meeting, containing the reports of the Committee on Finance, when he had not observed the presentation of any reports during the session.

The President

Stated that since the passage of the bill 69, it had been the practice to enter the reports on the Journal without having been formally presented and read by the Clerk, and such a course had been sanctioned by Common Council, but hereafter the reports should be regularly presented.

Mr. Gibson

Moved that the reports presented at the last meeting be stricken from the Journal.

Which was not agreed to.

The President

Presented a communication from the City Commissioners, with a bill annexed, relative to a special appropriation of \$3,253.35, to pay for election and other expenses.

Which were referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also,

Presented a communication from Jonathan H. Pugh, Commissioner of Markets and City Property, relative to the refitting of rooms lately occupied by the Water Department for court purposes, and asking an appropriation therefor. (*Appendix No. 99.*)

Which was read and laid on the table.

Mr. Slack (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gas lamp in the First Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Mouat (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to allow the Mayor to use such means as he may see proper to prevent the ice gorge in the Schuylkill river." (*Appendix No. 100.*)

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Board of Fire Commissioners."

Which was referred to the Committee on Fire Department.

Mr. Bardsley

Presented a communication from James Work, Registrar of the Water Department, submitting the name of Charles D. Thomas as surety, in place of Geo. Woelpper.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to approve the sureties of Henry C. Selby, Registrar of the Water Department."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Bardsley (on leave)

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to approve the sureties of John L. Hill, Chief Commissioner of Highways elect."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Cartledge, Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Divine, Doebley, Garwood, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klohse, Ladner, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—61.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also, (on leave,)

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to approve the sureties of William Dixey, Commissioner of Markets and City Property elect."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Davis, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan,

J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klohse, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—58.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also, (on leave,)

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to approve the sureties of Benjamin Shallcross, Receiver of Taxes of the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Clouds, S. C. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Divine, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. H. Kennedy, Klohse, Ladner, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—57.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also, (on leave,)

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to release the property of John Valdey from the lien of a certain judgment."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Clouds, S. C. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Divine, Garwood, Gegan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klohse, Ladner, Lippincott, Lyster, J. C. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Russell, Siner, Slack, Subers, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—54.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Mr. Glenn (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer on Hamilton street, from Twenty-fourth to Twenty-fifth street, in the Fifteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Caven (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repeal a portion of an Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers on Cuyler, Twenty sixth, Fortieth, Forty-first, Wright, Race, Filson, Foulkrod, Seventeenth and Whar-ton streets, and Elm and Girard avenues, and Master street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Hayhurst

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Sixteenth Ward, and an Ordinance for the construction of a sewer on Second street, from Laurel street to a point south of Poplar street, in said Ward.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Doebley

Presented a remonstrance of citizens and property owners of the Eighteenth Ward against the opening of Girard avenue, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Miller (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Finance Committee to provide a digest of laws and Ordinances relating to the City."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Dorlan (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer on Twenty-second street, between College avenue and Stewart street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Baldwin

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners on Market street and Front street, asking for the repaving of Market street, from Front street to the river Delaware.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to prohibit the paving streets with rubble pavement."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Trustees of the City Ice Boat." (*Appendix No. 101.*)

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Chief Engineer and Surveyor relative to a bridge over the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad at Columbia avenue."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Hall (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gas lamps in the Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to build a main sewer on Marion avenue, from Belmont avenue to Fiftieth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Lyster (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Department of Water to lay water pipe in Powelton avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Mr. Jamison

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property in the Twenty-fourth Ward for water pipe on Grape street, from Thirty-fifth street to Thirty-sixth street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to lay water pipe on Sycamore street, between Thirty-eighth street and Thirty-ninth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property in the Twenty-fourth Ward for water pipe on Jefferson street, from Belmont avenue to Columbia avenue, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Mr. James (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gas lamps in the Twenty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Thornton (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Committee on Election Divisions to number the election divisions in the Twenty-sixth and Thirtieth Wards."

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay the salaries of magistrates for the year 1875."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also,

Presented a remonstrance of citizens and property owners of the Fifteenth Ward against the construction of a culvert on Cuyler street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Rowan

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners for the paving of Park avenue, from Twenty-second street to Thirty-third street.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Klauder (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance establishing a public bath at Callowhill Street Bridge, Schuylkill river."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repeal an Ordinance prohibiting the paving of streets before water pipe is laid, so far as the same relates to Berks street, from Thirteenth street to Broad street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Mr. Hanby (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gas lamp in the Twenty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Miller, (on leave,)

Chairman of the Special Committee on Reorganization of the Board of Health, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to reorganize the Board of Health." (*Appendix No. 102.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Councils resumed the consideration of the bill entitled "An Ordinance providing for the opening of Park avenue, in the Twenty-eighth Ward," which was under consideration at the adjournment of last meeting.

The question being to lay the motion to reconsider the vote by which the motion to indefinitely postpone the further consideration of the bill was agreed to, on the table,

The President

Ordered the yeas and nays to be called on the motion to lay the motion to reconsider on the table, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Bonham, Budd, Clouds, W. B. Collins, Currie, Davis, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klohse, J. Martin, Matthews, Myers, Quin, Rittenhouse, Salter, Siner, Subers, Sutton, Thornton, Uhler, Weir, White, Widener, and Williamson—31.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Cartledge, Caven, S. C. Collins, Cooper, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, Gegan, Gibson, Hall, Hanby, Kaney, Klaulder, Ladner, Lippincott, Lyster, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, McGuckin,

McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Rowan, Russell, Schafer, Slack, Vories, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—33.

Which was not agreed to.

The question being on the motion to reconsider,

Mr. Quin

Moved that Mr. Glenn have leave to withdraw the motion.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Glenn, seconded by Mr. Williamson, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bonham, Budd, Clouds, W. B. Collins, Currie, Divine, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klohse, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, Matthews, Myers, Quin, Rittenhouse, Salter, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, White, and Williamson—32.

NAYS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Cartledge, Caven, S. C. Collins, Cooper, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, Gegan, Gibson, Hall, Hanby, Kaney, Klauder, Ladner, Lippincott, Lyster, J. J. Martin, McGuckin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Rowan, Russell, Schafer, Vories, Weir, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—32.

Which was not agreed to.

The question being on the motion to reconsider,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Glenn, seconded by Mr. Quin, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Cartledge, Caven, S. C. Collins, Cooper, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, Gibson, Hall, Hanby, Kaney, Klauder, Ladner, Lippincott, Lyster, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, McGuckin, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Rowan, Russell, Schafer, Slack, Vories, Weir, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—32.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Bonham, Budd, Clouds, W. B. Collins, Currie, Davis, Divine, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klohse, J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, Myers, Quin, Rittenhouse, Salter, Siner, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, and Williamson—33.

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to proceed to the consideration of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Chief Commissioner of Highways to draw a warrant in favor of Benjamin F. Dutton."

The question being on the title as amended,

It was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Clouds, W. B. Collins, Currie, Davis, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klohse, Lippincott, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMullin, Miller, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, Widener, Williamson, and Henszey, *Pres't*—52.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Fiftieth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to strike out the words "who shall be selected by a majority of the owners of property fronting on."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Clouds, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Judge, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klohse, Ladner, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. J. Martin, McMullin, Miller, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Russell, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Vories, White, Widener, and Henszey, *Pres't*—42.

NAYS—Mr. Quin—1.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance for the grading of Forty-sixth street, in the Twenty-seventh Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Budd, Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Judge, J. H. Kennedy, Ladner, Lippincott, J. C. Martin, Matthews, McMullin, Rittenhouse, Russell, Slack, Subers, Vories, White, Widener, Williamson, and Henszey, *Pres't*—35.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also, (on leave,)

Chairman of the Committee on Highways, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay for rock cutting on Cambridge or Gross street." (*Appendix No. 103.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving

of Seventeenth street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward." (*Appendix No. 104.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to amend an Ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Columbia avenue, Jefferson, Forty-second and Foulkrod streets.'" (*Appendix No. 105.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Moyer, Franklin, Eighth, Huntingdon and Orianna streets." (*Appendix No. 106.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Ormes and Stillman streets." (*Appendix No. 107.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Dickinson street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward." (*Appendix No. 108.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Dickinson street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward." (*Appendix No. 109.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Thomas, Lex, Alter, Grape and Orchard streets." (*Appendix No. 110.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Franklin, Eighth, Huntingdon, Oriana and Mifflin streets, and Moyamensing avenue." (*Appendix No. 111.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Sergeant, Orchard, Lex, Thomas, Alter, Edward, Grape and Ormes streets." (*Appendix No. 112.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Seventeenth street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward." (*Appendix No. 113.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Myrtle street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward." (*Appendix No. 114.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Council proceeded to the second reading of a resolution from Select Council entitled "Resolution of thanks to Mahlon H. Dickinson, retiring Chief Commissioner of Highways."

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of a resolution from Select Council entitled "Resolution relative to the retirement of Jonathan H. Pugh from the office of Commissioner of Markets and City Property."

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the bill from Select Council entitled "An Ordinance directing the Commissioner of Markets and City Property to notify Post No. 2 of the Grand Army of the Republic, to vacate the second-story of Spring Garden Hall, and appropriating five thousand two hundred dollars to pay for fitting up the same for the use of the Water Department."

The first section was again read.

Mr. Glenn

Moved to amend by striking out all after the words "do ordain," and insert the following, viz.: "That the sum of five thousand two hundred dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated for the purpose of fitting up Spring Garden Hall for the use of the Water Department, all bills for the same to be first approved by the Commissioner of Markets and City Property and the Chief Engineer of the Water Department; the said five thousand two hundred

dollars, above appropriated, to be taken from Item 34 of the appropriation to the Department for Supplying the City with Water, approved December 31st, 1874. *Provided*, That the military company occupying the third floor be reimbursed to an amount not exceeding two hundred dollars, for expenses incurred in repairing the quarters occupied by them in the hall. Bills for the same to be first approved by the Mayor and Commissioner of Markets and City Property, before being paid out of the five thousand two hundred dollars appropriated in this section. All warrants to be drawn by the Chief Engineer of the Water Department."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The second section was again read.

The question being on the second section,

It was not agreed to.

The title was read.

Mr. Glenn

Moved to amend by striking out the words "to notify Post No. 2 of the G. A. R. to vacate the second-story of," and inserting the words "to fit up."

Which was agreed to.

The bill was laid over to print the amendments.

Mr. Thornton

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to place upon the public plans Cantrell street, Delancey place, Bambrey street, Swain street, Fleeson street, Highland avenue, Ashland avenue, Clementine street, Andrew street, Lingo street, Mt. Holly street, Fernon street, Webster street, St. Alban's place, Widener

street, Fountain street, Bolton street, Turner street, Redner street, and Alter street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Budd, Cartledge, Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Currie, Davis, Dorlan, Gegan, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, Matthews, McMullin, Miller, Quin, Russell, Salter, Subers, Thornton, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—37.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also, (on leave,)

Chairman of the Committee on Surveys presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the extension of the Girard avenue sewer, in the Twenty-fourth Ward." (*Appendix No. 115.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers on Commerce and Norris streets, and on an alley situate on the west side of Jacoby street, about

one hundred feet south of Monterey street." (*Appendix No. 116.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to locate Hart street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, upon the plan of the City." (*Appendix No. 117.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to revise the lines and grades upon plan No. 123." (*Appendix No. 118.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to revise the grades upon Ruscomb street, in the Twenty-second Ward." (*Appendix No. 119.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to place Peal street, in the Twenty-second Ward, upon the City plan." (*Appendix No. 120.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize a revision of the lines and grades in a portion of the Twenty-seventh Ward." (*Appendix No. 121.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Glenn, (on leave,)

Chairman of the Committee on Police, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance granting permission to Mahlon Schock and others to erect a temporary frame chapel on the east side of Fifth street, north of Huntingdon street, in the Nineteenth Ward." (*Appendix No. 122.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance creating a board to regulate the use of fire escapes." (*Appendix No. 123.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Bardsley

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize satisfaction to be entered on the official bond of Samuel P. Hancock."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Budd, Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Garwood, Gegan, Gibson, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Ladner, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, Miller, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—39.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay damages caused by the opening of Pasehall, Forty-fourth, Huron (or Aspen) streets, and the widening of Hamilton street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Caven, Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Judge, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Ladner, J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, Russell, Siner, Slack, Subers, Uhler, Vories, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—37.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to enter satisfaction on the official bond of Alexander McCuen, City Commissioner."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Caven, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Lyster, J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Rowan, Russell, Siner, Slack, Subers, Thornton, Uhler, White Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—46.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the resolution entitled "Resolution to publish a loan bill for sewers."

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the resolution entitled "Resolution to publish a Park loan bill."

The resolution was again read.

Mr. Lyster

Moved to postpone the further consideration of the resolution, and that it be made the special order for Thursday afternoon next, at four-and-a-half o'clock.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Bardsley

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the resolution entitled "Resolution to publish a loan bill for bridges."

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Joint Committees on Centennial Anniversary and City Property, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to dedicate and set apart a site in Independence Square for a monument emblematic of Liberty," which they had passed, and in which they asked concurrence.

Also,

That they had concurred in the following, to wit: "An Ordinance to make an appropriation for fitting up rooms for the office of Register of Wills" with the following amendment, in which they ask concurrence: amend the first and only section by inserting immediately after the words "lowest bidder" the following, to wit: "The cost of said work to be provided for, as follows: one thousand (1,000) dollars to be taken from Item 5, and one thousand (1,000) dollars from Item 6 of the annual appropriation to the Department of Markets and City Property for 1875."

Also,

That they had concurred in the following, to wit: "An Ordinance instructing the Chief Commissioner of Highways to notify the owners of property on Twenty-sixth street, Pennsylvania avenue to Brown street, and on the north side of Pennsylvania avenue, from Coates to Twenty-sixth street, to grade and pave footways," with the following amendment, in which they asked concurrence: amend the first and only section, as follows: Strike out "Coates street," and insert in place thereof, "Fairmount avenue," and amend the title accordingly.

Also,

That they had concurred in the following, to wit:

"An Ordinance to approve the sureties of Benjamin Shallcross, Receiver of Taxes of the Twenty-third Ward."

"An Ordinance to approve the sureties of William Dixey, Commissioner of Markets and City Property elect."

"An Ordinance to approve the sureties of John L. Hill, Chief Commissioner of Highways elect."

"An Ordinance to release the property of John Valdey from the lien of a certain judgment."

"An Ordinance to authorize the Chief Commissioner of Highways to draw a warrant in favor of Benj. F. Dutton."

"An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Clifton, Chatham, Almond and Gaul streets, Hart lane, Eighth, Boudinot, Miller and Division streets."

"An Ordinance to place upon the public plans Cantrell street, Delancey place, Bambrey street, Swain street, Fleeson street, Highland avenue, Ashland avenue, Clementine street, Andrew street, Lingo street, Mt. Holly street, Fernon street, Webster street, St. Alban's place, Widener street, Fountain street, Bolton street, Turner street, Redner street and Alter street."

"Resolution of request to the Trustees of the City Ice Boats."

Also,

Informed Common Council that the President of Select Council had appointed Mr. McCullough on the Committee on Police, Railroads, Fire Department, Prisons, Compare Bills, Printing and Supplies and Police and Fire-Alarm Telegraph, to fill vacancies.

The President

Announced that he had appointed Mr. Matthews on the Committee on Railroads, Election Divisions and Printing and Supplies, to fill vacancies.

Mr. S. C. Collins

Moved that Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

And Council adjourned.

Thursday, March 11, 1875.

Council met—Members present :

Messrs. Allen,
Baldwin,
Bardsley,
Bonham,
Budd,
Cartledge,
Caven,
Clouds,
Collins, S. C.
Collins, W. B.
Cooper,
Currie,
Davis,
Doebley,
Dorlan,
Garwood,
Gibson,
Gilbert, D. W.
Gilbert, J. C.
Glenn,
Hall,
Hanby,
Hayhurst,
James,
Jamison,
Judge,
Kauey,
Kennedy, J.
Klauder,
Klohse,

Messrs. Ladner,
Laughlin,
Lippincott,
Lyster,
Martin, J.
Martin, J. C.
Martin, J. J.
Matthews,
McMorris,
McMullin,
Miller,
Mouat,
Myers,
Quin,
Rittenhouse,
Rowan,
Russell,
Salter,
Schafer,
Siner,
Slack,
Subers,
Sutton,
Tatem,
Thornton,
Uhler,
Weir,
White,
Williamson,
Wright,

• Henszey, *Pres't.*

The President

Presented a communication from Samuel L. Smedley, Chief Engineer and Surveyor, relative to the grades on Girard avenue, from Thirty-first street to the river Schuylkill. (*Appendix No. 124.*)

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Slack (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Chief Commissioner of Highways relative to the repaving of Tenth street, from Mifflin street to Buck road."

Which was referred to Committee on Highways.

Mr. Quin

Presented a communication from M. J. Byrne, M. J. Fahy and others, inviting Councils to review the demonstration on St. Patrick's day next.

Mr. Quin

Moved that the invitation be accepted.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Mouat (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Board of Fire Commissioners for the purpose of purchasing the right to use and construct the extension ladder of Mrs. Scott Uda."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. J. C. Martin

Presented a petition of the Consumers Ice Company, asking permission to erect a temporary building for the storage of ice.

Which was referred to the Committee on Police.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate a gas lamp in the Eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Schafer

Presented a petition of consumers and dealers to regulate the sale of baled hay and straw.

Which was referred to the Committee on Law.

Mr. Caven (on leave)

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Fifteenth Ward, with a bill annexed, relative to the construction of a sewer on Wiley street, from Ridge avenue to Perkiomen street, in said Ward.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Hayhurst

Presented a remonstrance of citizens and property owners of the Sixteenth Ward against the construction of a culvert on Second street, above and below Poplar street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Allen (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Leopard street, northward to Thompson street, for public uses."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Miller

Presented a communication from H. H. Bingham, Clerk of the Court of Quarter Sessions, certifying the whole proceedings in the matter of the division of the Nineteenth Ward. (*Appendix No. 125.*)

Which was laid upon the table.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place Rising Sun lane, from Tenth street to Twelfth street, upon the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate a gas lamp on Adams street, between Memphis and Cedar streets, in the Thirty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Law Department to pay the expenses of dividing the Nineteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance supplemental to the Ordinance relating to nuisances," approved September 23d, 1864, providing for the removal of snow and ice from footways.

Which was referred to the Special Committee on Board of Health and Street Cleaning.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grant to Maggie E. Cooper permission to enclose the end of a brick building at the corner of Kensington avenue and Taylor street, with wood."

Which was referred to the Committee on Police.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance granting Hoover, Harris & Co. the privilege of laying a railroad

siding on America street, north of Columbia avenue, in the Nineteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. Currie

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-third Ward for the grading, curbing and paving of Gillingham street, from Hedge street to Mulberry street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Judge (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Thompson street, in the Nineteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Dorlan (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the purchase of a lot of ground at Germantown road and Huntingdon street, for fire purposes, and to make an appropriation therefor."

Which was referred to the Committee on Fire Department.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the purchase of a lot of ground on the east side of Tenth street, south of Columbia avenue, for a fire station, and to make an appropriation therefor."

Which was referred to the Committee on Fire Department.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to author-

ize the grading of Alleghany avenue, in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Alleghany avenue, in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Baldwin (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the City Solicitor relative to the entering of satisfaction on the official bond of Mahlon H. Dickinson, ex-Chief Commissioner of Highways."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twentieth Ward relative to the regulation of the curb lines on Broad street, south of Poplar street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place, a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Mayor to sell the premises at Front and Noble streets, lately occupied by the Harbor Police, Union Street Station House, Southwark and Kensington Halls, and station house at Tenth and Thompson streets."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize a loan for police purposes, and resolution to publish a loan bill for police purposes."

Which were referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Park avenue, in the Twenty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Wright (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to grade Ann street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Jamison

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-fourth Ward for the grading and paving of Lower street, from Centre street to Filbert street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. McMorris (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Committee on Gas Works relative to the location of gas lamps in the Twenty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to lay water pipe on Twelfth street, from Diamond street to Lehigh avenue, in the Twenty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Mr. Rowan (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance providing for the performance of work for the City in case of emergency."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-seventh Ward for a bridge across the river Schuylkill, at Walnut street.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Bonham (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to reorganize the Department of Building Inspectors, in the City of Philadelphia."

Which was referred to the Committee on Police.

Also,

Presented a communication from Peter Lane, Jr., member of the Board of Guardians of the Poor, wherein they disclaim having anything to do with selecting Mr. Thorne as architect of Pavilion buildings at the Philadelphia Almshouse.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Miller

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to reorganize the Board of Health."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read.

Mr. Caven

Moved to postpone the further consideration of the bill, and that it be made the special order for Thursday afternoon next, at four and a-half o'clock.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Bardsley,

Chairman of the Committee on Finance, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make

an appropriation to the City Commissioners to pay the overseers of the February election of 1875." (*Appendix No. 126.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to select an architect, approve plans and specifications, and authorize proposals to be advertised for, for the building of wooden pavilions for the use of the insane and hospital department at the Philadelphia Almshouse." (*Appendix No. 127.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to approve the sureties of Henry C. Selby, Registrar of Water." (*Appendix No. 128.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay the salaries of Magistrates for the year 1875." (*Appendix No. 129.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay for the fitting up of rooms lately occupied by the Water Department." (*Appendix No. 130.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park of a sum of money now in the City Treasury, as a special fund for Park purposes." (*Appendix No. 131.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance supplementary to an Ordinance directing the Heads of Departments of the City to insert the residences and occupations of all persons placed on their pay rolls," approved December 31st, 1874. (*Appendix No. 132.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to release certain security on the bond of James Work, and to substitute other security." (*Appendix No. 133.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Rowan,

Chairman of the Committee on Highways, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Manayunk avenue, in the Twenty-first Ward." (*Appendix No. 134.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Eighth and Evangelist streets." (*Appendix No. 135.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "Resolution to discharge the Committee on Highways from the consideration of petition to grade Fifth street, Twenty-fifth Ward." (*Appendix No. 136.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Law, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to discharge the Committee on Law from the further consideration of a resolution of instruction to the Building Inspectors," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had received a further report from the same Committee, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to discharge the Committee on Law from the consideration of an Ordinance to regulate the width of tires of wheels for hauling stone and other heavy weights," which they had passed.

Council proceeded to the second reading of the bill from Select Council entitled "An Ordinance to dedicate and set apart a site in Independence Square for a monument emblematic of Liberty."

The first section was again read and agreed to.

The second section was again read and agreed to.

The third section was again read and agreed to.

The fourth section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Judge, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Russell, Schafer, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Weir, White, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—51.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Hancock and Oxford streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Caven, Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Judge, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rowan,

Russell, Schafer, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Thornton, Uhler, Weir, White, Williamson, and Henszey, *Pres't*—46.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of York street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to strike out the words "who shall be selected by a majority of the owners of property fronting on."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section as amended was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Cartledge, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Dorian, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Judge, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, Lyster, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rittenhouse, Rowan, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Thornton, Uhler, White, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—44.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Bailey, Lingo, Sixth, Swain and Edgeley streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to amend by striking out the words "who shall be selected by a majority of the owners of property fronting on the following streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section as amended was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bonham, Budd, Cartledge, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Laughlin, Lippincott, Lyster, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Schafer, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Thornton, Uhler, Weir, White, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*
—45.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Spencer street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Cartledge, Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, Hall, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Laughlin, Lyster, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Schafer, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Thornton, Uhler, Weir, White, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—42.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Mr. Bardsley

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the resolution entitled "Resolution to publish a Park loan bill."

Which was agreed to.

The resolution was again read.

Mr. D. W. Gilbert

Moved to strike out the words "Fairmount Park," and insert "Mozart Park," in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was not agreed to.

On agreeing to the resolution,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Quin, seconded by Mr. Gibson, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Caven, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, Judge, Klauder, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Rowan, Siner, Subers, Thornton, Weir, White, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—33.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Budd, Clouds, Davis, Gibson, James, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Lyster, J. Martin, McMorris, Myers, Quin, Rittenhouse, Russell, Salter, Slack, Sutton, Tatem, and Uhler—20.

Which was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit: "An Ordinance to amend a resolution entitled 'A resolution authorizing the opening of Somerset, Sixty-one-and-one-half, Sixty-two-and-one-half, Arch, Race and Crawford streets.'"

"Resolution to allow the Mayor to use such means as he may see proper to prevent the ice gorge in the Schuylkill."

Mr. D. W. Gilbert

Moved that Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

And Council adjourned.

Thursday, March 18, 1875.

Council met—Members present:

Messrs. Allen,
Baldwin,
Bardsley,
Bonham,
Budd,
Cartledge,
Caven,
Clouds,
Collins, S. C.
Collins, W. B.
Cooper,
Currie,
Divine,
Doebley,
Dorlan,
Garwood,
Gibson,
Gilbert, D. W.
Gilbert, J. C.
Glenn,
Hall,
Hanby,
Hayhurst,
James,
Jamison,
Judge,
Kaney,
Kennedy, J.
Kennedy, J. H.
Klauder,
Klohse,

Messrs. Ladner,
Laughlin,
Lippincott,
Martin, J.
Martin, J. C.
Martin, J. J.
Matthews,
McGuckin,
McMorris,
McMullin,
Miller,
Mouat,
Myers,
Quin,
Rittenhouse,
Rowan,
Russell,
Salter,
Schafer,
Slack,
Subers,
Sutton,
Tatem,
Thornton,
Uhler,
Vories,
Weir,
White,
Widener,
Williamson,
Wright,

Henszey, *Pres't.*

The President

Presented the following :

PHILADELPHIA, *March 18, 1875.*

To HON. A. WILSON HENSZEY,
President of Common Council :

DEAR SIR :—Please accept this as my resignation as a member of Common Council from the Nineteenth Ward, and at the same time my thanks, due both yourself and fellow members, for many courtesies extended.

Yours respectfully,
PETER RITTENHOUSE.

Mr. Slack (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled “ An Ordinance to authorize the Frankford and Southwark, Philadelphia City Passenger Railroad Company to extend their tracks on Fifth and Sixth streets, so as to connect them with their car house, at the inter-ecion of Jackson street, Moyamensing avenue and Fifth street.”

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. Quin

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners for paving Eighteenth street, from Reed street to Passyunk avenue.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Bardsley

Presented a communication from the Trustees of the City Ice Boats, in answer to resolution relative to repairs done outside the City. (*Appendix No. 137.*)

Which was read and laid on the table.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled “ An Ordinance to release certain properties from the lien of four certain judgments.”

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also,

Presented a communication from the Trustees of the City Ice Boats relative to new boilers for Ice Boat No. 2.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. J. C. Martin (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay damages caused by the widening of Fitch street and the opening of Broad street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Ladner (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to construct a sewer on Third street, between Fairmount avenue and Green street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to construct a sewer on Marriott street, between Eighth and Ninth streets."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Budd (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to lay water pipe on Ninth street, from Spring Garden street to Depot street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to furnish members of Councils with a map of the plan of the City of Philadelphia."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Glenn (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer on Pearl street, from Nineteenth street to Twentieth street, in the Fifteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay damages caused by the opening of Twenty-seventh street, from Parrish to Poplar street, and Thirty-third street, from Haverford to Eadline street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay damages caused by the opening of Twenty-seventh street, from Parrish to Poplar street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Allen

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-fifth Ward for water pipe on Old York road, between Tioga street and Reading Railroad Bridge, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Mr. Currie (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance of instruction to the Chief Commissioner of Highways relative to the grading of Stiles, Bermuda and Cambridge streets, in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance of instruction to the Chief Commissioner of Highways relative to

the grading of Almond, Thompson and Brown streets, in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Doebley (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of York street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Miller (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a sewer on the line of Berks street, from Front street to Howard street, in the Nineteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Baldwin

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twentieth Ward for a gas lamp on Franklin street, above Columbia avenue, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Dorlan (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Chief Engineer and Surveyor to prepare plans and estimates for a bridge at Norris street and the intersection of the Germantown branch of the Reading Railroad."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Twenty-seventh street, between Sedgely avenue and York street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Twenty-eighth street, between Ridge avenue and York street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Twenty-eighth street, between Ridge avenue and York street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Twenty-seventh street, between Sedgely avenue and York street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Cartledge (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Thirty-seventh, Aspen, Thirty-sixth, Clearfield and Eadline streets."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Jamison (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to change the place of voting in the Twenty-first Division of the Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Mr. Hall

Presented a protest of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-fourth Ward against the changing of the lines of Fifty-first street, between Paschall street and Lancaster avenue, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Collins (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the commissioners appointed by the Court of Quarter Sessions to take into consideration the propriety of dividing the Twenty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners against the building of a bridge across the river Schuylkill, at Walnut street.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also,

Presented a communication from H. H. Bingham, Clerk of the Court of Quarter Sessions, certifying the whole proceedings in the matter of the division of the Twenty-sixth Ward. (*Appendix No. 138.*)

Which was laid upon the table.

Mr. Thornton

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-sixth Ward for a gas lamp at the southeast corner of Eleventh and Ellsworth streets, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Rowan

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners for a bridge across the Schuylkill, at Walnut street.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to grade Thirty-first street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to amend a resolution entitled 'Resolution to pave the market plots on Lehigh avenue.'" "

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gas lamps in the Twenty-seventh Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Hanby (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer on Nineteenth street and Seybert street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Railroads, with a resolution annexed entitled "Resolution discharging the Committee on Railroads from the consideration of a resolution relative to placing flagmen on American street," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had received a further report from the same Committee, with a resolution annexed entitled "Resolution to discharge the Committee on Railroads from the consideration of an Ordinance to regulate the running and drilling of steam cars in built up portions of the City of Philadelphia," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had received a report from the Committee on Law, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the acceptance by the City of a certain plot of

ground at Broad street and Germantown avenue," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had received a further report from the same Committee, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance setting apart the parade ground in the Twenty-sixth Ward, to the Inspectors of the County Prison, for the extension of the said prison," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had received a further report from the same Committee, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to locate magistrate courts for the City of Philadelphia," in accordance with the act of Assembly, approved the fifth day of February, 1875, which they had passed.

Also,

That they had received a report from the Committee on Water Works, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Chief Engineer of the Water Department to lay water pipe on Evangelist, Siloam, Wilson, Indiana, and Cambria streets," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had received a report from the Committee on City Property, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the sale of a triangular lot of ground on the west side of Twenth-seventh street, north of Master street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had passed a resolution entitled "Resolution relative to the Centennial Anniversary of the Battle of Lexington," in which they asked concurrence.

Mr. Bardsley

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill en-

titled "An Ordinance to release certain security on the bond of James Work, and to substitute other security."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Cartledge, Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gibson, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Judge, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—55.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to approve the sureties of Henry C. Selby, Registrar of Water."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Cartledge, Clouds, S. C. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gibson, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klohse, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—51.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the City Commissioners to pay the overseers of the February election, 1875."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Budd, Cartledge, Clouds, S. C. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gibson, J. C. Gilbert, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klohse, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Myers, Rowan,

Russell, Salter, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—47.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay the salaries of Magistrates for the year 1875."

Which was agreed to

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Cartledge, Clouds, S. C. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klohse, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Myers, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—49.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to select an architect, approve plans and specifications, and authorize proposals to be advertised for, for the building wooden pavilions for the use of the insane and hospital departments at the Philadelphia Almshouse."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Budd, Caven, Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Dorlan, Garwood, Gibson, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Ladner, Lippincott, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Subers, Sutton, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—48.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance making an appropriation to the Com-

missioners of Fairmount Park of a sum of money now in the City Treasury, as a special fund for Park purposes."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Caven, Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Lippincott, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Taten, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—53.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay for fitting up rooms lately occupied by the Water Department."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Caven, Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Dorlan, Garwood, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Ladner, Lippincott, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMorris, McMullin, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—51.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "A Supplement to an Ordinance directing the Heads of Departments of the City to insert the residences and occupations of all persons placed on their pay rolls," approved December 31st, 1874.

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Budd, Cartledge, Caven, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Doebley, Garwood, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klohse, Lippincott, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Rowan, Rus-

sell, Salter, Schafer, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—45.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Mr. Thornton

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers on Commerce and Norris streets, and on an alley situate on the west side of Jacoby street, about one hundred feet south of Monterey street."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read.

Mr. Bardsley

Moved to strike out the words "and also a fifteen inch terra cotta drain pipe, on an alley situate on the west side of Jacoby street, about one hundred feet south of Monterey street, and extending from the sewer on said Jacoby street westward to the west side of a ten feet wide street, being a distance of one hundred and ten feet, or thereabouts."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The second section was again read.

Mr. Miller

Moved to insert after the word "lowest" on the fourth line, the word "responsible."

Which was not agreed to.

The second section was agreed to.

The title was read.

Mr. Bardsley

Moved to amend by striking out all after the word "streets."

Which was agreed to.

The title as amended was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Caven, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Ladner, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—53.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Sixteenth street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Caven, Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klohse, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, and Henszey, *Pres't*—50.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Trenton avenue, in the Nineteenth and Twenty-fifth Wards."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonham, Caven, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Divine, Dorlan, Garwood, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klohse, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. J. Martin, Matthews,

McMorris, McMullin, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, and Henszey, *Pres't*—44.

NAYS—Mr. Klauder—1.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Sixteenth street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Clouds

Moved to strike out the words "who shall be selected by a majority of the owners of property fronting on."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Bardsley, Budd, Clouds, S. C. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Doebley, Garwood, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Quin, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Subers,

Sutton, Tatem, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—44.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Myrtle street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Bardsley

Moved to amend by inserting the words "*Provided*, The owners of the property first dedicate the ground to the City."

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Bardsley

Moved to amend by adding the following proviso, viz.: "*Provided*, The owners of property in the vicinity of said street shall first indemnify the City against a greater damage than two thousand dollars; said bondsmen to be satisfactory to the City Solicitor."

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Klauder, seconded by Mr. Gibson, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Bardsley, W. B. Collins, Divine, Garwood, Gibson, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. C. Martin, McMorris, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Slack, Widener, and Wright—18.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bonham, Caven, Clouds, S. C. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Doebley, D. W. Gilbert, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klohse, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Subers, Tatem, Uhler, Vories, White, Williamson, and Henszey, *Pres't*—32.

Which was not agreed to.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bonham, Budd, Caven, Clouds, S. C. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klohse, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Subers, Tatem, Uhler, Vories, White, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—35.

NAYS—Messrs. Bardsley, W. B. Collins, Divine, Garwood, Gibson, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Ladner, Lippincott, J. C. Martin, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Slack, and Widener—15.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill en-

titled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Eighth and Evangelist streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

* YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Kaney, Klohse, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, Miller, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Slack, Subers, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—43.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Franklin, Eighth, Huntingdon, Orianna and Mifflin streets, and Moyamensing avenue."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Gibson

Moved to strike out all relating to Moyamensing avenue.

Which was not agreed to.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Currie, Divine, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. C. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Slack, Subers, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright and Henszey, *Pres't*—41.

NAYS—Messrs. Caven and Gibson—2.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Moyer, Franklin, Eighth, Huntingdon and Orianna streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to strike out the words "who shall be selected by a majority of the owners of property fronting on."

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Caven

Moved to amend by striking out the word "rubble," and inserting "cobble" in lieu thereof.

Which was not agreed to.

The first and only section as amended was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, James, Jamison, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, Matthews, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Rowan, Salter, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—40.

NAYS—Mr. Caven—1.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Council proceeded to the second reading of the bill from Select Council entitled "An Ordinance to locate the Magistrates' Courts in the City of Philadelphia," in accordance

with the act of Assembly approved the 5th day of February, 1875.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Currie, Divine, Doebley, Garwood, Gibson, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klohse, Ladner, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Salter, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—48.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of a resolution from Select Council entitled "Resolution relative to the Centennial Anniversary of the Battle of Lexington."

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

The hour of four-and-a half o'clock having arrived, Council resumed the second reading of the bill entitled

"An Ordinance to reorganize the Board of Health," which had been made the special order for that hour.

The first section was again read.

Mr. Caven

Moved to recommit the bill to the Special Committee on Board of Health and Street Cleaning.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Rowan,

Chairman of the Committee on Highways, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the repairing of Vine street, from Front street to Delaware avenue, and to make an appropriation therefor." (*Appendix No. 139.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance providing for the performance of work for the City, in case of emergency." (*Appendix No. 140.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Edmund street, in the Twenty-third Ward." (*Appendix No. 141.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Woodstock, Lambert and Lowber streets, and Jefferson avenue." (*Appendix No. 142.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Edmund street, in the Twenty-third Ward." (*Appendix No. 143.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Penn street, in the Twenty-third Ward." (*Appendix No. 144.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the tramwaying of Geary street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward." (*Appendix No. 145.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Penn street, in the Twenty-third Ward." (*Appendix No. 146.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Thirty-ninth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward." (*Appendix No. 147.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Sergeant, Front and Thirty ninth streets." (*Appendix No. 148.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Thornton,

Chairman of the Committee on Surveys, presented a report, with a resolution annexed entitled "Resolution to discharge the Committee on Surveys and Regulations from the further consideration of an Ordinance to repeal so much of an Ordinance, approved November 17th, 1874, as provides for the construction of a sewer on Cuvler street, from Nineteenth to Twentieth street." (*Appendix No. 149.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance directing the Department of Surveys to prepare plans of streets affected by the construction of Fairmount Bridge." (*Appendix No. 150.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Widener,

Chairman of the Committee on House of Correction, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing certain transfers to be made in the appropriation for the expenses of the House of Correction, Employment and Reformation for the year 1875." (*Appendix No. 151.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had concurred in the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Almond, Miller, Hancock, Chatham, Division, Gaul, Eighth and Boudinot streets, Wheat Sheaf

and Hart lanes," with the following amendment, in which they asked concurrence: amend the first and only section by striking out "Wheat Sheaf lane, from Frankford avenue to Cedar street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, six hundred and sixty-six dollars and seventy-five cents," and amend the title by striking out the words "Wheat Sheaf," and "lanes," and inserting the word "lane."

"An Ordinance granting permission to Messrs. Kreider, Campbell & Co., to lay a pipe on Germantown avenue," with the following amendment, in which they asked concurrence. Insert at end of section the following: "The above work to be done under the supervision of the Chief Commissioner of Highways," and amend the title by adding, "on Germantown avenue."

"An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Somerset street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward," with the following amendment, in which they asked concurrence: amend the first and only section by inserting immediately after the words, "paving thereof," the following, "with cobble stone."

Also,

That they had concurred in the following, to wit:

"An Ordinance to approve the sureties of Henry C. Selby, Registrar of Water."

"An Ordinance to enter satisfaction on the official bond of Alexander McCuen, City Commissioner."

"An Ordinance to authorize satisfaction to be entered on the official bond of Saml. P. Hancock."

"An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Thirty-seventh, Aspen, Thirty-sixth, Clearfield and Eadline streets."

"An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Bailey, Lingo, Sixth, Swain and Edgeley streets."

"An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Spencer street."

"An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Hancock and Oxford streets."

"An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay damages caused by the opening of Paschall, Forty-fourth and Huron (or Aspen) streets, and the widening of Hamilton street," by the following vote: yeas 20, nays none.

"An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Forty-sixth street, in the Twenty-seventh Ward."

"An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Pine, Wyoming, Anthracite and Salmon streets."

Mr. Laughlin

Moved that Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

And Council adjourned.

Thursday, March 25, 1875.

Council met—Members present :

Messrs. Allen,
Baldwin,
Bardsley,
Bonham,
Budd,
Cartledge,
Caven,
Clouds,
Collins, S. C.
Collins, W. B.
Cooper,
Currie,
Davis,
Divine,
Doebley,
Dorlan,
Garwood,
Gibson,
Gilbert, D. W.
Glenn,
Hall,
Hanby,
Hayhurst,
James,
Jamison,
Judge,
Kaney,
Klauder,
Klohse,

Messrs. Laughlin,
Lippincott,
Martin, J.
Martin, J. C.
Martin, J. J.
Matthews,
McGuckin,
McMorris,
McMullin,
Miller,
Mouat,
Myers,
Quin,
Rowan,
Russell,
Salter,
Schafer,
Siner,
Slack,
Subers,
Sutton,
Tatem,
Thornton,
Uhler,
Vories,
White,
Widener,
Williamson,
Wright,

Henszey, *Pres't.*

The President

Presented a message from the Mayor, stating that he had approved and signed sundry Ordinances. (*Appendix No. 152.*)

Mr. Slack (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to change the place of holding elections in the Second Division of the First Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to enter satisfaction on the official bond of Edward B. Cobb, late Purveyor First District."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Salter

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the First Ward for the opening of Tasker street, from Otsego street to Delaware avenue, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Mouat (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the repaving of Gold and Lodge streets, in the Fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Chief Commissioner of Highways relative to crossing stones in the Fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Bardsley

Presented a communication from J. W. Crory relative to improvements in sewers.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Russell (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a public bath at the foot of Callowhill street, Schuylkill river."

Which was referred to the Committee on Police.

Mr. J. C. Martin (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate lamps in Rittenhouse Square."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Glenn (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade and pave Twenty-eighth street, from Poplar street to Pennsylvania avenue, Fifteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade and pave Huntingdon street, from Eleventh street to Broad street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade and pave Parrish street, from Taney street to Twenty-eighth street, in the Fifteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe on Parrish street, from Twenty-fourth street to Taney street, in the Fifteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Mr. Caven

Presented a communication from sundry citizens protesting against the building of a bridge across the river Schuylkill, at Walnut street.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Doebley

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property in the Twenty-fifth Ward for water pipe on Franklin street, from Somerset street to Indiana street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property in the Twenty-fifth Ward for water pipe on Eighth street, from Lehigh avenue to Indiana street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property in the Twenty-fifth Ward for water pipe on Seventh street, from Somerset street to Indiana street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Mr. Clouds

Presented a communication from Isaac Spiegel, asking authority to remove a frame dwelling house.

Which was referred to the Committee on Police.

Mr. Baldwin

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twentieth Ward, asking for the repaving of Ninth street, north of Poplar street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance granting permission to Wm. Massey to construct a turnout from the Pennsylvania Railroad track on Dock street, in the Fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. Cartledge (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Franklin street, from Unity street to Pine street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Pine street, from Penn street to Adams street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the paving of Orleans street, from Frankford avenue to Kensington avenue, in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Willow street, from Meadow street to Harrison street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Gillingham street, from Hedge street to Jefferson street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Cherry street, from Meadow street to Harrison street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance of instruction to the Chief Commissioner of Highways relative to the grading of Orleans street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance of instruction to the Chief Commissioner of Highways relative to the grading of Orleans street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance of instruction to the Chief Commissioner of Highways relative to the grading of Orleans street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Hall

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-fourth Ward for a sewer on Westminster avenue and Haverford street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-fourth Ward for a survey of grades of streets west of Sixty-third street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Survey Department to establish the grades of certain streets in the Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Sutton (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gas lamp in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Also,

Presented a communication from sundry citizens relative to the condition of Second street, between Lehigh avenue and Erie avenue.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. D. W. Gilbert (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance of request to his Honor the Mayor, to enter security for any damages arising from the opening and taking for public use Somerset street, from Garnet street to Frankford road, in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Thornton (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit:

RESOLUTION

Relative to the resignation of William B. Collins.

Whereas, The resignation of our fellow member, William B. Collins, takes effect this day, he having resigned in consequence of his election to the responsible and honorable position of Police Magistrate; therefore, be it

Resolved by the Common Council of the City of Philadelphia, That we, his colleagues, do hereby express our regret at his retirement from this body, and our affection and high esteem for him, who has ever been courteous and kind in all his relations with us, and we also express our admiration of the industry, integrity, and ability with which he has discharged the duties of Common Councilman of the City of Philadelphia.

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. W. B. Collins (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Committee on Law relative to the transfer of prisoners to the House of Correction."

Which was referred to the Committee on Law.

Mr. Klohse (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to renumber the election divisions of the Twenty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Mr. Rowan (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to grade and

pave Elm avenue, Fifty-second street and Fortieth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to lay water pipe on Forty-sixth street, in the Twenty-seventh Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a sewer on Forty-sixth street, in the Twenty-seventh Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-fourth Ward for water pipe on Atlanta street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-fourth Ward for the grading of Atlanta street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of sundry citizens for a bridge across the Schuylkill, at Walnut street.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Hanby (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Twenty-seventh street, from Mt. Pleasant street to Master street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Twenty-seventh street, from Mt. Pleasant street to Master street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Bonham (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to construct a culvert on Nineteenth street, from Ridge avenue to Thompson street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Commissioner of Markets and City Property to set back the fence on the lot at Twenty-sixth and Jefferson streets, in the Twenty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on City Property.

The President

Announced the following as the Committee on resolution relative to the Centennial Anniversary of the battle of Lexington: Messrs. Currie, Doebley, Hanby, S. C. Collins, Allen, Tatem, Subers, Russell, White, and Gibson.

Mr. Bardsley,

Chairman of the Committee on Finance, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay damages caused by the widening of Fitch street, and the opening of Broad, Twenty-seventh, and Thirty-third streets." (*Appendix No. 153.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to enter satisfaction on

the official bond of Mahlon H. Dickinson." (*Appendix No. 154.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to enter satisfaction on the official bond of Jonathan H. Pugh, late Commissioner of Markets and City Property." (*Appendix No. 155.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay for copying records of Supreme Court, expenses of Inspectors of the Eastern Penitentiary, and for election purposes." (*Appendix No. 156.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to release certain properties from the lien of four certain judgments." (*Appendix No. 157.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also

From the same Committee, a further report, with a resolution annexed entitled "Resolution to discharge the Committee on Finance from the consideration of an Ordinance relative to the ladder of Mrs. Scott Uda." (*Appendix No. 158.*)

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Dorlan,

Chairman of the Committee on Fire Department, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to approve the award of contract for the erection of a fire-station house on the south side of Columbia avenue, west of Twenty-second street, and approval of the contract and sureties." (*Appendix No. 159.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Miller,

Chairman of the Special Committee on Board of Health and Street Cleaning, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to reorganize the Board of Health." (*Appendix No. 160.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Glenn (on leave)

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill from Select Council entitled "An Ordinance directing the Commissioner of Markets and City Property to notify Post No. 2 of the Grand Army of the Republic to vacate the second-story of Spring Garden Hall, and appropriating five thousand two hundred dollars for fitting up the same for the use of the Water Department."

Which was agreed to.

The question being on the title as amended,

It was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Clouds, S. C. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, Judge, Klohse, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Quin, Rowan, Russell,

Siner, Slack, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, White, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—39.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred with amendments.

Mr. Bardsley

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to create a loan for the completion of the storage reservoir at Fairmount Park." The papers were produced in which the bill had been published, according to law.

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Caven

Moved to amend by striking out nine hundred thousand dollars," and inserting "seven hundred and fifty thousand dollars."

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Budd

Moved to insert after the words "not less than par," the words "in United States National currency," and after the words "six per cent. per annum," the words "in United States National currency."

Which was not agreed to.

The first section was agreed to.

The second section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Kaney, Klauder, Klohse, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, McMorris, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Rowan, Salter, Schafer, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—50.

NAYS—Messrs. Caven, Judge, Quin, and Russell—4.

Two-thirds of all the members having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Mr. Rowan,

Chairman of the Committee on Highways, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Hare and Eleventh streets." (*Appendix No. 161.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to amend a resolution entitled 'Resolution to authorize the paving of market plots on Lehigh avenue,' " passed December 30th, 1873. (*Appendix No. 162.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the footway

on the south side of Market street, between Twenty-second street and the Market Street Bridge, to be widened three feet." (*Appendix No. 163.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the tramwaying of Oliver, China, Jackson and Alder streets and Gillis' alley." (*Appendix No. 164.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Carpenter, Oakford and Gillingham streets." (*Appendix No. 165.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Chief Commissioner of Highways to draw a warrant in favor of Joseph McDonald." (*Appendix No. 166.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Thirty-first street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward." (*Appendix No. 167.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving

of Twenty-fourth street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward." (*Appendix No. 168.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Hare and Gillingham streets." (*Appendix No. 169*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Hall,

Chairman of the Committee on Gas Works, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the erection of public lamps." (*Appendix No. 170.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Glenn,

Chairman of the Committee on Police, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the sale of the old station house property on the south side of Union street, between Third and Fourth streets, in the Fifth Ward." (*Appendix No. 171.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance granting permission to John Weik to erect wooden buildings at Forty-fourth (Belmont avenue) and Eadline streets, from Forty-fourth to Forty-third streets." (*Appendix No. 172.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Council proceeded to the second reading of the resolution from Select Council entitled "Resolution to discharge the Committee on Railroads from the consideration of an

Ordinance to regulate the running and drilling of steam cars in built up portions of the City of Philadelphia."

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Spencer street and James street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to strike out the words "who shall be selected by a majority of the property owners fronting on."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonham, Cartledge, W. B. Collins, Currie, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Kaney, Klohse, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, McMullin, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Siner, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey,
Pres't—40.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Water Works, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Chief Engineer of the Water Department to lay water pipe on Eighth, Bambrey, Twenty-fifth, Morton, Grape, Thirty-ninth, Jefferson, Sycamore, Lambert, Woodstock and Twenty-fourth streets, and Powelton and Columbia avenues," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had received a further report from the same Committee, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Chief Engineer of the Water Department to relay water pipe on Morton street, Washington lane and Germantown avenue," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had received a report from the Committee on Schools, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay for the erection of a Normal School building at Seventeenth and Spring Garden streets," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had received a further report from the same Committee, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to approve the contract and sureties of Jacob W. Mattis, for the building of a public school house on Oak lane, Milestown, Twenty-second Ward," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had received a further report from the same

Committee, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to approve the contract and surety of Thomas McCarty, for the completion of the third-story of the school house at Thirteenth street and Susquehanna avenue, in the Twenty-eighth Ward," which they had passed.

Also,

That the President of Select Council had appointed Messrs. McAdam, Sperring, Eno, Burnell, McDowell, Bumm, Bradley, Fox, Monroe, and Bickel, as a Committee on the part of Select Council, in pursuance of the resolution entitled "Resolution relative to the Centennial Anniversary of the battle of Lexington."

Mr. Rowan

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Trenton avenue, in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to strike out the words "who shall be selected by a majority of the owners of property fronting on."

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Caven

Moved to postpone the further consideration of the bill for the present.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Rowan, seconded by Mr. Caven, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Cartledge, Caven, Clouds, S. C. Collins, Cooper, Davis, Garwood, Gibson, Hayhurst, Klauder, J. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, Myers, Salter, Schafer, Siner, Tatem, Widener, Williamson, and Wright—22.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Budd, W. B. Collins, Currie, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Jamison, Judge, Klohse, Lippincott, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Thornton, Uhler, White, and Henszey, *Pres't*—30.

Which was not agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Currie, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, Judge, Klohse, Lippincott, J. J. Martin, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Thornton, Uhler, White, and Henszey, *Pres't*—35.

NAYS—Messrs. Cartledge, Caven, Clouds, Davis, Garwood, Gibson, Schafer, Siner, Widener, Williamson, and Wright—11.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Dauphin

street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, and Twenty-seventh street, in the Fifteenth Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Divine, Dorlan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, Judge, Klauder, Klohse, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McMullin, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—50.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Ormes and Stillman streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Cartledge, Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Divine, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, Judge, Klauder, Klohse, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Siner, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—47.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay for rock cutting on Cambridge or Gross street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Bardsley

Moved to add the following : "*Provided*, The amount be taken from Item 6 for grading of the appropriation for 1875 to the Highway Department."

Mr. W. B. Collins

Moved to postpone the further consideration of the bill for the present.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Rowan, seconded by Mr. Slack, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Budd, Caven, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Garwood, Gibson, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, Mouat, Quin, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Siner, Subers, Tatem, Uhler, White, Widener, and Henszey, *Pres't*—23.

NAYS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Cartledge, Clouds, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, Judge, Klauder, Klohse, McMullin, Myers, Rowan, Slack, Sutton, Williamson, and Wright—24.

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Rowan

Moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Law.

Mr. Klauder

Moved that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Which was not agreed to.

The question recurring on referring to the Committee on Law,

It was agreed to.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Seventeenth street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Miller

Moved to re-commit the bill to the Committee on Highways.

Which was agreed to.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to amend an Ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Columbia avenue, Jefferson, Forty second and Foulkrod streets.'"

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Cartledge, Caven, Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Dorlan, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, Judge, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, McMullin, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Siner, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Vories, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—42.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Dickinson street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to strike out the words "who shall be selected by a majority of the property owners fronting on."

Which was agreed to

The first section as amended was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Clouds, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Dorlan, Garwood, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, Judge, Klauder, Klohse, Lippincott, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, McMullin, Mouat, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Siner, Slack, Subers, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—42.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Dickinson street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Budd, Cartledge, Clouds, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, Judge, Klauder, Klohse, Lippincott, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, McMorris, McMullin, Mouat, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Slack, Subers, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—39.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Thomas, Lex, Alter, Grape and Orchard streets.”

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, Judge, Klauder, Klohse, Lippincott, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, McMorris, McMullin, Mouat, Russell, Salter, Siner, Slack, Subers, Thornton, Vories, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—36.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Sergeant, Orchard, Lex, Thomas, Alter, Edward, Grape and Ormes streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

NAYS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Budd, Cartledge, Caven, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, Judge, Klauder, Klohse, Lippincott, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, McMorris, McMullin, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Siner, Slack, Subers, Thornton, Vories, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—41.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Seventeenth street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to recommit the bill to the Committee on Highways.

Which was agreed to.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Manayunk avenue, in the Twenty-first Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Budd, Cartledge, Clouds, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Jamison, Judge, Klauder, Klohse, Lippincott, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, Mouat, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Subers, Thornton, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—33.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the resolution entitled "Resolution to discharge the Committee on Highways from consideration of petition to grade Fifth street, Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Council proceeded to the second reading of the following Select Council amendments to the bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation for fitting up rooms for the office of Register of Wills," viz.: amend the first and only section by inserting immediately after the words "lowest bidder" the following, to wit: "The cost of said work to be provided for, as follows: one thousand (1,000) dollars to be taken from Item 5, and one thousand (1,000) dollars from Item 6 of the annual appropriation to the Department of Markets and City Property for 1875."

Mr. Bardsley

Moved that Common Council concur in Select Council's amendments.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Budd, Cartledge,

Caven, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Jamison, Judge, Klauder, Klohse, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, Miller, Mouat, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Subers, Thornton, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—37.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred in Select Council's amendments.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the bill from Select Council entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Chief Engineer of the Water Department to relay water pipe on Morton street, Washington lane, and on Germantown avenue."

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Budd, Cartledge, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Jamison, Judge, Klauder, Klohse, Lippincott, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, Mouat, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Schafer, Slack, Subers, Thornton, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—37.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the bill from Select Council entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Chief Engineer of the Water Department to lay water pipe on Eighth street, Bambrey, Twenty-fifth, Morton, Grape, Thirty-ninth, Jefferson, Sycamore, Lambert, Woodstock and Twenty-fourth streets, and on Powelton and Columbia avenues."

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Cartledge, Caven, S. C. Collins, W. B. Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Jamison, Klauder, Lippincott, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, Miller, Mouat, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Slack, Subers, Thornton, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey,
Pres't—40.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit:

“An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Sixteenth street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward.”

“An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Franklin, Eighth, Huntingdon, Orianna and Mifflin streets, and Moyamensing avenue.”

“An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Eighth and Evangelist streets.”

“An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Moyer, Franklin, Eighth, Huntingdon and Orianna streets.”

“An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Sixty-third street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.”

“An Ordinance to authorize the paving of York street.”

“An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Sixteenth street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward.”

“An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers on Commerce and Norris streets.”

“An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay for fitting up rooms lately occupied by the Water Department.”

“An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the City Commissioners to pay the overseers of the February election, 1875.”

“An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay the salaries of Magistrates for the year 1875.”

“An Ordinance to select an architect, approve plans and specifications, and authorize proposals to be advertised for for the building of wooden pavilions for the use of the Insane and Hospital Department at the Philadelphia Almshouse.”

“An Ordinance making an appropriation to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park of a sum of money now in the City Treasury, as a special fund for Park purposes.”

“A Supplement to an Ordinance directing the Heads of Departments of the City to insert the residences and occupations of all persons placed on their pay rolls,” approved December 31st, 1874.

“Resolution to discharge the Committee on Finance from the consideration of an Ordinance relative to the ladder of Mrs. Scott Uda.”

“An Ordinance to release certain security on the bond of James Work, and to substitute other security.”

In amendments to bill entitled “An Ordinance directing the Commissioner of Markets and City Property to notify Post No. 2 of the G. A. R. to vacate the second story of Spring Garden Hall, and appropriating five thousand two hundred dollars to pay for fitting up same for use of the Water Department.”

Mr. Miller

Moved that Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

And Council adjourned.

Thursday, April 1, 1875.

Council met—Members present :

Messrs. Allen,
Baldwin,
Bonham,
Budd,
Cartledge,
Caven,
Clouds,
Collins,
Cooper,
Currie,
Davis,
Divine,
Doebley,
Dorlan,
Garwood,
Gibson,
Gilbert, D. W.
Gilbert, J. C.
Glenn,
Hall,
Hanby,
Hayhurst,
James,
Jamison,
Judge,
Kahey,
Kennedy, J.
Klohse,
Ladner,
Laughlin,

Messrs. Lippincott,
Lyster,
Martin, J.
Martin, J. C.
Martin, J. J.
Matthews,
McMorris,
McMullin,
Miller,
Mouat,
Myers,
Quin,
Rowan,
Russell,
Salter,
Schafer,
Siner,
Slack,
Subers,
Sutton,
Tatem,
Thornton,
Uhler,
Vories,
Weir,
White,
Widener,
Williamson,
Wright,
Henszey, *Pres't.*

Mr. Klohse

Presented the following, to wit:

City and County of Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, *February 27, 1875.*

Mr. WILLIAM GALLAGHER,

SIR:—At an election, held February 16th, 1875, you were duly elected to the office of Common Council, of the Twenty-sixth Ward, unexpired term.

JAMES PENN MCCAIN,

[SEAL.]

Pro Prothonotary.

Mr. Gallagher appeared before the Clerk's desk, and was duly qualified by the President, and took his seat as a member.

The President

Presented a communication from Samuel L. Smedley, Chief Engineer and Surveyor, relative to paving stone and curbing for Fairmount Bridge. (*Appendix No. 173.*)

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also,

Presented a communication from James Jenner, relative to his right to a seat in Common Council, as a member from the Twenty-ninth Ward.

Which was referred to the Special Committee on the petition of James Jenner.

Also,

Presented a communication from L. Romanoff Mestaniz, inviting Council to inspect a model of Fairmount Park.

Which was read.

Mr. Glenn

Moved that the invitation be accepted.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Slack (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to regulate the sale of farm produce, meats, fish, &c., by non-residents, on the public streets."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Gibson (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution relative to the repaving of Bridge street, Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Ladner (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to construct a sewer on Fourth street, from Fairmount avenue to Green street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Caven

Presented a remonstrance from sundry citizens against the construction of a bridge across the Schuylkill, at Walnut street.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Fifteenth Ward for the locating of a gas lamp on the north side of Vine street, west of Twentieth street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Miller (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Committee on Schools relative to the re-districting of the school sections of the City."

Which was referred to the Committee on Schools.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Thirty-first Ward for the locating of a gas lamp on Firth street, between Emerald and Jasper streets, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Currie (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Chief Commissioner of Highways relative to the grading of Tulip street, Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Chief Commissioner of Highways relative to the grading of Janney street, Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Dorlan (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Chief Commissioner of Highways relative to the repaving of Stiles street, Twentieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Uhler

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-first Ward for the locating of a gas lamp on Jefferson street, between Winchester and Fowler streets, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Hall (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Fiftieth street, Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Boundary or Elm avenue, Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to regulate the charges of District Surveyors."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Thornton (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance for the construction of bridges over the Pennsylvania Railroad, at Fortieth and Forty-first streets."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Rowan

Presented the report of the Chief Commissioner of Highways on the state of the annual appropriation to the Department of Highways for 1875. (*Appendix No. 174.*)

Mr. Rowan (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to confirm the appointments of street superintendents, and to approve their sureties."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to approve the Assistant Commissioners of Highways and their sureties."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to confirm the appointment of James G. Dixon, License Clerk of the Highway Department, and approve his surety."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to confirm the appointment of Purveyors of the Water Department, to approve their sureties, and to restrict the lien of the judgment on their official bonds."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a sewer on Chestnut street, between Fortieth and Forty-first streets, Twenty-seventh Ward," and petition for the same.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Highways, for laying footways on Broad and Market streets."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gas lamps in the Twenty-seventh Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-seventh Ward asking for the cleansing of Mill creek sewer, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also,

Presented a petition of the Second Regiment, N. G., asking for the exemption of their property from taxation.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also,

Petition for grading Sycamore street, from Thirty-eighth street to Preston street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of sundry citizens and property owners for the construction of a bridge over the Schuylkill, at Walnut street.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Bonham (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to amend a resolution entitled 'Resolution to place upon the City plan Goldbeck and Baltz streets, between Thompson street and Girard avenue, and Thirtieth and Thirty-first streets, in the Twenty-ninth Ward.'"

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Hanby

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-ninth Ward for a sewer on Oxford street, from Twenty-sixth street to Thirtieth street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Markets and City Property, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the appropriation to the Department of Markets and City Property for the year 1875," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had received a report from the Committee on Schools, with a resolution annexed entitled "Resolution to discharge the Committee on Schools from the further consideration of a communication from the Board of Public Education, asking for an appropriation to pay a superintendent of music," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had passed a resolution entitled "Resolution of instruction to the Chief Commissioner of Highways."

Also,

Resolution entitled "Resolution directing the Chief Engineer and Surveyor to report the cost of repairing the footwalks on Girard Avenue Bridge."

Also,

Resolution entitled "Resolution directing the Chief Commissioner of Highways to enforce the Ordinance compelling property owners to keep the footways in repair."

Also,

That they had concurred in the following, to wit:

"An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Sixty third street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward," with the following amendments: amend the first and only section by striking out all between the words "pavers" and "Sixty-third," and insert in place thereof the words "for the paving thereof." Also, strike out immediately after the words "Twenty-fourth Ward" the following, "for the paving thereof."

Mr. Rowan

Moved to reconsider the vote on the final passage of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading

of Dauphin street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, and Twenty-seventh street, in the Fifteenth Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The question being on the final passage of the bill,

Mr. Rowan

Moved to strike out all relating to Twenty-seventh street.

Which was unanimously agreed to.

The first and only section as amended was agreed to.

The title was read.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to amend the title by striking out all after the words "Twenty-eighth Ward."

Which was unanimously agreed to.

The title as amended was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Cartledge, Caven, Clouds Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Dorlan, Garwood, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Lippincott, J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Myers, Russell, Salter, Siner, Subers, Thornton, Uhler, Weir, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—41.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Mr. Caven

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill from Select Council entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay for the erection of a Normal School building at Seventeenth and Spring Garden streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bonham, Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Clouds, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, Gallagher, Garwood, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Ladner, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Salter, Schafer, Siner, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Weir, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—50.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Council proceeded to the second reading of the following amendments of Select Council to the bill, entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Somerset street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward," viz.: amend the first and only section by inserting immediately after the words "paving thereof," the following, "with cobble stone."

Mr. Rowan

Moved that Common Council concur in Select Council's amendments.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bonham, Budd, Clouds, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Gallagher, Garwood, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Siner, Slack, Thornton, Uhler, Weir, White, Widener, and Henszey, *Pres't* —41.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred in Select Council's amendments.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the following amendments of Select Council to the bill entitled " An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Almond, Miller, Hancock, Chatham, Division, Gaul, Eighth and Boudinot streets, Wheat Sheaf and Hart lanes," viz.: amend the first and only section by striking out " Wheat Sheaf lane, from Frankford avenue to Cedar street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, six hundred and sixty-six dollars and seventy-five cents," and amend the title by striking out the words " Wheat Sheaf" and " lanes," and inserting the word " lane."

Mr. Rowan

Moved that Common Council concur in Select Council's amendments.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bonham, Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Clouds, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Siner, Slack, Subers, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—44.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred in Select Council's amendments.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the repaving of Vine street, from Front street to Delaware avenue, and for making an appropriation therefor."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read.

Mr. Caven

Moved to indefinitely postpone the further consideration of the bill.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Quin, seconded by Mr. Caven, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Collins, J. C. Gilbert, Lyster, J. J. Martin, McGuckin, Quin, Schafer, and Widener—11.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bonham, Clouds, Cooper, Currie, Dorlan, Gallagher, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert,

Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Ladner, Lippincott, J. C. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Myers, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Thornton, Uhler, Weir, White, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—40.

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Quin

Moved to strike out "Belgian blocks," and insert "small cobble stones."

Which was not agreed to.

The first section was agreed to.

The second section was again read.

Mr. Caven

Moved to add the following, viz.: "*Provided*, The amount shall be taken from Item 3 of the appropriation to Highway Department for 1875."

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Quin, seconded by Mr. Caven, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Budd, Caven, Davis, Divine, Gibson, J. C. Gilbert, James, J. J. Martin, Quin, Salter, Schafer, Widener, and Henszey, *Pres't*—13.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bonham, Clouds, Cooper, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, Gallagher, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, Matthews, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Myers, Rowan, Russell, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Thornton, Vories, Weir, White, Williamson, and Wright—39.

Which was not agreed to.

The second section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bonham, Clouds, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, Gallagher, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, Matthews, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—45.

NAYS—Messrs. Budd, Caven, Collins, J. C. Gilbert, Lyster, Quin, Schafer, and Widener—8.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Council proceed to the second reading of the following amendments of Select Council to the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Sixty-third street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward," viz.: amend the first and only section by striking out all between the words "pavers" and "Sixty-third," and insert in place thereof the words "for the paving of," also, strike out immediately after the words "Twenty-fourth Ward" the following, "for the paving thereof."

Mr. Rowan

Moved that Common Council concur in Select Council's amendments.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Clouds, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, Gallagher, Garwood, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin,

Matthews, McMorris, McMullin, Mouat, Rowan, Russell, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—41.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred in Select Council's amendments.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay damages caused by the widening of Fitch street, and the opening of Broad, Twenty-seventh and Thirty-third streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Budd, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Dorlan, Gallagher, Gibson, Glenn, Hall, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Laughlin, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, McMullin, Rowan, Russell, Slack, Subers, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—37.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of those present having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance providing for the performance of work for the City in case of emergency."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Caven

Moved to indefinitely postpone the further consideration of the bill.

• On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Lyster, seconded by Mr. Caven, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bonham, Budd, Caven, Collins, Cooper, Davis, Gibson, James, J. Kennedy, Laughlin, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, Quin, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Subers, Uhler, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—28.

NAYS—Messrs. Baldwin, Clouds, Currie, Doebley, Dorian, Gallagher, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Jamison, Klohse, McMullin, Miller, Rowan, Slack, Thornton, Vories, and Williamson—18.

Which was agreed to.

The President

Announced the following appointments to fill vacancies on Joint Standing Committees :

Mr. Thornton, on Finance ; Mr. Gallagher, on Centennial, Law, and Police and Fire-Alarm Telegraph ; Mr. Doebley, on Fire Department.

Mr. Rowan, (on leave,)

Chairman of the Committee on Highways, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to

authorize the paving of McKean, Twelfth, Eighth and Lawrence streets." (*Appendix No. 175.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of York street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward." (*Appendix No. 176.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of York street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward." (*Appendix No. 177.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Lawrence (or Apple) street, Eighth and McKean streets." (*Appendix No. 178.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Walnut street, from Thirty-second street to low water mark at the river Schuylkill, in the Twenty-seventh Ward." (*Appendix No. 179.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following:

"An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Ormes and Stillman streets."

“An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Dauphin street.”

“Resolution to discharge the Committee on Highways from the consideration of petitions to grade Fifth street, Twenty-fifth Ward.”

“An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Spencer street and James street.”

Mr. Jamison

Moved that Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

And Council adjourned.

Thursday, April 8, 1875.

Council met—Members present :

Messrs. Allen,
Baldwin,
Bardsley,
Bonham,
Budd,
Cartledge,
Caven,
Clouds,
Collins,
Cooper,
Currie,
Davis,
Divine,
Doebley,
Dorlan,
Gallagher,
Garwood,
Gibson,
Gilbert, D. W.
Gilbert, J. C.
Glenn,
Hall,
Hanby,
Hayhurst,
James,
Jamison,
Judge,
Kaney,
Kennedy, J.
Klohse,
Ladner,

Messrs. Laughlin,
Lippincott,
Lyster,
Martin, J.
Martin, J. C.
Martin, J. J.
Matthews,
McGuckin,
McMorris,
McMullin,
Mouat,
Myers,
Quin,
Rowan,
Russell,
Salter,
Schafer
Siner,
Slack,
Subers,
Sutton,
Tatem,
Thornton,
Uhler,
Vories,
Weir,
White,
Widener,
Williamson,
Wright,
Henszey, *Pres't.*

The President

Presented a communication from the Board of Inspectors of the County Prison relative to the enlargement of the prison. (*Appendix No. 180.*)

Which was laid on the table.

Also,

A communication from James Jenner, informing Common Council that unless they took some action in regard to his seat, he would take the matter into the courts.

Which was referred to the Special Committee on the petition of James Jenner.

Also,

Presented a communication from the Board of Fire Commissioners relative to the re-awarding of contract for building fire station house on Montgomery avenue, below Girard avenue. (*Appendix No. 181*)

Which was referred to the Committee on Fire Department.

Also,

Presented a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay damages caused by the opening of Sedgeley avenue, from Montgomery avenue to Lamb Tavern road, in the Twenty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Bardsley (on leave)

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to release certain properties from the lien of four certain judgments."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Cartledge, Clouds, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, Gallagher, Garwood, Gibson, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, Lyster, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, Matthews, McMullin, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Russell, Schafer, Siner, Slack, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Weir, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—44.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also, (on leave,)

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to enter satisfaction on the official bond of Mahlon H. Dickinson."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Clouds, Cooper, Currie, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, Gallagher, Garwood, Gibson, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, J. J.

Martin, Matthews, McMorris, McMullin, Mouat, Myers, Rowan, Russell, Schafer, Siner, Slack, Sutton, Tatem, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—47.

NAYS—Mr. Quin—1.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also, (on leave,)

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to enter satisfaction on the official bond of Jonathan H. Pugh, late Commissioner of Markets and City Property."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Clouds, Cooper, Currie, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, Gallagher, Garwood, Gibson, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Ladner, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, McMullin, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Russell, Schafer, Slack, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—50.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also, (on leave,)

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay for copying records of Supreme Court, Inspectors of the Eastern Penitentiary, and for election purposes."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Clouds, Cooper, Currie, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, Gallagher, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Ladner, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, McMullin, Mouat, Myers, Rowan, Salter, Slack, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Weir, White, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—37.

NAYS—Messrs. Garwood, Gibson, Matthews, and Quin—4.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Presented a communication from the City Commissioners,

with a bill annexed, to make an appropriation to the Department of City Commissioners to pay clerk hire.

Which were referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to release certain property of John Scott from the lien of a certain judgment."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay damages for the opening of Stiles street, from Thirteenth street to Broad street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to approve the sureties of William H. McFadden, Chief Engineer of the Water Department, and to restrict the lien of the judgment on his official bond."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Slack

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-ninth Ward to change the place of voting in the Fifth Division of the said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Mr. Gibson (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Chief Commissioner of Highways to place an inlet at the southwest corner of Tenth and Milton streets."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. J. Martin (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Committee on Police relative to a stand for hacks on South Broad street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Police.

Mr. Quin (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the release of certain property of John Scott from the lien of a judgment, and restricting the lien of the same."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the release of property of Thomas Fair from the lien of a judgment and to restrict the lien of said judgment."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Mouat

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Fifth Ward for the repaving of Spruce street, between Delaware avenue and Third street, with Belgian pavement, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. J. C. Martin (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Commissioner of Markets and City Property to remove all the settees from Washington Square."

Which was referred to the Committee on City Property.

Mr. Lippincott

Presented petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-eighth Ward for the grading of Van Peltz

street, between Berks street and Park avenue, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property in the Twenty-eighth Ward for water pipe on Van Peltz street, between Berks street and Park avenue, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-eighth Ward for the curbing and paving of Van Peltz street, from Berks street to Park avenue, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Ladner (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Chief Commissioner of Highways to construct a sewer on Vine street, from Fourth street to Fifth street, also, to construct a sewer on Fourth street, from Vine street to Race street, in the Sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Hayhurst (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the repaving and tramwaying of Leithgow street, in the Sixteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Williamson (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution granting permission to Joseph Nixon to erect a temporary frame building on Hanover street wharf, in the Eighteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Police.

Mr. Currie (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the paving of Margaret street, from Frankford creek to Cherry street, in the Twenty-third Ward, with rubble paving."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Chief Commissioner of Highways relative to grading Clearfield and Jasper streets, Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the grading of Margaret street, from Frankford creek to Cherry street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-third Ward for the paving of Margaret street, from Cherry street to Frankford creek, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Chief Engineer of the Water Department to lay water pipe on Margaret street, from Frankford creek to Cherry street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also,

Presented a communication from Geo. W. Souder, contractor, asking compensation for work to be done in grading Fifth street.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Myers (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grant permission to Messrs. Keller & Krouse to extend their tracks across Philip street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. Siner (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the purchase of a lot of ground on the west side of Germantown road, above Sixth street, for fire purposes, and to make an appropriation therefor."

Which was referred to the Committee on Fire Department.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Committee on Gas Works to locate a gas lamp at the northwest corner of Lawrence and Berks streets, in the Nineteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Board of Fire Commissioners to examine a certain lot or piece of ground situate on the west side of Germantown avenue, north of Sixth street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Fire Department.

Mr. Baldwin (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution relative to the grading and paving of Twenty-seventh street, between Dauphin street and Lehigh avenue, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, with rubble pavement."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Darien street, in the Twentieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Dorlan

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property in the Twenty-fifth Ward for water pipe on Cayuga street, from Broad street to Seventeenth street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to lay water pipe on Bailey street, from Jefferson street to Columbia avenue, in the Twenty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Mr. Wright (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Arrott street, from Leiper street to Asylum pike, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Hall (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe on Sixty-third street, from Market street to Haverford avenue, Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also,

Presented a remonstrance of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-fourth Ward against the construction of a sewer on Westminster avenue, from Fifty-first street to Fifty-sixth street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Jamison (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to extend the sewer on Lancaster avenue, from Forty-fourth street to Forty-fifth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Thornton (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to release the sureties of Isaac McBride, late Commissioner of Highways."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Committee on Finance to report a bill to pay the Recorder for election expenses."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Rowan

Presented a communication from Edwin T. Chase, Solicitor for the late Superintendents of Highways of the Twenty-second Ward, giving a statement in detail of their indebtedness. (*Appendix No. 182.*)

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Bonham

Presented the following:

PHILADELPHIA, *April 8, 1875.*

To the President and Members of Common Council:

GENTLEMEN:—Personal considerations urge me to tender you my resignation as a member of the Fire Commission.

With sentiments of esteem, I remain,

Yours truly,

HAMILTON DISSTON.

Mr. D. W. Gilbert

Moved that Council proceed to an election to fill the vacancy in the Board of Fire Commissioners, occasioned by the resignation of Hamilton Disston.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Glenn, seconded by Mr. D. W. Gilbert, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bonham, Clouds, Dorlan, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hayhurst, James, Judge, J. C. Martin, McMorris, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Siner, Subers, Tatem, Uhler, Vories, and White—22.

NAYS—Messrs. Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Divine, Gallagher, Gibson, J. C. Gilbert, Hall, Hanby, Jamison, Kaney, Klohse, Ladner, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, Rowan, Salter, Schafer, Slack, Sutton, Thornton, Weir, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—32.

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Clearfield street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Lyster

Moved to recommit the bill to the Committee on Highways.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Rowan, seconded by Mr. Gibson, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Clouds, Collins, Davis, Doebley, Gallagher, Garwood, Gibson, J. C. Gilbert,

James, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Ladner, Lyster, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, Myers, Quin, Salter, Schafer, Siner, Subers, Sutton, White, Widener, and Wright—31.

NAYS—Messrs. Baldwin, Cooper, Currie, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, Jamison, Laughlin, McMullin, Mouat, Rowan, Slack, Williamson, and Henszey, *Pres't*—15.

Which was agreed to.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Woodstock, Lambert and Lowber streets, and Jefferson avenue."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Budd, Cartledge, Clouds, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Dorlan, Garwood, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Laughlin, Lippincott, Lyster, J. C. Martin, McMorris, McMullin, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Salter, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—44.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Offered the following, to wit:

RESOLUTION

Relative to the resignation of Hamilton Disston from the office of Fire Commissioner.

Whereas, Hamilton Disston has resigned from the office of Fire Commissioner, having served the City faithfully in that office for two years.

And whereas, In his intercourse with the members of Councils and citizens, he has always been courteous, affable, and faithful in the discharge of the duties devolving on him; therefore,

Resolved by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That they receive his resignation with feelings of regret, and trust that in his retirement he may enjoy the pleasant reflection that he has performed the duties appertaining to the office with fidelity and honor, and to the best interests of the City.

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The preambles were agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Penn street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Budd, Clouds, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Laughlin, Lippincott, Lyster, McGuckin, McMorris, McMullin, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—41.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Knorr, Elizabeth and Gransback streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to amend by striking out the words "who shall be selected by a majority of the owners of property fronting one the following streets."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Budd, Clouds, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Laughlin, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, McGuckin, McMorris, McMullin, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—45.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the tramwaying of Geary street, in the Eighteenth Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Cartledge, Clouds, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. Martin, McGuckin, McMorris, Mouat, Quin, Rowan, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—37.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Penn street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Lyster

Moved to recommit the bill to the Committee on Highways.

Which was agreed to.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Thirty-ninth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Budd, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Ken-

nedy, Klohse, Laughlin, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, McMorris, McMullin, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Uhler, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—39.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Sergeant, Front and Thirty-ninth streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Budd, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Laughlin, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, McMullin, Mouat, Quin, Russell, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—40.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Mr. Caven (on leave)

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the resolution from Select Council entitled "Resolution to discharge the Committee on Schools from the further consideration of a communication from the Board of Public Education, asking for an appropriation to pay a superintendent of music."

Which was agreed to.

The resolution was again read.

Mr. Caven

Moved that the resolution be referred to the Committee on Schools of Common Council.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Davis

Offered the following, to wit :

RESOLUTION

Of request to Select Council to return Ordinance to authorize the paving of Penn street, in the Twenty-third Ward.

Resolved by the Common Council of the City of Philadelphia, That Select Council be requested to return to Common Council Ordinance to authorize the paving of Penn street, in the Twenty-third Ward.

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Hare and Eleventh streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Budd, Cartledge, Clouds, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Judge, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Ladner, Lippincott, J. Martin, McMullin, Mouat, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Uhler, Vories, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—39.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to amend a resolution entitled 'Resolution to authorize the paving of the market plots on Lehigh avenue,'" passed December 30th, 1873.

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

On agreeing to the first and only section,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Rowan, seconded by Mr. Doebley, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Cooper, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Laughlin, Lippincott, and Rowan—16.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Bonham, Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Clouds, Collins, Gibson, James, Judge, Lyster, J. Martin, Matthews, Myers, Quin, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Siner, Sut-

ton, Tatem, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, and Henszey,
Fres't—26.

Which was not agreed to.

And the bill fell.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the footway on the south side of Market street, between Twenty-second street and the Market Street Bridge, to be widened three feet."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to fill the blank by inserting the word "thirty."

Which was agreed to.

The bill was laid over to print the amendment.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the repaving and tramwaying of Oliver, China, Jackson and Alder streets, and Gillis' alley."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Budd, Caven, Clouds, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, Gallagher, Garwood, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hay-

hurst, James, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, Lyster J. Martin, J. C. Martin, Matthews, McMullin, Mouat, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—48.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of McKean, Twelfth, Eighth and Lawrence streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bonham, Budd, Clouds, Cooper, Currie, Doebley, Gallagher, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Judge, Kaney, Klohse, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, McMorris, Mouat, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Vories, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—40.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Hare and Gillingham streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bonham, Caven, Clouds, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, Gallagher, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, Mouat, Russell, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Vories, Weir, White, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—40.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Carpenter, Oakford and Gillingham streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to strike out all relating to Carpenter street.

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section as amended was agreed to.

The title was read.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to amend the title by striking out all relating to Carpenter street.

Which was agreed to.

The title as amended was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Caven, Clouds, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Gallagher, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, McMorris, Mouat, Rowan, Russell, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—40.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Chief Commissioner

of Highways to draw a warrant in favor of Joseph McDonald."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to postpone the further consideration of the bill until Thursday next.

Which was agreed to.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Thirty-first street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bonham, Budd, Cooper, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, Gallagher, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Ladner, Laughlin, Lyster, J. C. Martin, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henzsey, *Pres't*—37.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Railroads, with a bill annexed entitled "Resolution to discharge the Committee on Railroads from the further consideration of a resolution relative to placing flagmen on Washington avenue," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had received a report from the Committee on Schools, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the purchase of a lot of ground on the west side of Twelfth street, north of Columbia avenue, in the Twentieth Ward, for school purposes, and to make an appropriation therefor," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had received a further report from the same Committee, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the purchase of a lot of ground on the northeast corner of Fifty-fifth and Vine streets, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, for school purposes, and to make an appropriation therefor," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had received a report from the Committee on Centennial Anniversary, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance relative to the erection of frame buildings in Fairmount Park for the Centennial International Exhibition, and ground adjacent thereto, west of Belmont avenue," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had passed a resolution entitled "Resolution of instruction to the Chairman of the Committee of Highways, to estimate the cost of the repaving of Green street, Fairmount avenue and Spring Garden street."

Also,

That they had, pursuant to the request of Common Council, returned the bill entitled "An Ordinance to

authorize the paving of Penn street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Mr. Rowan, (on leave,)

Chairman of the Committee on Highways, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Highways for laying footways on Broad and Market streets." (*Appendix No. 183.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Tioga street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward." (*Appendix No. 184.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Forty-ninth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward." (*Appendix No. 185.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Forty-ninth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward." (*Appendix No. 186.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing Geo. Gendell to lay a pipe across Girard avenue, at Warnock street." (*Appendix No. 187.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Harrison street, in the Twenty-third Ward." (*Appendix No. 188.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Harrison, Tioga, Cherry and Jackson streets." (*Appendix No. 189.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Park avenue, in the Twenty-eighth Ward." (*Appendix No. 190.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Hall

Moved that Council do now adjourn.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Thornton, seconded by Mr. Bonham, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Budd, Clouds, Collins, Currie, Dorlan, Gallagher, Hall, Jamison, Klohse, Lippincott, Mc-Morris, Russell, Schafer, Slack, Sutton, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—19.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Bonham, Cooper, Davis, Doebley, Garwood, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Ladner, Laughlin, Lyster, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, Matthews, Mouat,

Myers, Quin, Rowan, Siner, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Weir, White, and Widener—33.

Which was not agreed to.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit:

“An Ordinance to enter satisfaction on the official bond of Jonathan H. Pugh, late Commissioner of Markets and City Property.”

“An Ordinance to release certain properties from the lien of four certain judgments.”

“An Ordinance to enter satisfaction on the official bond of Mahlon H. Dickinson.”

“An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Thomas, Lex, Alter, Grape and Orchard streets.”

“An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Manayunk avenue, in the Twenty-first Ward.”

“An Ordinance to authorize the tramwaying of Geary street, in the Eighteenth Ward.”

“An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Sergeant, Orchard, Lex, Thomas, Alter, Edward, Grape and Ormes streets.”

“An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Forty-sixth street, in the Twenty-seventh Ward.”

“An Ordinance to amend an Ordinance entitled ‘An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Columbia avenue, Jefferson, Forty-second and Foulkrod streets.’”

“An Ordinance to authorize the repaving of Vine street, from Front street to Delaware avenue, and for making an appropriation therefor.”

“An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay damages caused by the widening of Fitch street, and the opening of Broad, Twenty-seventh and Thirty-third streets,” by the following vote: yeas 21, nays 2.

“Resolution relative to the resignation of Hamilton Disston from the office of Fire Commissioner.”

“Resolution of request to Select Council to return Ordinance to authorize the paving of Penn street, in the Twenty-third Ward.”

Mr. Thornton

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled “An Ordinance to revise the lines and grades upon plan No. 123.”

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Quin

Moved that the further consideration of the bill be postponed for the present.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Thornton, seconded by Mr. Collins, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bonham, Clouds, Davis, Doebley, Garwood, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Ladner, Lyster, J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, Myers, Quin, Russell, Siner, Subers, Tatem, Uhler, Weir, Widener, Williamson, and Wright—31.

NAYS—Messrs. Budd, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Gallagher, Klohse, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. C. Martin, Rowan, Schafer, Slack, Sutton, Thornton, White, and Henszey, *Pres't*—16.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Thornton

Moved that Common Council do now adjourn.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Glenn, seconded by Mr. Quin, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Lippincott, Rowan, Russell, and Sutton—4.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Bonham, Clouds, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Ladner, Laughlin, Lyster, J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Siner, Subers, Tatem, Uhler, Weir, White, Williamson, and Henszey, *Pres't*—29.

A quorum of members not voting,

The President

Ordered a call of the House, when the following members answered to their names :

Messrs. Allen, Clouds, Cooper, Doebley, Garwood, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hanby, James, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Ladner, Laughlin, J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, Mouat, Quin, Subers, Tatem, Uhler, White, Widener, Williamson, and Henszey, *Pres't*—27.

A quorum of members not answering to their names,

The President

Declared Council adjourned.

Thursday, April 15, 1875.

Council met—Members present :

Messrs. Allen,
Baldwin,
Bardsley,
Bonham,
Bonsall,
Budd,
Caven,
Clouds,
Collins,
Cooper,
Currie,
Davis,
Divine,
Doebley,
Dorlan,
Gallagher,
Garwood,
Gegan,
Gibson,
Gilbert, D. W.
Glenn,
Hall,
Hanby,
Hayhurst,
James,
Jamison,
Judge,
Kennedy, J.
Kennedy, J. H.
Klohse,

Messrs. Ladner,
Lippincott,
Lyster,
Martin, J.
Martin, J. J.
Matthews,
McGuckin,
McMorris,
McMullin,
Miller,
Mouat,
Myers,
Quin,
Rowan,
Russell,
Salter,
Schafer,
Siner,
Subers,
Sutton,
Tatem,
Thornton,
Uhler,
Vories,
Weir,
White,
Widener,
Williamson,
Wright,
Henszey, *Pres't.*

Mr. Quin (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance directing the Department of Surveys to place Marvine street on the plan of the City."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the appointment of a Commission to examine and report upon the plan of James Haworth for supplying the City with water to the extent of 350,000,000 gallons per day."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-sixth Ward for the repaving and tramwaying of Baltimore street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a communication from James Haworth relative to supplying the City with water.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Mouat (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gas lamp at the southwest corner of Fourth and Gaskill streets, Fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Bardsley (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to restrict the lien of certain judgments against Roger Maynes."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-ninth Ward for the construction of a sewer on Nineteenth street, from Master street to Seybert street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Budd (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution providing for the appointment of a Committee of experts to investigate the subject of the water resources of the City of Philadelphia, and to report as to the best and most economical means of obtaining a supply of pure water."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Mr. Glenn (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Twenty-fifth street, from Hare street to Fairmount avenue, in the Fifteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. J. J. Martin (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gas lamp on the east side of Eighteenth street, north of Spring Garden street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Doebley (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to revise the lines and grades of plan No. 251, in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Miller (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to author-

ize the construction of a sewer on Mascher, Davis and Mutter streets, in the Nineteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Currie (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Orleans street, from Emerald street to Kensington avenue."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-fifth Ward for the paving of Orleans street, from Frankford avenue to Kensington avenue, with rubble pavement, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-fifth Ward for the paving and grading of Cambria street, from Second street to Germantown avenue, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Dorlan (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the purchase of a lot of ground on Sansom street, Nos. 1616 and 1618, in the Eighth Ward, for fire purposes."

Which was referred to the Committee on Fire Department.

Mr. Laughlin (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gas lamp in front of the Church of the Brethren, Marshall street, below Girard avenue, Twentieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Weir

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-second Ward for the grading of Chew street, between Sharpnack and Church streets, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Hall (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance directing the Chief Engineer and Surveyor to prepare plans and estimates for a bridge over the Pennsylvania Railroad, at Girard avenue."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to reduce the width of Fifty fourth street, from Columbia avenue to the City line."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Thornton (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a sewer on Cherry street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-sixth Ward for gas lamps on Washington avenue, from Twenty-first street to Gray's Ferry road, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Rowan (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gas lamps in the Twenty-seventh Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to authorize the construction of a sewer across Seventy-first street, at the intersection of Lloyd street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Dorlan

Moved that Council proceed to the election of a Commissioner of the Fire Department, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Hamilton Disston.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Baldwin

Nominated Alexander McCuen.

Mr. Glenn

Moved that Alexander McCuen be elected by acclamation a Commissioner of the Fire Department.

Which was unanimously agreed to.

And Alex. McCuen was declared unanimously elected a Commissioner of the Fire Department, to fill the unexpired term of Hamilton Disston, resigned.

Mr. Thornton

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate Hart street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, upon the plan of the City."

Which was agreed to

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Budd, Caven, Clouds, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, J. J. Martin, McGuckin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—44.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled “An Ordinance to revise the lines and grades upon plan No. 123.”

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Budd, Caven, Clouds, Collins, Cooper, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, Gallagher, Garwood, Gegan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Ladner, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—48.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to revise the grades upon Ruscomb street, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Budd, Caven, Clouds, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Divine, Dorlan, Gallagher, Garwood, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Ladner, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Rowan, Russell, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—47.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill enti-

tled "An Ordinance to place Peal street, in the Twenty-second Ward, upon the City plan."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Budd, Clouds, Collins, Currie, Doebley, Gallagher, Garwood, Gegan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, James, Jamison, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Ladner, J. Martin, J. J. Martin, McGuckin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Quin, Russell, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—37.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Council proceeded to the second reading of the bill from Select Council entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the purchase of lots of ground on the lower side of Haines street, in the Twenty-second Ward, for school purposes, and to make an appropriation therefor."

The first section was again read and agreed to.

The second section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Clouds, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Divine, Dorlan, Gallagher, Garwood, Gegan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Ladner, Lippincott, McGuckin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Russell, Siner, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—44.

NAYS—Mr. Quin—1.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the bill from Select Council entitled "An Ordinance to approve the contract and sureties of Jacob W. Mattis, for the building of a public school house on Oak lane, Milestown, Twenty-second Ward."

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, Gallagher, Garwood, Gegan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. J. Martin, McGuckin, McMullin, Miller, Mouat,

Quin, Russell, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Weir, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—39.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the bill from Select Council entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Chief Engineer of the Water Department to lay water pipe on Ninth, Mascher, Thompson, Second, Third, Philip, Somerset and Orleans streets."

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Clouds, Cooper, Currie, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, Gallagher, Garwood, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Ladner, Lippincott, J. Martin, McGuckin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Siner, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—43.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Mr. Thornton

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize a revision of the lines and grades in a portion of the Twenty-seventh Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS — Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Budd, Caven, Clouds, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, Gallagher, Garwood, Gegan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, J. Martin, McGuckin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Siner, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Weir, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—44.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the resolution entitled "Resolution to discharge the Committee on Surveys and Regulations, from the further consideration of an Ordinance to repeal so much of an Ordinance, approved November 17th, 1874, as provides for the construction of a sewer on Cuyler street, from Nineteenth to Twentieth street."

Which was agreed to.

The resolution was again read.

Mr. Caven

Moved that the resolution, be recommitted to the Committee on Surveys, with instructions to report the Ordinance favorably.

Which was agreed to.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance directing the Department of Surveys to prepare plans of streets affected by the construction of Fairmount Bridge."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Caven, Clouds, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Quin,

Rowan, Russell, Salter, Siner, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Weir, White, Widener, and Henszey, *Pres't*—48.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Mr. Thornton, (on leave,)

Chairman of the Committee on Surveys, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers on Crown, Stamper, Taney, Lafayette, Aspen, and Forty-first streets, and Corinthian, Chelton, and Germantown avenues." (*Appendix No. 191.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a sewer at Fairmount and Corinthian avenues." (*Appendix No. 192.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revision of grades upon plan No. 152." (*Appendix No. 193.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "Resolution to discharge the Committee on Surveys and Regulations from the further consideration of a resolution to furnish members of Councils with a map of the City of Philadelphia."

The resolution was again read.

Mr. Quin

Moved that the resolution be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Which was agreed to.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a resolution annexed entitled 'Resolution to construct a sewer on the line of Washington avenue, from Sixth street to Passyunk avenue, in the Second Ward,' reporting it back with the request that it be referred to the Committee on Railroads.

The resolution was so referred.

Mr. Bardsley, (on leave,)

Chairman of the Committee on Finance, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize a loan for police purposes, and resolution to publish a loan bill for police purposes." (*Appendix No. 194.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance of request to his Honor the Mayor to enter security for any damages arising from the opening and taking for public use of Somerset street, from Garnet street to Frankford road, in the Twenty-fifth Ward." (*Appendix No. 195.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to enter satisfaction on the official bond of Isaac McBride, late Commissioner of Highways." (*Appendix No. 196.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the release of property of Thomas Fair from the lien of a judgment, and to restrict the lien of said judgment." (*Appendix No. 197.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to enter satisfaction on the official bond of Edward B. Cobb, late Purveyor of First District." (*Appendix No. 198.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the release of certain property of John Scott from the lien of a certain judgment, and restricting the lien of the same." (*Appendix No. 199.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay for arranging and putting in order books and papers pertaining to the Court of Common Pleas." (*Appendix No. 200.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to discharge the Committee on Finance from the consideration of a resolution relative to the Recorder." (*Appendix No. 201.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

The President

Announced that he had appointed Mr. Hanby, a member of the Committee on Surveys, vice Mr. Rittenhouse, resigned.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Law, with a resolution annexed entitled "Resolution to discharge the Committee on Law from the further consideration of a petition of John Agnew, for damages arising from the loss of a horse," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had received a further report from the same Committee, with a resolution annexed entitled "Resolution to discharge the Committee on Law from the further consideration of a petition for a change of the name of Mervine street to Oakdale avenue, and the reference of the same to the Committee on Surveys," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had received a report from the Committee on Water Works, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Chief Engineer of the Water Department to lay water pipe on Field, Wisner, Sergeant, Parrish, Atlanta and Forty-sixth streets, and Park avenue," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had passed a resolution entitled "Resolution of request to the Chief Commissioner of Highways."

Also,

"Resolution of instruction to the Chief Commissioner of Highways."

Also,

That they had received a report from the Committee on Railroads, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Frankford and Southwark Philadelphia City

Passenger Railroad Company to extend their tracks on Fifth and Sixth streets, so as to connect with their car house at the intersection of Jackson street, Moyamensing avenue, and Fifth street."

Also,

That they had concurred in the bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay for copying records of Supreme Court, Inspectors of the Eastern Penitentiary, and for election purposes," with the following amendment: Amend the first and only section by striking out Item 5.

Mr. Glenn

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance granting permission to Mahlon Schock and others to erect a temporary frame chapel on the east side of Fifth street, north of Huntingdon, in the Nineteenth Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Budd, Caven, Clouds, Collins, Currie, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Ladner, J. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMorris, Mouat, Quin, Russell, Salter, Siner, Subers, Tatem, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, and Henszey, *Pres't*—37.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance creating a Board to regulate the use of fire escapes."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read.

Mr. Glenn

Moved to amend by striking out the words "three members of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to be chosen by that body," and inserting "the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department, the President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, and one Fire Commissioner, to be elected by said Board."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The second section was again read and agreed to.

The third section was again read and agreed to.

The fourth section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

And the bill was laid over to print the amendment.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the sale of the old station house property on the south side of Union street, between Third and Fourth streets, in the Fifth Ward."

Which was agreed to

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Budd, Caven, Clouds, Collins, Currie, Davis, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, Gallagher, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, J. H. Kennedy, Ladner, Lippincott, J. J. Martin, McGuckin, McMorris, Mouat, Russell, Salter, Siner, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, and Henszey, *Pres't*—40.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled " An Ordinance granting permission to John Weik to erect wooden buildings at Forty-fourth (Belmont avenue) and Eadline streets, from Forty-fourth to Forty-third street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Hall

Moved to indefinitely postpone the further consideration of the bill.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Hall, seconded by Mr. Bonham, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bon-sall, Caven, Clouds, Collins, Gibson, Hall, Hanby, James, Judge, J. Martin, J. J. Martin, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Salter, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—26.

NAYS—Messrs. Budd, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, Gallagher, Garwood, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hayhurst, Jamison, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klohse, Ladner, Lippincott, Lyster, Matthews, McGuckin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Russell, Schafer, Siner, Sutton, Uhler, Weir, and Williamson—33.

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Quin

Moved that it be referred to the Committee on Centennial Anniversary.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Clouds, seconded by Mr. Quin, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Caven, Clouds, Collins, Cooper, Divine, Hall, Hanby, Judge, Ladner, Lippincott, J. Martin, McMorris, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Salter, Schafer, Tatem, Thornton, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—28.

NAYS—Messrs. Bonsall, Budd, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, Gallagher, Garwood, Gegan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hayhurst, Jamison, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klohse, Lyster, Matthews, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Russell, Siner, Subers, Sutton, Uhler, and Williamson—28.

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Caven

Moved to amend the first and only section by inserting after the word "streets" on the fifth line, the following, "to be enclosed by not less than a twelve feet high fence, neatly finished, and to stand back not less than ten feet from the line of the street."

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Rowan, seconded by Mr. D. W. Gilbert, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bonham, Caven, Clouds, Collins, Cooper, Gibson, Hall, Hanby, Judge, Ladner, J. Martin, J. J. Martin, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Salter, Tatem, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, and Henszey, *Pres't*—23.

NAYS—Messrs. Budd, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, Gallagher, Garwood, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Lyster, Matthews, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Russell, Schafer, Siner, Sutton, Thornton, Uhler, Williamson, and Wright—29.

Which was not agreed to.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Budd, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, Gallagher, Garwood, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Hayhurst, Jamison, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Lippincott, Matthews, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Russell, Schafer, Siner, Sutton, Thornton, Uhler, and Williamson—27.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bonham, Bonsall, Caven, Clouds, Collins, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, James, Judge, Lyster, J. Martin, J. J. Martin, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Salter, Subers, Tatem, Weir, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—26.

Less than a majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was not agreed to.

And the bill fell.

Mr. Allen, seconded by Mr. Hall,

Moved to reconsider the vote just taken on the passage of the above bill.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Allen, seconded by Mr. Hall, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Budd, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, Gallagher, Garwood, Gegan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hayhurst, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Ladner, Lippincott, Lyster, Matthews, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Russell, Schafer, Siner, Sutton, Uhler, and Williamson—32.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Bonham, Bonsall, Caven, Clouds, Collins, Hall, Hanby, James, J. Martin, J. J. Martin, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Salter, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—24.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Glenn

Moved that the further consideration of the bill be postponed, and made the special order for Thursday afternoon next at four and-a-half o'clock.

Which was agreed to.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following:

“An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Sergeant, Front and Thirty-ninth streets.”

“An Ordinance to authorize the paving of McKean, Twelfth, Eighth and Lawrence streets.”

“An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Thirty-first street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.”

“An Ordinance to authorize the tramwaying of Oliver, China, Jackson and Alder streets, and Gillis' alley.”

"An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Hare and Gillingham streets."

"An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Dickinson street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward."

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"An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Hare and Eleventh streets."

"An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Woodstock, Lambert and Lowber streets, and Jefferson avenue."

"An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Oakford and Gillingham streets."

"An Ordinance to authorize the sale of the old station house property, on the south side of Union street, between Third and Fourth streets, in the Fifth Ward."

"An Ordinance granting permission to Mahlon Schock and others to erect a temporary frame chapel on the east side of Fifth street, north of Huntingdon street, in Nineteenth Ward."

"An Ordinance to authorize a revision of the lines and grades in a portion of the Twenty-seventh Ward."

"An Ordinance to revise the grades upon Ruscomb street, in the Twenty-second Ward."

"An Ordinance to place Peal street, in the Twenty-second Ward, upon the City plan."

"An Ordinance to locate Hart street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, upon the plan of the City."

"An Ordinance directing the Department of Surveys to prepare plans of streets affected by the construction of Fairmount Bridge."

Mr. Caven

Moved that Council do now adjourn.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. James, seconded by Mr. Siner, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Bonsall, Budd, Caven, Collins, Gallagher, Gegan, Judge, J. Kennedy, Ladner, Lippincott, Lyster, Matthews, McMorris, Myers, Quin, Russell, Salter, Siner, Sutton, Vories, and Widener—21.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Clouds, Cooper Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, J. Martin, Miller, Mouat, Rowan, Schafer, Subers, Tatem, Thoruton, Weir, White, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—29.

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Widener

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing certain transfers to be made in the appropriation for the expenses of the House of Correction, Employment and Reformation for the year 1875."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bonham, Bonsall, Budd, Caven, Clouds, Collins, Cooper, Davis, Dorlan, Gallagher, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Hall, Hanby, James, J. Kennedy, Ladner, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, Mouat, Quin, Schafer, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—32.

NAYS—None.

A quorum of the members not voting,

The President

Ordered a call of the House, when the following members answered to their names:

Messrs. Baldwin, Bonsall, Budd, Caven, Clouds, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Dorlan, Gibson, Hall, Hanby, James, Jamison, Ladner, Lyster, J. J. Martin, Matthews, Schafer, Subers, Uhler, Vories, Widener, Williamson, and Wright
—26.

A quorum of members not answering to their names,

The President

Declared Council adjourned.

Thursday, April 22, 1875.

Council met—Members present:

Messrs. Allen,
Baldwin,
Bardsley,
Bonham,
Budd,
Cartledge,
Caven,
Clouds,
Cooper,
Currie,
Divine,
Doebley,
Dorlan,
Garwood,
Gegan,
Gibson,
Gilbert, D. W.
Gilbert, J. C.
Glenn,
Hall,
Hanby,
James,
Jamison,
Judge,
Kaney,
Kennedy, J.
Kennedy, J. H.
Klohse,
Ladner,

Messrs. Laughlin,
Lippincott,
Lyster,
Martin, J.
Martin, J. C.
Martin, J. J.
Matthews,
McGuckin,
McMorris,
McMullin,
Miller,
Mouat,
Myers,
Quin,
Rowan,
Russell,
Salter,
Schafer
Slack,
Subers,
Tatem,
Thornton,
Uhler,
Vories,
Weir,
White,
Widener,
Williamson,
Wright,

Henszey, *Pres't.*

The President

Presented a communication from Wm. J. Philips, relative to increased accommodations for the Department of Police and Fire-Alarm Telegraph.

Which was referred to the Committee on City Property.

Also,

Presented a communication from James H. Platt, Jr., inviting Common Council to be present at the trial of patent fire hydrant, on Tuesday, the 27th of April, at 4 P. M., at Broad and Spring Garden streets.

Mr. Glenn

Moved the invitation be accepted.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Slack (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance making an appropriation to the Water Department for the purpose of completing the earthwork on the East Park reservoir."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Chief Commissioner of Highways relative to drawing a warrant in favor of Richard King."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate a City yard on the Parade Ground, in the Twenty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a communication from Thomas A. Barlow, relative to certain alleged irregularities in the management of the House of Correction. (*Appendix No. 202.*)

Which was referred to the Committee on House of Correction.

Mr. Gibson

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Committee on Railroads relative to the laying of track on Forty-first street, by the Market Street Railway Company."

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. Quin (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the construction of branch culvert on Fifth street, from German street to Christian street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay damages caused by the opening and widening of Sycamore street, from Fortieth street to Centre street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Bardsley (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to approve the contract and surety of John Ketcham for the building of a public school edifice at the northeast corner of Seventeenth and Spring Garden streets."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to approve

the contract and sureties of Philip H. Somerset for the building of a school house at the corner of Twelfth and Ogden streets."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners in the Twenty-fourth Ward for water pipe on Girard avenue, from Lancaster avenue to Fifty-second street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Mr. Ladner

Presented a remonstrance of citizens and property owners of the Eighteenth Ward against the laying of a culvert on Hanover street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Garwood

Presented two remonstrances of citizens and property owners against the grading and paving of Sepviva street, from Erie street to Westmoreland street, in said Ward.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to retrace Leithgow street, from Poplar street to George street, Sixteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Miller (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to release the sureties of Wm. Rittenhouse, late Commissioner of Highways."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance relative to the construction of sewers."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Committee on House of Correction." (*Appendix No. 203.*)

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Judge (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Chief Engineer and Surveyor relative to a sewer on the line of Palmer and Harrison streets, in the Eighteenth and Nineteenth Wards."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Baldwin

Presented a petition of sundry citizens asking Councils to grant the Continental Railway the right to lay their tracks on Eighteenth and other streets.

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Davis street, from Thirteenth street to Ontario street, in the Twentieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade and pave Twenty-first street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Dorlan

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Twenty-ninth street, from York street to Nicetown lane, in the Twenty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Twenty-ninth street, from York street to Nicetown lane, in the Twenty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Wright (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize a temporary loan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-third Ward asking that the name of Tacony street be changed to "State avenue," in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Hall (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to lay water pipe on Aspen street, from Forty-eighth to Fiftieth street, Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Mr. D. W. Gilbert (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Chief Commissioner of Highways to construct a temporary bridge across Hart creek, at Cambria and Jasper streets, Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe on Thurlow street, from Indiana street to Hart street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Chief Commissioner of Highways relative to the grading and paving of certain footways in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Thornton (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers on Twenty-first street and Wharton street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-sixth Ward, calling attention to the bad condition of Hepburn street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Rowan

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-seventh Ward for a revision of the grade of Pine street, between Forty-second and Forty-third streets, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Bonham (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gas lamps in the Twenty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Railroads, with a resolution annexed entitled "Resolution to discharge the Committee on Railroads from the further consideration of a bill to permit the Hestonville, Mantua and Fairmount Passenger Railway Company to lay tracks on Front, Race, and Vine streets," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had received a further report from the same Committee, with a resolution annexed entitled "Resolution to discharge the Committee on Railroads from the further consideration of a bill granting Hoover, Harris & Co. the privilege of laying a railroad track on America street, north of Columbia avenue," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had received a report from the Committee on Law, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance directing the Board of Health to provide for the cleansing of the streets, and removal of ashes and garbage in the Twenty-second Ward," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had received a report from the Committee on Schools, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the purchase of a lot of ground on the north side of Catharine street, west of Seventh street, in the Third Ward, for school purposes, and to make an appropriation therefor," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had passed a resolution entitled "Resolution of thanks to the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, the Stonington Steamboat Company, and others, for courtesies extended to the Committee to attend the Anniversary of the Battle of Lexington."

Council resumed the consideration of the bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing certain transfers to be made in the appropriation for the expenses of the

House of Correction, Employment and Reformation for the year 1875," which was under consideration at the adjournment of last meeting.

The question being on the final passage of the bill,

The President

Ordered the yeas and nays to be called, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Cartledge, Caven, Clouds, Cooper, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gibson, J. C. Gilbert, Hall, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klohse, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. C. Martin, Miller, Russell, Schafer, Slack, Tatem, Thornton, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—35.

NAYS—Messrs. Kaney, Lyster, Quin, Rowan, Salter, Uhler, Vories, Weir, and Williamson—9.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Mr. Dorlan

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to approve the award of contract for the erection of a fire station house on the south side of Columbia avenue, west of Twenty-second street, and approval of the contract and sureties."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Cartledge, Clouds, Cooper, Currie, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. H. Kennedy, Klohse, Laughlin, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, Miller, Monat, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—48.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Mr. Hall

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the erection of public lamps."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Garwood

Moved to strike out the words "Sixteenth Ward. One lamp at the southeast corner of Thompson and Canal streets."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Clouds, Cooper, Currie, Divine, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, James, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klohse, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Slack, Subers, Thornton, Uhler, Weir, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—47.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Mr. Miller

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to reorganize the Board of Health."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Miller

Moved to strike out the words "the Presidents of Select and Common Councils."

Mr. Caven

Moved that the further consideration of the bill be postponed, and that it be made the special order for Thursday afternoon next, at four o'clock.

Which was agreed to.

Council proceeded to the second reading of the resolution from Select Council entitled "Resolution of thanks to the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, the Stonington Steamboat Company, and others, for courtesies extended to the

Committee to attend the Anniversary of the Battle of Lexington.”

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The resolution was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required by the President, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Clouds, Cooper, Currie, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Laughlin, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Russell, Salter, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—52.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the resolution passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the bill from Select Council entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the purchase of a lot of ground on the northeast corner of Fifty-

fifth and Vine streets, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, for school purposes, and to make an appropriation therefor."

The first section was again read and agreed to.

The second section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Caven, Clouds, Cooper, Currie, Divine, Doebley, Garwood, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Laughlin, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMullin, Mouat, Russell, Salter, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, and Henszey, *Pres't*—44.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also,

Proceeded to the consideration of the following amendment of Select Council to the bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay for copying records of Supreme Court, Inspectors of the Eastern Penitentiary, and for election purposes," viz.: amend the first and only section by striking out Item 5.

Mr. Baldwin

Moved that Common Council non-concur in Select Council's amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Baldwin

Moved that a Committee of Conference be appointed on the difference between the Chambers on the bill.

Which was agreed to.

The President

Appointed Messrs. Baldwin, Miller and Hall, the Committee on the part of Common Council.

The hour of four-and-a-half o'clock having arrived, Council resumed the third reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance granting permission to John Weik to erect wooden buildings at Forty-fourth (Belmont avenue) and Eadline streets, from Forty-fourth to Forty-third street," which had been made the special order for that hour.

The question being on the final passage of the bill,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Budd, Clouds, Cooper, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klohse, Laughlin, Lyster, J. C. Martin, Matthews, McMullin, Mouat, Russell, Schafer, Thornton, Vories, White, and Williamson.—27.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Divine, Gibson, J. C. Gilbert, Hall, Hanby, Kaney, Ladner, J. Martin, McGuckin, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Subers, Tatem, Uhler, Weir, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—23.

Less than a majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative, it was not agreed to, and the bill fell.

Mr. Bardsley

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the resolution entitled "Resolution to publish a loan bill for police purposes."

Which was agreed to.

The resolution was read.

Mr. Bardsley

Moved that the resolution be recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

Which was agreed to.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance of request to his Honor the Mayor to enter security for any damages arising from the opening and taking for public use of Somerset street, from Garnet street to Frankford road, in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Budd, Caven, Clouds, Currie, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hanby, James, Kaney, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klohse, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, Lyster, J. C. Martin, McGuckin, Mouat, Rowan, Russell, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—38.

NAYS—Messrs. Baldwin and Bonham—2.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to enter satisfaction on the official bond of Isaac McBride, late Commissioner of Highways."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Caven, Clouds, Currie, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, James, Judge, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't* —47.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the release of property of Thomas Fair from the lien of a judgment, and to restrict the lien of said judgment."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Caven, Clouds, Currie, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hanby, James, Judge, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klohse, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. C. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMullin, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—42.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill enti-

tled "An Ordinance to enter satisfaction on the official bond of Edward B. Cobb, late Purveyor, First District."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Caven, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, James, Judge, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klohse, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, McGuckin, McMullin, Mouat, Myers, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Slack, Subers, Uhler, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—40.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the release of certain property of John Scott from the lien of certain judgments, and restricting the lien of the same."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Caven, Clouds, Currie, Divine, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, James, Judge, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klohse, Laughlin, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, McGuckin, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—47.

NAYS—Mr. Gibson—1.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled “An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay for arranging and putting in order books and papers pertaining to the Court of Common Pleas.”

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Budd, Clouds, Currie, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Laughlin, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, McGuckin, Miller, Mouat, Rowan, Rus-

sell, Salter, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Weir, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—40.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the resolution entitled "Resolution to discharge the Committee on Finance from the consideration of a resolution relative to the Recorder."

Which was agreed to.

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to create a loan for the building of main sewers in the City of Philadelphia."

The Clerk produced the papers in which the bill had been published according to law.

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read.

Mr. Bardsley

Moved that the further consideration of the bill be postponed, and that it be made the special order for Thursday next, immediately after the call of the Wards.

Which was agreed to.

Also,

Chairman of the Committee on Finance, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to approve the sureties of Wm. H. McFadden, Chief Engineer of the Water Department, and to restrict the lien of the judgment entered on his official bond." (*Appendix No. 204.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay damages for the opening of Stiles street, from Thirteenth street to Broad street." (*Appendix No. 205*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Baldwin,

Chairman of the Committee of Conference of Common Council on the points of difference between the Chambers on the bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay for copying records of Supreme Court, expenses of Inspectors of the Eastern Penitentiary, and for election purposes," presented a report. (*Appendix No. 206.*)

Mr. Baldwin

Moved that the report be adopted.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Clouds, Currie, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klohse, Laughlin, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Weir, White, and Henszey, *Pres't*—37.

NAYS—Messrs. Caven, Gibson, Matthews, Schafer, and Widener—5.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Rowan,

Chairman of the Committee on Highways, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Willow, Harrison and Mulberry streets." (*Appendix No. 207.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Sycamore street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward." (*Appendix No. 208.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Elm avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward." (*Appendix No. 209.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Elm avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward." (*Appendix No. 210.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of

Fifty-second street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward." (*Appendix No. 211.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Fifty-second street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward." (*Appendix No. 212.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Twenty-fifth street, in the Fifteenth Ward." (*Appendix No. 213.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Margaret street, in the Twenty-third Ward." (*Appendix No. 214.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Thompson, Harrison, Willow and Mulberry streets." (*Appendix No. 215.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading

of Margaret street, in the Twenty-third Ward." (*Appendix No. 216.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Thirtieth street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward." (*Appendix No. 217.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Twenty-seventh street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward." (*Appendix No. 218.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Riley street, in the Twenty-first Ward." (*Appendix No. 219.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Park avenue, in the Twenty-eighth Ward." (*Appendix No. 220.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Thirtieth street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward." (*Appendix No. 221.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Twenty-eighth and Sepviva streets, and Snyder avenue." (*Appendix No. 222.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Huhn, Jarden, Mifflin and Twenty-seventh streets." (*Appendix No. 223.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Westminster avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward." (*Appendix No. 224.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Jackson, Jarden, Huhn and Sepviva streets." (*Appendix No. 225*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Twenty-eighth street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward." (*Appendix No. 226.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Twenty-eighth street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward." (*Appendix No. 227.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Twenty-eighth street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward." (*Appendix No. 228.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Thornton,

Chairman of the Committee on Surveys, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers on Harriet, Wylie, Hamilton, Twenty-second, Cherry, Chestnut and Market streets, and Germantown avenue." (*Appendix No. 229.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing a revision of grade on Armat street, at the crossing of the German-town Railroad." (*Appendix No. 230.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the re-grading of South street and Chippewa street." (*Appendix No. 231.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make surveys and plans of curb regulations for a part of the Twenty-fourth Ward." (*Appendix No. 232.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to reduce the width of Wyoming avenue, in the Twenty-second Ward." (*Appendix No. 233.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to regulate the charges of District Surveyors' certificates for grading." (*Appendix No. 234.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the dredging and cleansing of Mill creek, in the Twenty-seventh Ward, and to make an appropriation therefor," reporting back the same, with the request that it be referred to the Committee on City Property.

It was so referred.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to repeal part of an Ordinance approved November 17th, 1874, entitled 'An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers on Cuyler, Twenty sixth, Fortieth, Forty-first, Wright, Race, Filson, Foulkrod, Seventeenth and Wharton streets, and

Elm and Girard avenues, and Master street.' ' (*Appendix No. 235.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Glenn,

Chairman of the Committee on Police, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to reorganize the Department of Building Inspectors in the City of Philadelphia." (*Appendix No. 236.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance establishing a public bath at Callowhill Street Bridge." (*Appendix No. 237.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance granting permission to Isaac Spiegel to remove a frame dwelling house." (*Appendix No. 238.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the locating of a stand for hackmen on the west side of Broad street, between Carpenter and Christian streets." (*Appendix No. 239.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the erection of a frame storehouse on the river Schuylkill, below Chestnut street." (*Appendix No. 240.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance granting permission to the Consumers' Ice Company to erect a frame building." (*Appendix No. 241.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance granting permission to Joseph Nixson to erect a temporary frame building." (*Appendix No. 242.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Dorlan,

Chairman of the Committee on Fire Department, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to discharge the Committee on Fire Department from the consideration of an Ordinance to authorize the purchase of a lot of ground at Germantown road and Huntingdon street, and to make an appropriation therefor." (*Appendix No. 243.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the purchase of a lot of ground on the east side of Tenth street, south of Columbia avenue, for a fire station, and to make an appropriation therefor." (*Appendix No. 244.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to approve the award of the contract for the erection of a fire station house on the southwest side of Montgomery avenue, southeast of Girard

avenue, and the approval of the contract and sureties, and to repeal a certain Ordinance." (*Appendix No. 245.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Quin

Moved that the order of business be suspended, in order to proceed to the second reading and consideration of the bill from Select Council entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the purchase of a lot of ground on the north side of Catharine street, west of Seventh street, in the Third Ward, and to make an appropriation therefor."

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Rowan, seconded by Mr. Caven, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bonham, Budd, Caven, Divine, Doebley, Gegan, Gibson, Hall, Hanby, James, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMorris, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—39.

NAYS—Messrs. Clouds, Currie, D. W. Gilbert, Lyster, McMullin, Miller, and Rowan—7.

Two-thirds having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

Mr. Quin

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill from Select Council entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the purchase of a lot of ground on the north side of Catharine

street, west of Seventh street, in the Third Ward, for school purposes, and to make an appropriation therefor."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read and agreed to.

The second section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Caven, Clouds, Currie, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Hall, Hanby, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, Lvster, J. Martin, J. C. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMorris, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright and Henszey, *Pres't*—48.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Mr. Thornton

Moved to suspend the order of business for the purpose of proceeding to the consideration of bills on second reading.

On agreeing to the motion, .

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Thornton, seconded by Mr. Rowan, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Budd Caven, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, Hall, James, Jamison, Judge, Klohse, Lippincott, J. C. Martin, M^r Morris, Miller, Mouat, Schafer, Slack, Subers, Thornton, Uhler, White, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—25.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Bonham, Clouds, Currie, Garwood, Gegan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Ladner, Lyster, J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, Myers, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Widener, and Williamson—22.

Two-thirds of those present not voting in the affirmative.

It was not agreed to.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit :

“ An Ordinance to authorize the erection of public lamps.”

“ An Ordinance authorizing certain transfers to be made in the appropriation for the expenses of the House of Correction, Employment and Reformation for the year 1875.”

“ An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Myrtle street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.”

“ An Ordinance to approve the award of contract for the erection of a fire station house, on the south side of Columbia avenue, west of Twenty-second street, and approval of the contract and sureties.”

“ An Ordinance to revise the lines and grades upon plan No. 123.”

“ An Ordinance of request to his Honor the Mayor to enter security for any damages arising from the opening and taking for public use Somerset street, from Garnet street to Frankford road, in the Twenty-fifth Ward.”

“ An Ordinance authorizing the release of property of Thomas Fair from the lien of a judgment, and to restrict the lien of said judgment.”

“An Ordinance to enter satisfaction on the official bond of Isaac McBride, late Commissioner of Highways.”

“An Ordinance to enter satisfaction on the official bond of Edw. B. Cobb, late Purveyor, First District.”

“Resolution of instruction to the Committee on House of Correction.”

Also,

That they had adopted the report of the Committee of Conference on the points of difference on the bill entitled “An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay for copying records of Supreme Court, Inspectors of the Eastern Penitentiary, and for election purposes.”

Mr. Kaney

Moved that Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

And Council adjourned.

Thursday, April 29, 1875.

Council met—Members present :

Messrs. Allen,
Baldwin,
Bardsley,
Bonham,
Bonsall,
Budd,
Cartledge,
Caven,
Collins,
Cooper,
Currie,
Davis,
Doebley,
Dorlan,
Gallagher,
Garwood,
Gibson,
Gilbert, D. W.
Gilbert, J. C.
Glenn,
Hall,
Hayhurst,
Jamison,
Kaney,
Kennedy, J.
Kennedy, J. H.
Klauder,
Klohse,

Messrs. Ladner,
Lippincott,
Lyster,
Martin, J.
Martin, J. J.
Matthews,
McGuckin,
McMorris,
McMullin,
Miller,
Mouat,
Myers,
Quin,
Rowan,
Russell,
Salter,
Siner,
Slack,
Subers,
Sutton,
Tatem,
Thornton,
Uhler,
Weir,
White,
Widener,
Williamson,
Wright,

Henszey, *Pres't.*

The President

Presented a communication from the Philadelphia county Medical Society remonstrating against any change in the organization of the Board of Health.

Mr. Miller

Moved that the communication be referred to the Special Committee on Board of Health and Street Cleaning Contracts.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Tatem (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the tramwaying of Mott street, in the Second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the tramwaying of Miller street, in the Second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to change the place of holding elections in the Fifth Division of the Second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a sewer on Wharton street, from Eighth to Ninth street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution relative to repaving Auburn street, in the Second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Gibson (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the City Controller relative to countersigning bills."

Which was referred to the Committee on Law.

Mr. Glenn

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners along the line of Callowhill street, relative to the building of the People's Passenger Railway.

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. Allen (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the repaving of Bodine street, in the Seventeenth and Nineteenth Wards."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the tramwaying of Hope street, in the Sixteenth and Seventeenth Wards, and Pollard street, in the Sixteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Doebley (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Mervine street, from Diamond street to Susquehanna avenue."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to amend a resolution entitled 'Resolution to authorize the paving of market plots on Lehigh avenue,'" passed December 30th, 1873.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Mervine street, from Diamond street to Susquehanna avenue."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the erection of a frame building on Montgomery avenue, below Girard avenue, in the Eighteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Police.

Mr. Myers (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the repaving of Leithgow street, in the Nineteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Dorlan (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Belgrade street, from Tioga to Venango street, Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of McMurray, Chatham, Gaul, Neff, Agate, Memphis and Tulip streets, in Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled " An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Victoria street, from Lambert street to Myrtle street, in Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee ou Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property in the Twenty-fifth Ward for water pipe on Eighth street, from Tioga street to Rising Sun lane, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also,

Presented a petition of late members of the Fire Department for a hearing relative to their dismissal from the department.

Which was referred to the Committee on Fire Department.

Mr. Baldwin (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled " An Ordinance to authorize the trainwaying of Prospect street, from Thompson to Jefferson street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: " Resolution to locate a gas lamp on Marshall street, below Girard avenue, in the Twentieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Uhler

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-first Ward for the opening of Sharp street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Hall (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading and paving of Columbia avenue, from Fifty-fourth to Fifty-third-and-a-half-street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park." (*Appendix No. 246.*)

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a lamp and lamp post on Mount Pleasant or Leibert street, Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Jamison (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to grade Pear street, from Sycamore street to Aspen street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Sutton

Presented a remonstrance of citizens and property owners against the paving and grading of Sepviva street, north of Venango street.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, •

Presented a communication from Thomas Monaghan, asking for a Special Committee to investigate the matter

of grading Hancock street, from Lehigh avenue to Somerset street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward.

Mr. Rowan

Moved that the petition be referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Quin

Moved to amend by striking out "Highways" and inserting "a Special Committee of five members."

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Rowan, seconded by Mr. Quin, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Budd, Caven, Cooper, Gallagher, Gibson, J. C. Gilbert, Hall, Kaney, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Lyster, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMorris, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Siner, Sutton, Uhler, Weir, White, and Widener—27.

NAYS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Cartledge, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hayhurst, Jamison, Lippincott, McMullin, Rowan, Russell, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—23.

Which was agreed to.

The motion as amended was agreed to.

The President

Appointed Messrs. Quin, Bardsley, Lippincott, Subers, and Tatem, the Committee.

Mr. Gilbert (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Chief Commissioner of Highways relative to grading certain streets."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled " An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Survey Department for the construction of Hart creek sewer."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Thornton (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled " An Ordinance to authorize the construction of Thirteenth street and Snyder avenue sewer."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Rowan (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled " An Ordinance to revise lines and grades of Girard avenue, between Thirty-first street and Schuylkill river."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled " An Ordinance supplementary to an Ordinance entitled ' An Ordinance to create and organize a Paid Fire Department for the City of Philadelphia,' " approved December 29th, 1870.

Which was referred to the Committee on Fire Department.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners fronting on Baltimore avenue, between Forty-ninth and Fifty-first streets, asking for the revision of grades thereof.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Bonham (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit : " Resolution to construct a culvert on Garnet street, between Jefferson and Oxford streets, Twenty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Commissioner of City Property relative to paving footways surrounding Spring Garden basin."

Which was referred to the Committee on City Property.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gas lamps in the Twenty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Cooper

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-eighth Ward for a gas lamp on St. James street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners for the grading and paving of Twenty-first street, between Alleghany avenue and Venango street, Twenty-eighth Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Law, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the payment of costs for paving intersections of streets not dedicated, and the laying of water pipe," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had received a report from the Committee on Water Works, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Chief Engineer of the Water Department to lay water pipe on Wood, Ruscombe, Morton, Sixty-third, Forty-first and Egglesfield streets, and Patton avenue," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had received a further report from the same Committee, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Chief Engineer of the Water Department to extend the ten inch supply main from Wister street to Eighteenth street, in the Twenty-second Ward." which they had passed.

Also,

That they had passed a resolution entitled "Resolution of instruction to the Trustees of the Philadelphia Gas Works, relative to lamps around Independence Square."

Mr. Widener

Moved that the order of business be suspended, in order to proceed to the second reading and consideration of the bill from Select Council entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the purchase of a lot of ground on the west side of Twelfth street, north of Columbia avenue, in the Twentieth Ward, and to make an appropriation therefor."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read and agreed to.

The second section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS — Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Dorlan, Garwood, Gibson, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Jamison, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klohse, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMorris, Miller, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sut-

ton, Thornton, Uhler, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—43.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

The call of the Wards being concluded, Council resumed the consideration of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to create a loan for the building of main sewers in the City of Philadelphia," which had been made the special order for that time.

The first section was again read and agreed to.

The second section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bon-sall, Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, Gallagher, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, Jamison, Kaney, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, J. J. Martin, McGuckin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—52.

NAYS—Mr. Quin—1.

More than two thirds of the whole number of members having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit:

"An Ordinance authorizing the release of certain property of John Scott from the lien of a certain judgment, and restricting the lien of the same."

"An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay for arranging and putting in order books and papers pertaining to the Court of Common Pleas."

"An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Trenton avenue, in the Nineteenth and Twenty-fifth Wards."

"Resolution to discharge the Committee on Finance from the consideration of a resolution relative to the Recorder."

"Resolution of request to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park."

The hour of four o'clock having arrived, Council resumed the consideration of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to reorganize the Board of Health," which had been made the special order for that time.

The question being on the motion to strike out the words "The Presidents of Select and Common Councils," in the first section,

Mr. Caven

Moved that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Caven, seconded by Mr. Widener, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Budd, Caven, Collins, Cooper, J. C. Gilbert, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Ladner, Lyster, J. J. Martin Matthews, Quin, Uhler, Weir, and Widener—15.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, Gallagher, Garwood, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, Jamison, Klohse, Lippincott, J. Martin, McGuckin, McMorris, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, White, Williamson, and Henszey, *Pres't*—37.

Which was not agreed to.

The question recurring on the motion to strike out the Presidents of Select and Common Councils,

Mr. Quin

Moved that the further consideration of the subject be postponed until Thursday next, and the opinion of the City Solicitor be obtained upon the power of the City Councils to pass such an Ordinance.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Rowan, and seconded by Mr. Lyster, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Bardsley, Bonsall, Budd, Caven, Collins, Davis, Gallagher, J. C. Gilbert, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Ladner, Lyster, J. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, Quin, Salter, Siner, Subers, Sutton, Uhler, Weir, and Widener—25.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bonham, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, Jamison, Klohse, Lippincott, McGuckin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Rowan, Russell, Slack, Tatem, Thornton, White, Williamson, and Henszey, *Pres't*—27.

Which was not agreed to.

The question recurring on the motion to strike out the Presidents of Select and Common Councils,

It was agreed to.

The question being on the section as amended,

Mr. Caven

Moved to further amend as follows : strike out the words "the Mayor, the Chief Commissioner of Highways and twelve citizens to be elected as hereinafter provided, together with the following named persons, constituting the present Board of Health."

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Caven, seconded by Mr. Lyster, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Budd, Caven, Collins, J. C. Gilbert, J. Kennedy, Lyster, J. J. Martin, Matthews, Quin, Uhler, and Widener—11.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bonham, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, Gallagher, Garwood, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, Jamison, Klohse, Lippincott, J. Martin, McGuckin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thoruton, White, Williamson, and Henszey, *Pres't*—34.

Which was not agreed to.

The question recurring on the section as amended,

Mr. Quin

Moved that Council do now adjourn.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Lyster, seconded by Mr. Matthews, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Budd, Caven, Collins, Davis, J. C. Gilbert, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Ladner, Lyster, J. J. Martin, Matthews, Quin, Siner, Slack, Sutton, and Widener, —17.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, Gallagher, Garwood, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, Jamison, Klohse, Lippincott, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Rowan, Russell, Subers, Tatem,

Thornton, White, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey,
Pres't—29.

Which was not agreed to.

The question recurring on the section as amended,

Mr. Lyster

Moved to amend further by striking out the words,
“the Mayor and Chief Commissioner of Highways.”

Mr. Matthews

Moved that Council do now adjourn.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Rowan, seconded by Mr. D. W. Gilbert, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Budd, Cooper, Davis, Gibson, J. C. Gilbert, Ladner, Lyster, Matthews, Russell, Salter, and Widenner,—11.

NAYS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Caven, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Jamison, J. Kennedy, J. Martin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, White, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—23.

Which was not agreed to.

The question recurring on the motion to strike out, &c.

Mr. Miller,

Seconded by Messrs. Baldwin, Bonham, Currie, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, Hall, Jamison, Lippincott, Myers, Rowan, Russell, and Tatem, moved the previous question.

The question being, “Shall the main question be now put?”

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Caven, seconded by Mr. Matthews, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bonham, Bonsall, Cur-

rie, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Jamison, Lippincott, J. Martin, Miller, Myers, Rowan, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, White, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—25.

NAYS—Messrs. Bardsley, Budd, Caven, Cooper, J. C. Gilbert, Lyster, Russell, Salter, and Widener—9.

A quorum of members not voting,

The President

Ordered a call of the House, when the following members answered to their names :

Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Budd, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Hall, Hayhurst, Jamison, Klauder, J. Martin, McMullin, Rowan, Russell, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—28.

A quorum of members not answering to their names,

The President

Declared Council adjourned.

Tuesday, May 4, 1875.

A special meeting of Common Council was held this afternoon, pursuant to the following call :

PHILADELPHIA *May 1, 1875.*

JOHN ECKSTEIN, ESQ.,

Clerk of Common Council.

Call a special meeting of Common Council, to be held on Tuesday, May 4th, 1875, at 3 o'clock P. M., in Common Council chamber, to consider Select Council bills, and other business.

A. WILSON HENSZEY,

President of Common Council.

Council met—Members present :

Messrs. Allen,

Baldwin,

Bardsley,

Bonham,

Bonsall,

Budd,

Caven,

Collins,

Currie,

Doebley,

Dorlan,

Gallagher,

Garwood,

Gegan,

Gibson,

Gilbert, D. W.

Hall,

Hanby,

James,

Jamison,

Judge,

Kaney,

Kennedy, J.

Klauder,

Klohse,

Messrs. Lippincott,

Lyster,

Martin, J.

Martin, J. J.

Matthews,

McGuckin,

McMullin,

Miller,

Mouat,

Myers,

Quin,

Rowan,

Russell,

Schafer.

Siner,

Slack,

Subers,

Sutton,

Tatem,

Thornton,

Uhler,

White,

Widener,

Williamson,

Wright,

Henszey *Pres't.*

Mr. Rowan (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to grade Hamilton street, from Thirty-second street to Thirty-first street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition from Mrs. Franklin Bacon, President of the Philadelphia Home for Infants, asking exemption from water rent and an appropriation for its support.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Mr. Hall

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners asking for the construction of a sewer on Bell street, Twenty-fourth Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Common Council proceeded to the second reading of the bill from Select Council entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the payment of costs for paving intersections of streets not dedicated, and the laying of water pipe."

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Lyster

Moved that the further consideration of the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Which was agreed to.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the bill from Select Council entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Chief Engineer of the Water Department to lay water pipe on

Wood, Ruscomb, Morton, Sixty-third, Forty-first and Eglesfield streets, and Patton avenue."

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Currie, Dorlan, Gallagher, Gegan, Gibson, Hall, Hanby, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klaunder, Klobse, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Schafer, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—43.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had concurred in the resolution entitled "Resolution to place upon the City plan Rising Sun lane, between Second and Broad streets, and prepare plans for the same," with the following amendment, viz : amend the resolution by changing the same into an Ordinance, and the title thereof by changing the same into an Ordinance.

Mr. Quin

Moved that Common Council concur in Select Council's amendments.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Caven, Currie, Dorlan, Gallagher, Garwood, Gegan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Hall, Hanby, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMullin, Mouat, Russell, Schafer, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—43.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred in Select Council's amendments.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the bill from Select Council entitled "An Ordinance setting apart the parade ground in the Twenty-sixth Ward to the Inspectors of the County Prison, for the extension of the said prison."

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Thornton

Moved that the further consideration of the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Which was agreed to.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the bill from Select Council entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Chief Engineer of the Water Department to extend the ten inch

supply main from Wister street to Eighteenth street, in the Twenty-second Ward."

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Budd, Currie, Doebley, Gallagher, Gegan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Hanby, James, Janison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Lyster, J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Schafer, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Uhler, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—39.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the resolution from Select Council entitled "Resolution of instruction to the Trustees of the Philadelphia Gas Works to place lamps around Independence Square."

The resolution was again read.

Mr. Hall

Moved that the resolution be referred to the Committee on Gas Works of Common Council.

Which was agreed to.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the resolution from Select Council entitled "Resolution to discharge the Committee on Railroads from the further consideration of a bill to permit the Hestonville, Mantua and Fairmount Passenger Railway Company to lay tracks on Front, Race, and Vine streets."

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the bill from Select Council entitled "An Ordinance directing the Board of Health to provide for the cleansing of the streets, and removal of ashes and garbage in the Twenty-second Ward."

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Caven, Currie, Dorlan, Gallagher, Garwood, Gibson, Hall, Hanby, James, Jamison, Judge, Klauder, Klohse, Lippincott, Lyster, Matthews, McGuckin, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Uhler, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—40.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the resolution from Select Council entitled "Resolution to discharge the Committee on Railroads from the further consideration of a bill granting Hoover, Harris & Co. the privilege of laying a railroad track on America street, north of Columbia avenue."

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the resolution from Select Council entitled "Resolution of instruction to the Chief Commissioner of Highways."

The resolution was again read.

Mr. Caven

Moved that the further consideration of the resolution be postponed for the present.

Which was agreed to.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the resolution from Select Council entitled "Resolution of request to the Chief Commissioner of Highways."

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the resolution from Select Council entitled "Resolution to discharge the Committee on Law from the further consideration of a petition or a change of the name of Mervine street to Oakdale

avenue, and the reference of the same to the Committee on Surveys."

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Caven

Moved to resume the second reading of the resolution entitled "Resolution of instruction to the Chief Commissioner of Highways."

Which was agreed to.

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the bill from Select Council entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Frankford and Southwark Philadelphia City Passenger Railroad Company to extend their tracks on Filth and Sixth streets, so as to connect with their car house at the intersection of Jackson street, Moyamensing avenue and Fifth street."

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Doebley

Moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Railroads of Common Council.

Which was not agreed to.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Caven, Currie, Dorlan, Gallagher, Gegau, Gibson, Hall, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Rowan, Russell, Siner, Slack, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—37.

NAYS—Messrs. Doebley, D. W. Gilbert, and Williamson—3.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the resolution from Select Council entitled "Resolution to discharge the Committee on Law from the further consideration of a petition of Jno. Agnew, for damages arising from the loss of a horse."

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the bill from Select Council entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Chief Engineer of the Water Department to lay water pipe on Field, Whisner, Sergeant, Parrish, Atlanta and Forty-sixth streets, and Park avenue."

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Caven, Currie, Dorlan, Gallagher, Gegan, Gibson, Hall, Hanby, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Lippincott, J. Martin, McGuckin, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Rowan, Russell, Siner, Slack, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—39.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also,

Proceeded to the consideration of the following amendments of Select Council to the bill entitled "An Ordinance granting permission to Messrs. Kreider, Campbell & Co. to lay a pipe on Germantown avenue," viz.: insert at end of section the following: "The above work to be done under the supervision of the Chief Commissioner of Highways," and amend the title by adding "on Germantown avenue."

Mr. Miller

Moved that Common Council concur in Select Council's amendments.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, Gallagher, Garwood, Gegan, Gibson, Hall, Hanby, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin,

Matthews, McGuckin, McMullin, Miller, Rowan, Russell, Slack, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—39.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred in Select Council's amendments.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the resolution from Select Council entitled "Resolution of instruction to the Chairman of the Committees on Water Works, Highways, Surveys, Railroads, Police and Gas Works, relative to improvements for the advancement of the Centennial Exhibition."

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the resolution from Select Council entitled "Resolution to discharge the Committee on City Property from the consideration of an Ordinance locating a powder magazine in the Twenty-third Ward."

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the bill from Select Council entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the sale of a triangular lot of ground on the west side of Twenty-

seventh street, north of Master street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward."

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Caven, Currie, Dorlan, Gallagher, Garwood, Gegan, Gibson, Hall, Hanby, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Lippincott, Matthews, McGuckin, McMullin, Mouat, Rowan, Russell, Siner, Slack, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, and Henszey, *Pres't*—37.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the bill from Select Council entitled " An Ordinance to approve the contract and surety of Thomas McCarty for the completion of the third story of the school house at Thirteenth street and Susquehanna avenue, in the Twenty-eighth Ward."

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Caven

Moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Schools of Common Council.

Which was agreed to.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the bill from Select Council entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the acceptance by the City of a certain plot of ground, situate at Broad street and Germantown avenue, in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Currie, Garwood, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Hall, Hanby, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, Klauder, Klohse, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, Matthews, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—39.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the resolution from Select Council entitled "Resolution to discharge the Committee on Railroads from the consideration of a resolution relative to placing flagmen on America street."

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the bill from Select Council entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Chief Engineer of the Water Department to lay water pipe on Evangelist, Siloam, Wilson, Indiana and Cambria streets."

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Caven, Doebley, Dorlan, Gallagher, Garwood, Gegan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Hall, Hanby, James, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Lyster, J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMullin, Miller, Quin, Russell, Schafer, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—39.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the resolution from Select Council entitled "Resolution to discharge the Committee on Railroads from the further consideration of a resolution relative to placing flagmen on Washington avenue."

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the resolution from Select Council entitled "Resolution discharging the Committee on Law from the further consideration of a petition relative to students attending the medical clinics at the Almshouse."

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the resolution from Select Council entitled "Resolution to discharge the Committee on Law from the further consideration of a resolution of instruction to the Building Inspectors."

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the resolution from Select Council entitled "Resolution to discharge the Committee on Law from the consideration of an Ordinance to regulate the width of tires of wheels for hauling stone and other heavy weights."

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the resolution from Select Council entitled "Resolution of instruction to the Chief Commissioner of Highways."

The resolution was again read.

Mr. Lyster

Moved that the further consideration of the resolution be postponed for the present.

Mr. Quin

Moved that the further consideration of the resolution be indefinitely postponed.

Which was not agreed to.

The question recurring on the motion to postpone for the present,

It was agreed to.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the resolution from Select Council entitled "Resolution directing the Chief Engineer and Surveyor to report the cost of repairing foot-walks on Girard Avenue Bridge."

The resolution was again read.

Mr. Bardsley

Moved that the further consideration of the resolution be postponed for the present.

Which was agreed to.

Also,

Proceeded to the consideration of the following amendments of Select Council to the bill entitled "An Ordinance instructing the Chief Commissioner of Highways to notify the owners of property on Twenty-sixth street, Pennsylvania avenue to Brown street, and on the north side of Pennsylvania avenue, from Coates to Twenty-sixth street, to grade and pave footways," viz.: amend the first and only section as follows: strike out "Coates street," and insert in place thereof, "Fairmount avenue," and amend the title accordingly.

Mr. Tatem

Moved that Common Council concur in Select Council's amendments.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Caven, Currie, Dorlan, Gallagher, Garwood, Gegan, Gibson, Hall, Hanby, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMullin, Quin, Russell, Siner, Slack, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—37.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred in Select Council's amendments.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the resolution from Select Council entitled "Resolution of request to the General Assembly not to pass Senate bill No. 108, relative to the continuance of the present powder magazine."

The resolution was again read.

Mr. Bardsley

Moved that the further consideration of the resolution be indefinitely postponed.

Which was agreed to.

Also,

Proceeded to the consideration of the following amendments of Select Council to the bill entitled "An Ordinance

to change and establish places of voting in the several divisions of the Wards of the City," viz.: insert "Fourteenth Ward, Sixth Division, at the northwest corner of Thirteenth and Brandywine streets." Also, immediately after the words "Twenty-second Ward," the following, "Twelfth Division at the house of George Wolf, corner of Germantown avenue and Coulter street;" also, insert "Twenty-first Ward, First Division, at the house of George Roebuck, Cresson street, below Seville street;" also, insert "Sixteenth Ward, Eighth Division, at the office of Jacob Kohle, No. 1005 North Third street."

Mr. Bardsley

Moved that Common Council concur in Select Council's amendments.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Budd, Caven, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, Gallagher, Gegan, Gibson, Hall, Hanby, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, McGuckin, Miller, Mouat, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Schafer, Siner, Slack, Tatem, Thornton, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't* —37.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred in Select Council's amendments.

Mr. Thornton, seconded by Mr. James,

Moved to reconsider the vote by which the resolution from Select Council entitled "Resolution to discharge the Committee on Railroads from the further consideration of

a resolution relative to placing flagmen on Washington avenue," was passed.

Which was agreed to.

The question being on agreeing to the resolution,

Mr. Thornton

Moved that the resolution be referred to the Committee on Railroads of Common Council.

Which was agreed to.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the bill from Select Council entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the extension of time for completing the school house at Seventeenth and Master streets, to May 1st, 1875."

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Doebley, Dorlan, Gallagher, Hall, Hanby, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, Matthews, McGuekin, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—35.

NAYS—Messrs. Currie and Klauder—2.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the bill from Select Council entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Mayor to enter into contracts for furnishing the Department for Supplying the City with Water with iron pipe and branches, iron and brass castings and lead for the year 1875."

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Currie, Dorlan, Gallagher, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Hall, Hanby, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Schafer, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—39.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the bill from Select Council entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Board of Public Education to pay Thomas McCarty for completion of school house at Thirteenth street and Susquehanna avenue, Twenty-eighth Ward."

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Bardsley

Moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Schools of Common Council.

Which was agreed to.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the bill from Select Council entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the appropriation to the Department of Markets and City Property for the year 1875."

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Budd, Caven, Currie, Dorlan, Gallagher, Gegan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Hall, Hanby, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Lippincott, Lyster, Matthews, McGuckin, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Quin, Russell, Schafer, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—37.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the resolution from Select Council entitled "Resolution directing the Chief

Commissioner of Highways to enforce the Ordinance compelling property owners to keep the footways in repair."

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the resolution from Select Council entitled "Resolution of request to the Chief Commissioner of Highways to estimate the cost of the repaving of Green street, Fairmount avenue and Spring Garden street."

The resolution was again read.

Mr. Lyster

Moved that the further consideration of the resolution be indefinitely postponed.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Rowan, seconded by Mr. Dorlan,

Moved to reconsider the vote by which the resolution entitled "Resolution directing the Chief Commissioner of Highways to enforce the Ordinance compelling property owners to keep footways in repair," was passed.

Which was agreed to.

The question being on agreeing to the resolution.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to refer the resolution to the Committee on Highways of Common Council.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Rowan

Moved that the Chairmen of Committees have leave to present their reports.

Mr. Lyster

Moved that Common Council do now adjourn.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Gibson, seconded by Mr. Rowan, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Currie, Dorlan, Gallagher, D. W. Gilbert, Hall, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, Klauder, Klohse, Lippincott, J. Martin, McMullin, Miller, Myers, Rowan, Russell, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—31.

NAYS—None.

A quorum of members not voting,

The President

Declared Council adjourned.

Thursday, May 6, 1875.

Council met—Members present :

Messrs. Allen,
Baldwin,
Bardsley,
Bonham,
Bonsall,
Budd,
Cartledge,
Caven,
Collins,
Cooper,
Currie,
Davis,
Divine,
Doebly,
Dorlan,
Gallagher,
Garwood,
Gegan,
Gibson,
Gilbert, D. W.
Glenn,
Hall,
Hanby,
Jamison,
Judge,
Kaney,
Kennedy, J.
Klauder,

Messrs. Ladner,
Laughlin,
Lippincott,
Lyster,
Martin, J.
Martin, J. J.
Matthews,
McGuckin,
McMorris,
McMullin,
Miller,
Mouat,
Myers,
Quin,
Rowan,
Russell,
Salter,
Schafer,
Siner,
Slack,
Subers,
Sutton,
Tatem,
Thornton,
White,
Widener,
Williams,
Henszey, *Pres't.*

The President

Presented a communication from John L. Hill, Chief Commissioner of Highways, directing attention to the necessity existing for an increase in the number of Street Superintendents.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Slack (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to grade Seventh street, from McKean street to Moyamensing avenue, in the First Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance supplementary to an Ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance constituting the Department of Highways, Bridges and Sewers,'" approved December 23d, 1874.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe on Jackson street, from Sixth street to Seventh street, in the First Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of First Ward for water pipe on Cantrell street, between Sixth and Seventh streets, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the First Ward for the grading of Winton street, between Sixth and Seventh streets, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property of the First Ward for water pipe on Winton street, between Sixth and Seventh streets, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the First Ward for the paving and curbing of Cantrell street, between Sixth and Seventh streets, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the First Ward for the grading of Cantrell street, between Sixth and Seventh streets, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the First Ward for the paving and curbing of Winton street, between Sixth and Seventh streets, in said Ward.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the First Ward for the grading of Waln street, from Reed to Dickinson street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the First Ward for the grading of Jackson street, between Sixth and Seventh streets, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Kaney (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer on Front street, from the north side of Congress street to the Catharine street sewers, Third and Fourth Wards."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Bardsley (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance relating to the advertising for supplies, limiting such advertising to supplies which may cost the sum of at least one hundred dollars."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay a claim of Joseph Keesey."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to release certain property of David Rankin from the lien of a certain judgment."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to release certain property of John M. Kennedy from the lien of a certain judgment."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Caven

Presented a remonstrance of citizens and property owners along the line of Callowhill street, from Twenty-third to Twenty-fifth streets, against the laying of an additional

track by the Hestonville and Mantua, and the Peoples' Passenger Railway Companies.

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of direction to the City Solicitor." (*Appendix No. 247.*)

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Glenn

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners on Twenty-sixth and Hare streets, and in the vicinity north of Pennsylvania avenue, for the opening of Twenty-sixth street into the Park.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade and pave Poplar street, from Twenty-ninth street to Pennsylvania avenue, in the Fifteenth and Twenty-ninth Wards."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to tramway Edwin street, from Ridge avenue to Geary street, Fifteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Miller (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Croskey street, from Montgomery avenue to Norris street Twenty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Croskey street, from Montgomery avenue to Norris street, Twenty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Hamberger street, from Berks street to Norris street, Twenty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer on Hancock street, from Berks to Fitler street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners on the line of Hancock street, from Berks street to Fitler street, for a sewer on said street.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Nineteenth Ward for the grading of Crawford street, between Cedar and Gaul streets, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a remonstrance of the Germantown and Glenwood Avenue Land Company against the laying of a culvert on Germantown avenue, from the Connecting Railroad to Three Mile run.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Dorlan (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a sewer on Diamond street, from Germantown avenue to Seventh street, in the Twentieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution authorizing the repaving of Darien and Jay streets, in the Thirteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of John F. Watson and others, maimed and crippled, of the Philadelphia Fire Department, praying to be retained in their positions in the said department.

Which was referred to the Committee on Fire Department.

Mr. Widener (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to purchase the engine house located at the southeast corner of Thirteenth and Oxford streets."

Which was referred to the Committee on Fire Department.

Mr. Cartledge (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the paving of Plum street, from Mulberry street to Race street, Twenty-third Ward, with rubble paving."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the paving of Ridge street, from Leiper street to Johnson street, Twenty-third Ward, with rubble paving."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Chief Commissioner of Highways."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Hall (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to lay water pipe in Cayuga street, from Seventh street to Broad street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to lay water pipe on Elm avenue, from Fifty-second street to Girard avenue, Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-fourth Ward for a culvert on Brooklyn street, from Haverford street to Aspen street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Lyster (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to release certain properties of Francis Riley."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit : " Resolution of instruction to the District Surveyors." (*Appendix No. 248.*)

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Sutton (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled " An Ordinance to pave Witte street, from Clearfield to Ann street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled " An Ordinance to pave Emory street, from Ash street to Bockius street, Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled " An Ordinance authorizing the Chief Engineer of the Water Department to lay water pipe on Kip street, from Tusculum street to Indiana street, Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Mr. Thornton (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled " An Ordinance to authorize the construction of Girard avenue and Thirty-eighth street, Honey run, Thirteenth street and Snyder avenue and Forty-sixth street sewers."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled " An Ordinance to place on the City plan Ripka avenue, Chestnut street, Smick street, Mansion avenue, Atlanta street, Wilder street, Fernon

street, Dorrance street, Ward street, Latona street, Newkirk street, Marston street, Van Pelt street and Willington street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to authorize the opening of Carpenter street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Chief Engineer and Surveyor."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Rowan

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-fourth Ward for the grading and paving of Thirty-ninth street, from Grape street to Mantua avenue, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Cooper

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-eighth Ward for a gas lamp at the northeast corner of Warnock and Cumberland streets, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Hanby (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate a gas lamp on the northeast corner of North College avenue and West College avenue, in the Twenty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Bardsley,

Chairman of the Committee on Finance, presented a re-

port, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay the debts due by the late Superintendent of Highways, Twenty-second Ward." (*Appendix No. 249.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay damages caused by the opening and widening of Sycamore street, and the taking of a portion of the road of the Delaware County Turnpike Company." (*Appendix No. 250.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation for display of fireworks for the Fourth of July, 1875." (*Appendix No. 251.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a resolution annexed entitled "Resolution to discharge the Committee on Finance from the consideration of an Ordinance to authorize a temporary loan for the Water Works." (*Appendix No. 252.*)

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a resolution annexed entitled "Resolution to discharge the Committee on Finance from the consideration of an Ordi-

nance relative to the East Park Reservoir." (*Appendix No. 253.*)

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay damages caused by the opening of Sedgely avenue, from Montgomery avenue to Lamb Tavern road, in the Twenty-eighth Ward of the City of Philadelphia." (*Appendix No. 254.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to appoint a Commission on Supply of Water for the City of Philadelphia." (*Appendix No. 255.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to approve the contract and sureties of John Ketcham for the building of a public school edifice on the northeast corner of Seventeenth and Spring Garden streets." (*Appendix No. 256.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to enter satisfaction on the official bond of William Rittenhouse, late Commissioner of Highways." (*Appendix No. 257.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to approve the contract and sureties of Philip H. Somerset for building school house at the corner of Twelfth and Ogden streets." (*Appendix No. 258.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to restrict the lien of certain judgments against Rodger Maynes." (*Appendix No. 259.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a resolution annexed entitled "Resolution to discharge the Committee on Finance from the consideration of the petition of Second Regiment of National Guards of Pennsylvania." (*Appendix No. 260.*)

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to create a loan for the further extension of the Water Works," and "Resolution to publish a water loan bill." (*Appendix No. 261.*)

Which were laid over to be printed.

Mr. Rowan,

Chairman of the Committee on Highways, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Twenty-eighth street, in the Fifteenth Ward." (*Appendix No. 262.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to amend a resolution entitled 'Resolution to authorize the paving of market plots on Lehigh avenue,'" passed December 30th, 1873. (*Appendix No. 263.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Davis street, in the Twentieth Ward." (*Appendix No. 264.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Van Pelt street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward." (*Appendix No. 265.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the repaving of Spruce street, in the Fifth Ward." (*Appendix No. 266.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to amend a resolution entitled 'Resolution to authorize the paving of Morris, Tasker and Ludlow streets.'" (*Appendix No. 267.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Twenty-seventh street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward." (*Appendix No. 268.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the tramwaying of Lawson, Jones, Lancaster, Leithgow, Struthers and Cowley streets." (*Appendix No. 269.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Twenty-ninth street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward." (*Appendix No. 270.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Twenty-ninth street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward." (*Appendix No. 271.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance relative to the construction of sewers." (*Appendix No. 272.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Twenty-fifth, Twenty-seventh, Twenty-eighth and Orleans streets," (*Appendix No. 273.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Thornton,

Chairman of the Committee on Surveys, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to revise the lines and grades of Girard avenue, between Thirty-first street and the River Schuylkill, and to revise the grades on Baltimore avenue, between Forty-ninth street and Fifty-first street." (*Appendix No. 274.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance for the construction of bridges over the Pennsylvania Railroad, at Fortieth and Forty-first streets." (*Appendix No. 275.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a resolution annexed entitled "Resolution to discharge the Committee on Surveys and Regulations from further consideration of an Ordinance to amend a resolution to place Goldbeck and Baltz streets upon the City plan." (*Appendix No. 276.*)

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance relative to the change of

pavement specifications for a part of Fairmount bridge." (*Appendix No. 277.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers on Twenty-first, Filbert, Cherry, Walnut, Poplar, Nineteenth, Second, Day, Coulter, Oregon, Nineteenth and Seybert streets, Germantown avenue, and across Seventy-first street." (*Appendix No. 278.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a resolution annexed entitled "Resolution to discharge the Committee on Surveys and Regulations from further consideration of communication of the Chief Engineer and Surveyor, and Ordinance relative to the revision of lines and grades of streets, in the Twenty-fifth Ward." (*Appendix No. 279.*)

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Miller,

Chairman of the Committee on Schools of Common Council, presented a report, reporting back a bill from Select Council entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Board of Public Education to pay Thomas McCarthy for completion of school house at Thirteenth street and Susquehanna avenue, Twenty-eighth Ward." (See Appendix Select Council No. 42.) (*Appendix No. 280.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, reporting back a bill entitled "An Ordinance to approve the contract and surety of Thomas McCarthy for the completion of the

third-story of the school house at Thirteenth street and Susquehanna avenue, in the Twenty-eighth Ward." (See Appendix Select Council No. 97.) (*Appendix No. 281.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, reporting back a resolution entitled "Resolution to discharge the Committee on Schools from the further consideration of a communication from the Board of Public Education, asking for an appropriation to pay a superintendent of music, and recommending a substitute for resolution." (See Appendix Select Council No. 121) (*Appendix No. 282.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had passed a resolution entitled "Resolution to accept the invitation of the citizens of Greensburgh, to attend the Centennial Celebration at that place," and had appointed Messrs. Wilson, Miskey, Hill, Marcus and Kamerly, the Committee on the part of Select Council.

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

The President

Appointed Messrs. Collins, Lyster, Widener, Caven and Quin, the Committee on the part of Common Council.

Mr. Schafer

Offered the following, to wit :

RESOLUTION

Of respect to the memory of John C. Martin.

Whereas, The City Councils have heard with deep regret of the decease of their late fellow member, John C.

Martin, whose long and faithful services as a member of Common Council, as well as in other public trusts, have entitled him to the praise and gratitude of his fellow citizens.

And whereas, By his kind and generous disposition has endeared himself to all the members, and in his decease they have lost a warm and faithful friend ; therefore,

Resolved by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That in the death of John C. Martin, the City has lost an honest and faithful member of Councils, and the members of Councils a warm and devoted friend, one who had always at heart the true interests of the City of Philadelphia.

Resolved, That the Councils of Philadelphia sympathize with the family of the decease in the irreparable loss they have sustained, and with his fellow citizens in the loss of an able and faithful member of Council.

Resolved, That the chambers of Select and Common Councils be place in mourning for the space of thirty days.

The first resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The second resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The third resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The preambles were agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had concurred in resolution entitled "Resolution of respect to the memory of John C. Martin."

Mr. Bardsley

Moved that out of respect to the memory of the deceased, Common Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

And Common Council adjourned.

Thursday, May 13, 1875.

Council met—Members present:

Messrs. Allen,
Baldwin,
Bardsley,
Bonham,
Bonsall,
Budd,
Cartledge,
Caven,
Collins,
Cooper,
Currie,
Davis,
Doebley,
Dorlan,
Gallagher,
Garwood,
Gibson,
Gilbert, D. W.
Gilbert, J. C.
Glenn,
Hall,
Hanby,
Hayhurst,
Judge,
Kaney,
Kennedy, J.
Klauder,
Klohse,
Ladner,

Messrs. Laughlin,
Lippincott,
Lyster,
Martin, J.
Matthews,
McGuckin,
McMorris,
McMullin,
Miller,
Mouat,
Myers,
Quin,
Rowan,
Russell,
Salter,
Schafer,
Siner,
Slack,
Subers,
Tatem,
Thornton,
Uhler,
Vories,
Weir,
White,
Widener,
Williamson,
Wright,
Henszey, *Pres't.*

The President

Presented the following :

PHILADELPHIA, *May 13, 1875.*

To the President and Members of
Common Council of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—Having read a communication from the City Solicitor, under date of the 6th inst., and addressed to the Board of Managers of the House of Correction, wherein certain revised and amended laws of this Commonwealth are quoted ; I desire, in accordance with his opinion, to herewith present my resignation as one of the Managers of the above Institution.

With every consideration of respect, I am, gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
WILLIAM M. WILSON.

Also,

Presented a communication from the City Commissioners with a bill annexed entitled “An Ordinance to make a special appropriation to the Department of City Commissioners to pay for meals for jurors.”

Which were referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also,

Presented a communication from Wm. H. McFadden, Chief Engineer of the Water Department, submitting a statement of the expenditures and balances of the several items of appropriation for the month of April, in accordance with resolution passed December 31st, 1874. (*Appendix No. 283.*)

Also,

Presented a communication from the Board of Guardians of the Poor relative to an additional appropriation for the paying of two additional resident physicians.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Gibson (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to change the title of certain officers of these Councils."

Which was referred to the Committee on Law.

Mr. Quin (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the construction of a culvert on Fernon street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Kaney (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to authorize the Chief Commissioner of Highways to tramway Harmony street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, in the Third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Mouat (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to tramway Lisbon and Aberdeen streets, in the Fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Bardsley

Presented a communication from the Board of Fire Commissioners relative to an improved fire plug.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pay for damages for the opening of Ford street."

Which was referred to Committee on Finance.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to approve

the contract and sureties of George W. Fulmer for the building of pavilion wards at the Almshouse."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance providing for the drawing of warrants to pay the fees of constables."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Lippincott (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate a gas lamp on Cherry street, west of Twentieth street, Tenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Bonsall

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners for the grading of Berks street, from Eighteenth to Nineteenth street.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving and curbing of Berks street, between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the tramwaying of Clay street, from Eleventh street to Ridge road, and Carlton street, from Tenth to Eleventh street, in the Fourteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the laying of water pipe on Berks street, from Eighteenth to Nineteenth street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Mr. Miller (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the payment of a claim of Dr. W. H. Bennett for professional services."

Which was referred to the Committee on Police.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay damages caused by the opening of Montgomery avenue, from Fourth street to Germantown avenue."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Widener (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to lay water pipe on Percy street, between Thompson and Master streets, in the Twentieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Mr. Dorlan

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners for the grading and paving of Seventeenth street, from Tioga street to Pulaski avenue.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a communication from the Board of Fire Commissioners relative to an improved fire plug.

Which was referred to the Committee on Fire Department.

Also,

Presented a communication from the Board of Commissioners of the Fire Department relative to the purchase of a lot of ground and fire engine house thereon erected situate No. 1035 Lombard street, for fire purposes.

Which was referred to the Committee on Fire Department.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer on Nassau street, from Twenty-second to Twenty-third street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Uhler

Presented the petition of Mary Dougherty, asking to be indemnified for the loss of her husband James Dougherty.

Which was referred to the Committee on Law.

Mr. Weir (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to lay water pipe on Maplewood avenue, Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Mr. J. C. Gilbert

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-second Ward for the removal of the old toll house at Chestnut Hill, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Wright

Presented a communication from Charles Lukens (ag't) relative to the sale of property in the Twenty-third Ward, for the use of the Water Department.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gas lamp at the corner of Foulkrod and Mulberry streets, Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Lyster (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Survey Department relative to a sewer in Fortieth street, between Baring and Haverford streets, Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Hall

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-fourth Ward for the introduction of gas on Leithgow street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gas lamp in the Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to regulate the laying of railway tracks in the City of Philadelphia."

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. D. W. Gilbert (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe on Orleans street, from Emerald street to Kensington avenue, Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Mr. Klohse (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to lay water pipe on Richardson street, between Federal and Ellsworth streets, Twenty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to authorize the grading of Bateman street, from Wharton to Read street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to authorize the Chief Engineer of the Water Department to lay water pipe on Dickerson street, from Eighteenth street to Long lane."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to authorize the paving of Bateman street, Twenty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Thornton (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to lay water pipe on Oakford and Twenty-eighth streets, in the Twenty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place Loyal street, Nineteenth Ward, upon the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Rowan

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-seventh Ward for the paving and grading of South street, from Seventy-second street to the Island road, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-seventh Ward for a sewer on Locust street, from Thirty-eight street to Darby road, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Bonham (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate gas lamps in the Twenty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Bardsley,

Chairman of the Committee on Finance, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to release certain property of John M. Kennedy from the lien of a certain judgment." (*Appendix No. 284.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to restrict the lien of a certain judgment against James O'Rourke." (*Appendix No. 285.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to release certain prop-

erty of David Rankin from the lien of a certain judgment." (*Appendix No. 286.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report with a bill annexed entitled "Resolution to discharge the Committee on Finance from the consideration of 'An Ordinance to fix the rate of interest on City warrants.'" (*Appendix No. 287.*)

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize a loan for police purposes, extinguishment of ground rents and improvement of the fire telegraph, and resolution to publish a loan bill." (*Appendix No. 288.*)

The resolution was again read.

Mr. Caven

Moved to recommit the resolution and bill to the Committee on Finance.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Lyster, seconded by Mr. Caven, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Collins, Gallagher, Gibson, J. C. Gilbert, Judge, Klauder, Klobse, Lyster, Matthews, McMorris, Russell, Salter, Schafer, and Widener—17.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bon-sall, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, McGuckin, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Siner, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thorn-

ton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—38.

Which was not agreed to.

The resolution was again read and agreed to.

The title was again read.

On agreeing to the title,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Caven, seconded by Mr. Lyster, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Cooper, Currie, Doebly, Dorlan, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. Martin, McGuckin, McMullen, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Siner, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—40.

NAYS—Messrs. Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Collins, Davis, Gallagher, Gibson, J. C. Gilbert, Judge, Klauder, Klohse, Lyster, Matthews, McMorris, Russell, Salter, Schafer, and Widener—18.

Which was agreed to.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay a claim of Joseph Keesey," reporting back the same, with the request that it be referred to the Committee on Fire Department.

Which was so referred.

Also,

From the Joint Committees on Finance and Centennial, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to repeal so much of the proviso in the second section of the supplement, approved May 16th, 1874," to an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation in

aid of the Centennial Anniversary of American Independence," approved February 22d, 1873, as relates to limiting the amount to be paid monthly or in any one year. (*Appendix No. 289.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Rowan

Chairman of the Committee on Highways, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Twenty-first street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward." (*Appendix No. 290.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance instructing the Chief Commissioner of Highways to draw a warrant in favor of Geo. W. Souder." (*Appendix No. 291.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Thompson street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward." (*Appendix No. 292.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Twenty-first street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward." (*Appendix No. 293.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving

of Alleghany avenue, in the Twenty-fifth Ward." (*Appendix No. 294.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Waldron and Monument (late Widener) streets." (*Appendix No. 295.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Dorlan

Chairman of the Committee on Fire Department, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the purchase of a lot of ground on Main street, above Green lane, Manayunk, for fire purposes, and to make an appropriation therefor." (*Appendix No. 296.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Hall,

Chairman of the Committee on Gas Works, presented a report, relative to the Sinking Funds in the hands of the Trustees of the Philadelphia Gas Works. (*Appendix No. 297.*)

Select Council informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Water Works, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Chief Engineer of the Water Department to lay water pipe on Terrace, Conarroe and Aspen streets, and on Manayunk avenue," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had received a further report from the same Committee, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Chief Engineer of the Water Department to relay with six-inch water pipe East Washington lane," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had received a report from the Committee on Schools, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to approve the contract and surety of Charles D. Supplee for the erection of additions to the school house southeast corner of Twentieth street and Fairmount avenue," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had received a further report from the same Committee, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to approve the contract and surety of Philip H. Somerset for the erection of a public school edifice at Sixtieth and South streets, and to restrict the lien of the judgment," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had received a report from the Committee on Centennial Anniversary, with a resolution annexed entitled "Resolution to discharge the Committee on Centennial Anniversary from the consideration of two communications relative to repairing the old Independence Bell," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had received a report from the Committee on Railroads, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance directing the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore Railroad Company to change the grade of their roadway on Washington avenue, from Sixth to Passyunk avenue," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had concurred in the following, to wit: "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Knorr, Elizabeth and Gransback streets," with the following amendment: amend the first and only section as follows: strike out the word "rubble," wherever it occurs in connection with the paving of Knorr street, and insert "cobble" in place thereof.

"An Ordinance to authorize the Chief Commissioner of Highways to construct a trunk," with the following amendment: amend the first and only section by striking out the words "ask for estimates," and inserting in place thereof the words "advertise for proposals," and to further amend by inserting after the words "above mentioned trunk," the following: "And let the same to the lowest bidder," and amend the title by adding "on Passyunk avenue, from Twenty-second to Twenty-third street."

Mr. Bardsley

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to approve the sureties of William H. McFadden, Chief Engineer of the Water Department, and to restrict the lien of the judgment entered on his official bond."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Cartledge, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Dorlan, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Laughlin, J. Martin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Siner, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—39.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay damages for the opening of Stiles street, from Thirteenth to Broad street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Cartledge, Cooper, Dorlan, Garwood, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Laughlin, Lyster, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Quin, Russell, Salter, Siner, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—35.

NAYS—Mr. Klauder—1.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay the debts due by the late Superintendents of Highways, Twenty-second Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Budd, Cartledge, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Gallagher, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klobse, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, McMorris, Rowan, Russell, Siner, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—38.

NAYS—Mr. Quin—1.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to

And the bill passed.

Mr. Bardsley

Moved that when Council adjourns, it be to meet tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock.

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Miller

Moved that when Council adjourns, it be to meet on Tuesday next at three o'clock P. M., for general business, and that the consideration of the bill providing for the reorganization of the Board of Health, be the first business in order.

Mr. Quin

Called for a division of the question.

And the question being that when Council adjourn, it be to meet on Tuesday next, at three o'clock P. M., for general business.

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Rowan, seconded by Mr. Subers, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, Gallagher, Hall, Klohse, Ladner, Laughlin, McMullin, Miller, Rowan, Russell, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—24

NAYS—Messrs. Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, Quin, Salter, Schafer, Siner, White, Widener, and Williamson—22.

Which was agreed to.

The question being that the consideration of the bill providing for the reorganization of the Board of Health be the first business in order,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Lyster, seconded by Mr. Rowan, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Doebley, Dorlan, Gallagher, Hall, Klohse, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. Martin, McMullin, Miller, Myers, Rowan, Russell, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Vories, Weir, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—25.

NAYS—Messrs. Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Collins, Currie, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Ladner, Lyster, Matthews, McMorris, Quin, Schafer, Siner, Uhler, White, Widener, and Williamson—21.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Bardsley

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to appoint a Commission on Supply of Water for the City of Philadelphia."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read and agreed to.

The second section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Dorlan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Hall, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, Matthews, McMullin, Miller, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, White, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—37.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled " An Ordinance to approve the contract and sureties of John Ketcham, for the building of a public school edifice at the northwest corner of Seventeenth and Spring Garden streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Cooper, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Laughlin, Lippincott, Matthews, Mc-

Guckin, McMorris, Mouat, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Schafer Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Wright and Henszey, *Prest*—36.

NAYS—Mr. Gibson—1.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to approve the contract and sureties of Philip H. Somerset for the building of school house at the corner of Twelfth and Ogden streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Cooper, Currie, Doebley Dorlan, Garwood, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMorris, Mouat, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Wright, and Henszey, *Prest*—40.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to restrict the lien of certain judgments against Roger Maynes."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Cartledge, Caven, Cooper, Currie, Doebley, Dorian, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Lippincott, J. Martin, McGuckin, McMorris, Mouat, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Siner, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—35.

NAYS—Mr. Gibson—1

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay damages caused by the opening of Sedgely avenue, from Montgomery avenue to Lamb Tavern road, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, of the City of Philadelphia."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

The question being on the first and only section.

It was not agreed to.

And the bill fell.

Mr. Quin (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Chief Commissioner of Highways relative to the vacation of Sedgely avenue."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Bardsley

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation for display of fireworks for Fourth of July, 1875."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bon-sall, Caven, Cooper, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Ladner, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMorris, Mouat, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—39.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay

damages caused by the opening and widening of Sycamore street, and the taking of a portion of the road of the Delaware County Turnpike Company."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to amend by striking out all relating to the Delaware County Turnpike Road Company.

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was read.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to amend the title by striking out all relating to, the Delaware County Turnpike Road Company.

Which was agreed to.

The title as amended was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS.—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Caven, Cooper, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Ladner, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMorris, Mouat, Rowan, Russell, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—39.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to enter satisfaction on the official bond of William Rittenhouse, late Commissioner of Highways."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS.--Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Caven, Cooper, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Hall, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klander, Ladner, Lyster, J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMorris, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Rowan, Russell, Schafer, Subers, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—35.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

The President

Announced the following appointments to fill vacancies on Joint Standing Committees :

Mr. Bonham on Police.

Mr. Allen on Printing and Supplies.

Mr. Tatem on Compare Bills.

Mr. Mouat on City Property.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit:

"Resolution to discharge the Committee on Surveys and Regulations from further consideration of an Ordinance to amend a resolution to place Goldbeck and Baltz streets upon the City plan."

"Resolution to discharge the Committee on Finance from the consideration of an Ordinance to authorize a temporary loan for the Water Works."

"Resolution of direction to the City Solicitor."

"Resolution to discharge the Committee on Finance from the consideration of the petition of the Second Regiment National Guards of Pennsylvania."

"Resolution to discharge the Committee on Surveys and Regulations from further consideration of a communication of the Chief Engineer and Surveyor," and Ordinance relative to the revision of lines and grades of streets in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

"Resolution of instruction to the District Surveyors."

"Resolution to discharge the Committee of Finance from the consideration of an Ordinance relative to the East Park reservoir."

"An Ordinance to approve the sureties of Wm. H. McFadden, Chief Engineer of the Water Department, and to restrict the lien of the judgment entered on his official bond."

"An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay damages for the opening of Stiles street, from Thirteenth to Broad street," by the following vote: yeas 22, nays 1.

Mr. Thornton

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers on Crown, Stamper, Taney, Lafayette, Aspen and

Forty-first streets, and Corinthian, Chelton and German-town avenues."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read and agreed to.

The second section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Caven, Cooper, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, Hall, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Ladner, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, McGuckin, Miller, Mouat, Quin, Rowan, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—33.

NAYS—Mr. Gibson—1.

No quorum voting,

The President

Ordered a call of the House, when the following members answered to their names :

Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Caven, Cooper, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Hall, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Ladner, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, McGuckin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—33.

A quorum of members not answering to their names,

The President

Declared Council adjourned until Tuesday next, at three o'clock P. M.

Tuesday, May 18, 1875.

An adjourned stated meeting of Council was held this afternoon pursuant to adjournment.

Members present:—

Messrs. Allen,
Baldwin,
Bonham,
Budd,
Caven,
Garwood,
James,
Kaney,
Klauder,
Martin, J.

Messrs. McMullin,
Miller,
Mouat,
Quin,
Slack,
Tatem,
Thornton,
Vories,
Weir,
Henszey, *Pres't.*

There being no quorum,

Mr. Slack

Moved that Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

And Council adjourned.

Thursday, May 20, 1875.

Council met—Members present :

Messrs. Allen,
Baldwin,
Bardsley,
Bonham,
Bonsall,
Budd,
Cartledge,
Caven,
Collins,
Cooper,
Currie,
Davis,
Divine,
Doebley,
Dorlan,
Garwood,
Gibson,
Gilbert, D. W.
Gilbert, J. C.
Glenn,
Hall,
Hanby,
Jamison,
Judge,
Kaney,
Kennedy, J.
Kennedy, J. H.
Klauder,

Messrs. Ladner,
Laughlin,
Lippincott,
Lyster,
Martin, J.
Martin, J. J.
Matthews,
McGuckin,
McMorris,
McMullin,
Miller,
Mouat,
Myers,
Quin,
Rowan,
Russell,
Salter,
Siner,
Slack,
Subers,
Tatem,
Thornton,
Uhler,
Vories,
White,
Widener,
Williamson,
Wright,

Henszey, *Pres't.*

The President

Presented a communication from E. S. McGlue, proposing to rescind his contract for the completion of the East Park reservoir. (*Appendix No. 298.*)

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Mr. Tatem (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe on Eneu street, in the Second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Mr. Mouat (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Committee on City Property."

Which was referred to the Committee on City Property.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a culvert on the west side of Third street, from Spruce street to Willing's alley."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Bardsley

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property in the Twenty-eighth Ward for water pipe on Van Pelt street, from Montgomery avenue to Berk street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-eighth Ward for the grading and paving of Van Pelt street, from Montgomery avenue to Berks street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to approve the contract and sureties of Philip H. Somerset for making alterations and repairs to the Rutledge School House."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to approve the contract and surety of Geo. Nonnamaker for the erection of a school edifice at Pittville, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to enter satisfaction on the official bond of William H. McFadden, Chief Engineer of the Water Department."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. J. H. Kennedy

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Thirteenth Ward for the changing of the place of holding elections in the Fifteenth Division of said Ward to 809 Darien street.

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Mr. Bonsall (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Thompson street, from Taney street to Thirty-first street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. J. J. Martin (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to change the

place of voting in the Thirty-fourth Division, Fifteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Mr. Glenn (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe on Swain street, from Twenty-fifth to Twenty-sixth street, in the Fifteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Mr. Williamson (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to change the place of voting in the Eighteenth Division, Eighteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grant permission to Geo. Field to erect a temporary frame building."

Which was referred to the Committee on Police.

Mr. Currie

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-third Ward for the paving of Josephine street, from Oxford street to Church street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Miller (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Siloam street, Eighteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grant permission to F. G. Malone, to erect a temporary frame building."

Which was referred to the Committee on Police.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to authorize the appointment of a Joint Special Committee, to consider the propriety of and what measures are desirable for the consolidation of the Almshouse with the House of Correction." (*Appendix No. 299.*)

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The President

Appointed Messrs. Miller, Bardsley, Rowan, Subers, and Budd the Committee on the part of Common Council.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution instructing the Chief Engineer and Surveyor to prepare plans and estimates for footwalks on the lower chord of the Girard Avenue Bridge." (*Appendix No. 300.*)

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Highways for the paving of intersections."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Baldwin

Moved that Council proceed to the election of a member

of the Board of Managers of the House of Correction, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Wm. M. Wilson.

Which was not agreed to.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners protesting against the award of a contract for new boilers for City Ice Boat No. 2, to parties residing outside the City.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repeal all Ordinances and parts of Ordinances that appropriate South street, from the west side of Second street to the east side of Twentieth street, and Second street, from the south side of Pine street to the north side of Christian street, as stands for farmers for the sale of the produce of their respective farms and gardens."

Which was referred to the Committee on City Property.

Mr. Dorlan

Presented a petition of Charles Heritage, offering for sale a certain property in the Twenty-first Ward for fire purposes.

Which was referred to the Committee on Fire Department.

Mr. Uhler

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-first Ward for the grading of Leverington avenue, from Ridge avenue to Washington street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to change the place of voting in the First Division, Twenty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Mr. J. C. Gilbert

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-second Ward for additional gas lamps on Main street and Bethlehem pike, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr Hall (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to regulate the erection of signs within the City limits."

Which was referred to the Committee on Police.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Board of Trustees of the Philadelphia Gas Works to purchase a tract of land in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to erect two bracket lamps in the Ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-fourth Ward for the paving of Somer or Merion avenue, between Forty-fourth and Forty-ninth streets, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a sewer on Merion avenue."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. D. W. Gilbert (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place Madison avenue, from Emerald street to Kensington avenue, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, upon the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Thornton (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to revise lines and grades on plan No. 256 of the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Rowan

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-seventh Ward for repairs to the Island road, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a communication from John L. Hill, Chief Commissioner of Highways submitting a statement of balances to May 7th, 1875, in appropriation to his department. (*Appendix No. 301.*)

Mr. Bonham (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gas lamps in the Twenty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Board of Public Education for the purpose of putting steam heaters in the George G. Meade School House."

Which was referred to the Committee on Schools.

Council resumed the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers on Crown, Stamper, Taney, Lafayette, Aspen and Forty-first streets, and Corinthian, Chelton and Germantown avenues," which was under consideration at adjournment of meeting held the 13th instant.

The question being on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bouham, Bonsall, Budd, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Divine, Dorlan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Laughlin, Lippincott, Lyster, J. J. Martin, McGuckin, McMorris, McMullin, Mouat, Russell, Salter, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Vories, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—42.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Mr, Thornton

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of

sewers on Harriet, Wylie, Hamilton, Twenty-second, Cherry, Chestnut and Market streets, and Germantown avenue."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read and agreed to.

The second section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Cartledge, Caven, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Hall, Hanby, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, McGuckin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—42.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers on Twenty-first, Filbert, Cherry, Walnut, Poplar, Nineteenth, Second, Day, Coulter, Oregon, Nineteenth,

and Seybert streets, Germantown avenue, and across Seventy-first street."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read and agreed to.

The second section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Cartledge, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Divine, Doebley, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Laughlin, Lippincott, Lyster, Matthews, McGuckin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Russell, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—42.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Mr. Bardsley

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to create a loan for the building of bridges in the City of Philadelphia." The papers were produced by the Clerk, in which the bill had been published according to law.

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Bardsley

Moved to amend by striking out the words "five hundred thousand dollars," and inserting "three hundred and thirty-five thousand dollars."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The second section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

The question being on the final passage of the bill,

Mr. Bardsley

Moved that the bill be postponed, and made the special order for Thursday afternoon next, at four o'clock.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Thornton

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a sewer at Fairmount and Corinthian avenues."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read and agreed to.

The second section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Collins, Cooper, Davis, Divine, Doebly, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Laughlin, Lyster,

J. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMullin, Mouat, Rowan, Salter, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—41.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the regrading of South street and Chippewa street."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read.

Mr. Lyster

Moved that the further consideration of the bill be postponed until Thursday next.

Which was agreed to.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to repeal part of an Ordinance approved November 17th, 1874, entitled 'An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers on Cuyler, Twenty-sixth, Fortieth, Forty-first, Wright, Race, Filson, Foulkrod, Seventeenth and Wharton streets, and Elm and Girard avenues, and Master street.'"

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Russell, Salter, Slack, Subers, Thornton, Uhler, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—42.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Council proceeded to the second reading of the bill from Select Council entitled "An Ordinance to approve the contract and surety of Philip H. Somerset for the erection of a public school edifice at Sixtieth and South streets, and to restrict the lien of the judgment."

The first section was again read and agreed to.

The second section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Collins, Currie, Davis, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. J. Martin, McGuckin, McMorris, McMullin, Mouat, Rowan, Russell, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler,

Vories, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—41.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Mr. Caven

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill from Select Council entitled "An Ordinance to approve the contract and surety of Charles D. Supplee for the erection of additions to the school house southeast corner of Twentieth street and Fairmount avenue."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Divine, Doebley, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Lyster, J. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—42.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the footway on the south side of Market street, between Twenty-second street and the Market Street Bridge, to be widened three feet."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section as amended was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS — Messrs. Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Budd, Caven, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Lippincott, Lyster, J. J. Martin, McGuckin, McMorris, Mouat, Myers, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Widener, Williamson, and Henszey, *Pres't*—38.

NAYS—Mr. Hall—1.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Twenty-fourth street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Budd, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Divine, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hanby, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Russell, Salter, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Vories, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—40.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Mr. Bardsley

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to release certain property of John M. Kennedy from the lien of a certain judgment."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Divine, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Ladner, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, J. J. Martin, McGuckin, McMorris, Miller, Mouat, Rowan, Russell, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—38.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Chief Commissioner of Highways to draw a warrant in favor of Jos. McDonald."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Lyster

Moved to postpone the further consideration of the bill, and make it the special order for Thursday afternoon next, at five o'clock.

Which was not agreed to.

The section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Cartledge, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMorris, McMullin, Mouat, Myers, Russell, Salter, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, White, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—43.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of York street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Cartledge, Cooper, Currie, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Jamison, Judge, J. H. Kennedy, Lippincott, J. Martin, McGuckin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Rowan, Russell, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Vories, White, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—33.

NAYS—Mr. Collins—1.

No quorum voting,

The President

Ordered a call of the House, when the following members answered to their names :

Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bonham, Bonsall, Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Ladner, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—48.

A quorum of the members answering to their names,

The President

Ordered the yeas and nays to be called on the final passage of the bill, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bonham, Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—40.

NAYS—Mr. Gibson—1.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled " An Ordinance granting permission to George Gen-

dell to lay a pipe across Girard avenue at Warnock street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bonsall, Budd, Cartledge, Cooper, Currie, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Ladner, Lippincott, Lyster, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Slack, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—38.

NAYS—Mr. Collins—1.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Hancock street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Cartledge, Caven, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Lippincott, Lyster, Matthews, McGuckin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Russell, Slack, Tatem, Uhler, Vories, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—36.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the grading of York street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward.”

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Budd, Currie, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, Ladner, Lippincott, Lyster, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Slack, Tatem, Uhler, Vories, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—35.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Lawrence (or Apple) street, Eighth and McKean streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Cartledge, Currie, Davis, Divine, Dorlan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, Ladner, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, J. J. Martin, McGuckin, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Slack, Tatem, Uhler, Vories, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—37.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the

Department of Highways for laying footways on Broad and Market streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Lyster

Moved that the further consideration of the bill be postponed, and that it be made the special order for Thursday afternoon next, at five-and-a-half o'clock, and the opinion of the City Solicitor be obtained whether the City could get the money back from the property owners.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Lyster, seconded by Mr. Myers, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Gibson, Hanby, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Ladner, Lyster, J. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, Myers, Salter, Widener, and Williamson—18.

NAYS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Jamison, Klauder, Lippincott, McGuckin, McMullin, Miller, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Slack, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—28.

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Caven

Moved to amend by inserting after the word "dollars," the words "to be taken from Item 37 of the annual appropriation to the Department of Highways for 1875."

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Quin

Moved to further amend by adding the words, "and

that the contract for doing the work be given to the lowest bidder."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was laid over to print the amendments.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Schools, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance extending the time for completing the school house at Eleventh and Huntingdon streets, and granting relief to Mary Kibler, surety of E. S. Fitch, contractor," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had received a further report from the same Committee, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the purchase of a lot of ground on Darby avenue between Seventieth and Seventy-first streets, in the Twenty-seventh Ward, and to make an appropriation therefor," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had received a report from the Committee on Centennial Anniversary, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance accepting a clock and bell for the State House steeple, as a gift from Henry Seybert," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had received a report from the Committee on City Property, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance approving the plan for the improvement of Independence Square, and making an appropriation to pay for the improvement," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had passed a resolution entitled "Resolution

of request to the City Solicitor, to apply for a stay of proceedings in any application for a mandamus on the City Treasurer, in the matter of Sedgely avenue."

Also,

That they had passed a resolution entitled "Resolution of thanks to the Hon. Jno. W. Latta, City authorities of Pittsburg, and others."

Also,

That they had concurred in the following, to wit :

"An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a sewer at Fairmount and Corinthian avenues."

"An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers on Twenty-first, Filbert, Cherry, Walnut, Poplar, Nineteenth, Second, Day, Coulter, Oregon, Nineteenth and Seybert streets, Germantown avenue, and across Seventy-first street."

"An Ordinance to repeal part of an Ordinance approved November 17th, 1874, entitled 'An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers on Cuyler, Twenty-sixth, Fortieth, Forty-first, Wright, Race, Filson, Foulkrod, Seventeenth and Wharton streets, and Elm and Girard avenues, and Master street.'"

"An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers on Crown, Stamper, Taney, Lafayette, Aspen and Forty-first streets, and Corinthian, Cheltenham and Germantown avenues."

"An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers on Harriet, Wylie, Hamilton, Twenty-second, Cherry, Chestnut and Market streets, and Germantown avenue."

"An Ordinance granting permission to George Gendell to lay a pipe across Girard avenue, at Warnock street."

"An Ordinance to restrict the lien of certain judgments against Rodger Maynes."

"An Ordinance to release certain property of John M. Kennedy from the lien of a certain judgment."

"An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay the debts due by the late Superintendents of Highways, Twenty-second Ward."

"An Ordinance to make an appropriation for display of fire works for Fourth of July, 1875."

"An Ordinance to approve the contract and sureties of Philip H. Somerset, for building school house at the corner of Twelfth and Ogden streets."

"An Ordinance to approve the contract and sureties of John Ketcham for the building of a public school edifice at the northeast corner of Seventeenth and Spring Garden streets."

"An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Twenty-fourth street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward."

"An Ordinance to enter satisfaction on the official bond of William Rittenhouse, late Commissioner of Highways."

"An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay damages caused by the opening and widening of Sycamore street, by the following vote: yeas 19, nays none."

"Resolution instructing the Chief Engineer and Surveyor to prepare plans and estimates for footwalks on the lower chord of the Girard Avenue Bridge."

"Resolution to authorize the appointment of a Joint Special Committee to consider the propriety of, and what means are advisable for, the consolidation of the Alms-house with the House of Correction, and had appointed Messrs. Jones, Albright, Hill, Gates and Marcus, the Committee on the part of Select Council."

Mr. Rowan

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill enti-

bled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Harrison street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Caven

Moved to amend by inserting after the word "cents" on the eighth line, the following: "Proposals to be advertised for twice in two daily newspapers, and the contract to be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder."

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Lyster, seconded by Mr. Caven, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Budd, Caven, Davis, Gibson, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Ladner, Lippincott, Lyster, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, Myers, Russell, Salter, White, and Widener—18.

NAYS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Cooper, Currie, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, Hall, Jamison, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Rowan, Slack, Tatem, Thornton, Vories, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—21.

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Budd

Moved to strike out the word "rubble," and insert "cobble."

Which was not agreed to.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonsall, Dorlan, Hall, Lippincott, Miller, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Tatem, Thornton, Vories, White, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—16.

NAYS—Messrs. Caven, Gibson, Kaney, Lyster, Matthews, and Widener—6.

No quorum voting,

The President

Ordered a call of the House, when the following members answered to their names :

Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Caven, Currie, Davis, Divine, Doebley, Gibson, Hall, Kaney, Ladner, Lippincott, Matthews, McMorris, Miller, Mouat, Russell, Salter, Thornton, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—23.

A quorum of members not answering to their names,

The President

Declared Council adjourned.

Thursday, May 27, 1875.

Council met—Members present :

Messrs. Allen,
Baldwin,
Bardsley,
Bonham,
Bonsall,
Cartledge,
Caven,
Cooper,
Currie,
Davis,
Doebley,
Dorlan,
Garwood,
Gibson,
Gilbert, D. W.
Gilbert, J. C.
Glenn,
Hall,
Hanby,
James,
Jamison,
Judge,
Kauey,
Kennedy, J.
Kennedy, J. H.
Klauder,
Klohse,

Messrs. Ladner,
Lippincott,
Lyster,
Martin, J.
Martin, J. J.
Matthews,
McGuckin,
McMorris,
McMullin,
Miller,
Mouat,
Myers,
Quin,
Rowan,
Russell,
Salter,
Slack,
Subers,
Thornton,
Uhler,
Vories,
Weir,
White,
Widener,
Williamson,
Wright,
Henszey, *Pres't.*

The President

Presented a communication from C. Lewis, Chairman of the Committee on Sewers of Columbus, Ohio, asking for information relative to the building of sewers.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also,

Presented a communication from Wm. P. Troth, Secretary of Board, asking for an additional appropriation of three thousand five hundred and seventy-six dollars and sixty-one cents to the Board of Health.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also,

Presented a communication from Chief Engineer McFadden relative to the water supply. (*Appendix No. 302.*)

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Slack

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property in the First Ward for water pipe on Seventh street, from McKean street to Moyamensing avenue, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the First Ward for the paving and curbing of Seventh street, from McKean street to Moyamensing avenue, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to erect gas lamps in the First Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Gibson

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Second Ward for the repairing and tramwaying of Hall street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Mouat (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit : " Resolution to locate a gas lamp at 207 Dock street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. J. Kennedy

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners asking that Market street, between Front street and Delaware avenue, be repaved with Belgian blocks.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Bardsley

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property in the First Ward for water pipe on Blackburn street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also,

Presented the petition of James Young, relative to a claim for building a culvert.

Which was referred to the Committee on City Property.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled " An Ordinance to approve the contract and sureties of Robt. D. Reeves for alterations to school house on Spruce street, below Sixth street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Lippincott

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Tenth Ward for a sewer on Cherry street, east of Sixteenth street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Ladner (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to pave Wood street, from Third to Fourth street, Twelfth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twelfth Ward for a sewer on Fourth street, between Brown and Poplar streets, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Glenn (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to meet in Joint Convention." (*Appendix No. 303.*)

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Williamson (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a sewer on Hanover street, from Girard avenue to the Delaware river, in the Eighteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Miller (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance relative to investments for the Sinking Funds of the City of Philadelphia."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a sewer on Trenton avnnue, in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Baldwin

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twentieth and Twenty-eighth Wards for the opening of Norris street, under the Reading Railroad, in said Wards.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Wright

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property in the Twenty-third ward for water pipe on Josephine street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Mr. Hall

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-fourth Ward for the changing of the width of the footway and roadway of Sixty-third street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to change the name of Elm avenue to Boundary avenue, Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Jamison (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to replace Thirty-seventh, Thirty-eighth and Thirty-ninth streets, from Mantua avenue to Girard avenue, on the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. D. W. Gilbert (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Chief Commissioner of Highways relative to repairing Bride Street Bridge and wharf, Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Thornton (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to authorize the tramwaying of Holly and Lloyd streets."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-sixth Ward for the repairing of Washington avenue, from Broad street to Gray's Ferry road, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to amend resolution entitled 'Resolution to place upon City plan Goldbeck and Baltz streets, between Thompson street and Girard avenue and Thirtieth and Thirty-first streets, in the Twenty-ninth Ward.'"

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Klohse

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners for the grading of Ward street, from Dickerson street to Tasker street.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners for

the grading of William street, between Dickerson street and Tasker street.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Rowan (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Mayor to appoint watchmen for Girard Avenue and Chestnut Street Bridges."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repeal a resolution entitled "Resolution relative to the opening of Sedgely avenue," approved September 28th, 1872.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Klauder

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-eighth Ward for the paving of Woodford street, from Ridge avenue to Huntington street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-eighth Ward for the paving of Dauphin street, between Twenty-ninth street and Ridge avenue, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-eighth Ward for the paving of Thirty-fourth street, from Woodford to Huntington street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-eighth Ward for the paving of Twenty-ninth street, from York street to Lehigh avenue, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property in the Twenty-eighth Ward, for water pipe on Dauphin street, from Twenty-ninth street to Ridge avenue, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Mr. Hanby (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Manship M. E. Church to erect a frame chapel."

Which was referred to the Committee on Police.

Mr. Bonham (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gas lamp in the Twenty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Council proceeded to the third reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Harrison street, in the Twenty-third Ward." Which was under consideration at the adjournment of last meeting.

The question being on the final passage of the bill,

The President

Ordered the yeas and nays to be called, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Cartledge, Cooper, Currie, Doebley, Garwood, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, James, Jamison, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. J. Martin,

McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Myers, Rowan, Russell, Slack, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—36.

NAYS—Messrs. Caven, *Gibson, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Lyster, Matthews, and Salter—7.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to

And the bill passed.

*Mr. Gibson presented the following as his reasons for his vote on the above bill.

The undersigned votes nay on the passage of this bill, because, if it passes, the City and the property holders on the line of the street named therein, will be required to pay an excess of twenty-five cents per square yard for the paving thereof.

J. MADISON GIBSON.

Mr. Doebley

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to approve the award of the contract for the erection of a fire station house on the southwest side of Montgomery avenue, southeast of Girard avenue, and the approval of the contract and sureties, and to repeal a certain Ordinance."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read and agreed to.

The second section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonham, Cartledge, Caven, Cooper, Currie, Doebley, Garwood, Gibson, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hanby, Jamison, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Myers, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Slack, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—40.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Mr. Glenn

Moved that Council proceed to the election of one Trustee of the City Ice Boats, and one member of the Board of Managers of the House of Correction, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Wm. M. Wilson.

Which was agreed to.

The President

Declared nominations to be in order for Trustee of City Ice Boats.

Mr. Glenn

Nominated Galloway C. Morris.

Mr. Doebley

Moved that Galloway C. Morris be elected by acclamation.

Which was unanimously agreed to.

And Galloway C. Morris was declared unanimously elected Trustee of the City Ice Boats for the ensuing term.

The President

Declared nominations to be in order for a Manager of the House of Correction, in place of Wm. M. Wilson, resigned.

Mr. Glenn

Nominated John Noblit.

Mr. Glenn

Moved that John Noblit be elected by acclamation.

Which was unanimously agreed to.

And John Noblit was declared unanimously elected a Manager of the House of Correction for unexpired term of Wm. M. Wilson, resigned.

The hour of four o'clock having arrived Council resumed the consideration of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to create a loan for the building of bridges in the City of Philadelphia," which had been made the special order for that hour.

Mr. Bardsley

Moved that the bill be postponed, and made the special order for five o'clock.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Twenty-eighth and Sepviva streets, and Snyder avenue."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to strike out all relating to Sepviva street.

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was read.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to amend the title by striking out all relating to Sepviva street.

Which was agreed to.

The title as amended was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Cartledge, Cooper, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Lippincott, McMullin, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Slack, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—37.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Willow, Harrison and Mulberry streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage.

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonsall, Cartledge, Cooper, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Ladner, Lippincott, J. J. Martin, McMullin, Myers, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Slack, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—40.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Sycamore street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.”

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonsall, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Lyster, McGuckin, McMullin, Miller, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Slack, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—38.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Elm avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Cartledge, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, James, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Ladner, Lippincott, Lyster, J. J. Martin, McGuckin, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Slack, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—37.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative.

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill enti-

tled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Elm avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Caven

Moved to amend by inserting after the word "dollars," in the ninth line, the words, "Proposals to be advertised for twice in two daily newspapers, and the contract to be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder."

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Lyster, seconded by Mr. Widener, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Bardsley, Caven, Davis, Gibson, J. C. Gilbert, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Ladner, Lippincott, Lyster, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMorris, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Russell, Salter, Uhler, White, Widener, and Henszey, *Pres't*—26.

NAYS—Messrs. Baldwin, D. W. Gilbert, James, McMullin, Miller, Rowan, and Weir—7.

No quorum voting,

The President

Ordered a call of the House, when the following members answered to their names :

Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Caven, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Hall, Hanby, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Ladner, Lippincott, Lyster, Matthews, McGuckin, McMorris, McMullin, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Slack, Thornton, Uhler, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, and Henszey, *Pres't*—42.

A quorum of members answering to their names,

The President

Order the yeas and nays to be called on agreeing to the amendment, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Bardsley, Cartledge, Caven, Cooper, Davis, Doebley, Gibson, J. C. Gilbert, Hanby, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Ladner, Lippincott, Lyster, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMorris, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Russell, Salter, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, Williamson, and Henszey, *Pres't*—33.

NAYS—Mr. Baldwin—1.

A quorum of the members not voting,

The President

Ordered a call of the House, when the following members answered to their names :

Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Cartledge, Caven, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Hanby, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Ladner, Lippincott, Lyster, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Russell, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, Williamson, and Henszey, *Pres't*—36.

A quorum of members answering to their names,

The President

Again ordered the yeas and nays to be called on agreeing to the amendment, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Bardsley, Bonsall, Cartledge, Caven, Cooper, Davis, Doebley, Gibson, J. C. Gilbert, Hanby, James, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Ladner, Lippincott, Lyster, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMorris, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Russell, Salter, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, Williamson, and Henszey, *Pres't*—35.

NAYS—Mr. Baldwin—1.

Which was agreed to.

The question being on the section as amended.

Mr. Miller

Moved to further amend by adding the following: "*Provided*, That the work proposed shall be divided into sections, and not more than one section of the work shall be awarded to the same person or persons proposing to contract: *And provided also*, That all the work contracted for shall be completed on or before the first day of November, 1875."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

And the bill was laid over to print the amendments.

JOINT CONVENTION.

Select Council being introduced, and Councils being assembled in Joint Convention,

Mr. Downing, President of Select Council, in the chair,

Announced the object of the Joint Convention to be the election of eight Port Wardens, and two Trustees of the Northern Liberties Gas Works, and announced the nominations for eight Port Wardens to be in order.

Mr. Glenn

Nominated William H. Hurley, Harrison Snyder, Chas. McGinley, John Welsh, H. B. Bates, Jno. B. Lewellen, Jno. J. Kersey, Ludlam Matthews.

Mr. Baldwin

Moved that the eight gentlemen named be elected by acclamation.

Which was agreed to.

And Wm. H. Hurley, Harrison Snyder, Chas. McGinley, John Welsh, H. B. Bates, Jno. B. Lewellen, Jno. J. Kersey, and Ludlam Matthews, were declared unanimously elected members of the Board of Port Wardens for the ensuing term.

The President

Declared nominations for two Trustees of the Northern Liberties Gas Works to be in order.

Mr. Glenn

Nominated Edwin H. Fitler and Chas. M. Wagner.

Mr. Baldwin

Moved that they be elected by acclamation.

Which was unanimously agreed to.

And Edwin H. Fitler and Chas. M. Wagner were declared unanimously elected Trustees of the Northern Liberties Gas Works for the ensuing year.

The purpose for which the Convention had assembled having been accomplished, Select Council retired.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Water Works, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Chief Engineer of the Water Department to lay water pipe on Cantrell, Winton, Seventh, Jackson, Hare, Smick, Almond, Gaul, Wyoming, Miller, Eighth, Franklin, Seventh, Cayuga, Mifflin, Bowman, Thirty-fifth, Cambria, Somerset, Mervine and Baily streets, and on Snyder, Ridge and Elm avenues," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had concurred in a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Trenton avenue, in the Twenty-fifth Ward," with the following amendment: amend the first and only section by striking out the words and figures "three thousand seven hundred and seventy-one

(3,771) dollars and sixty-six (66) cents," and insert in place thereof the words and figures "one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine (1,879) dollars and ninety-eight (98) cents," and to further amend by adding to the end of the section the following, to wit: "*And provided*, That the paving shall be done without the water pipes being first laid."

Also,

That they had concurred in a bill entitled "An Ordinance to appoint a commission on supply of water for the City of Philadelphia," with the following amendment: amend the first section of the bill by striking out the word "fifteen," and insert in place thereof the word "eight."

The hour of five o'clock having arrived, Council resumed the consideration of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to create a loan for the building of bridges in the City of Philadelphia."

The question being on the final passage of the bill,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bon-sall, Cartledge, Caven, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Ladner, Lippincott, Lyster, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMorris, Miller, Mouat, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Slack, Thornton, Uhler, Weir White, Widener, Williamson, and Henszey, *Pres't*—46.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the whole number of members having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of fifty-second street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to amend by inserting after the word "dollars," in the ninth line, the words "proposals to be advertised for twice in two daily newspapers, and the contract to be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder;" and by adding, "*Provided*, That the work proposed shall be divided into sections, and not more than one section of the work shall be awarded to the same person or persons proposing to contract: *And provided also*, That all the work contracted for shall be completed on or before the 1st day of November, 1875."

The section as amended was agreed to.

And the bill was laid over to print the amendments.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Fifty-second street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Caven, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn,

Hall, Hanby, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Lippincott, Lyster, McGuckin, McMorris, Miller, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Slack, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—35.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Twenty-fifth street, in the Fifteenth Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonham, Caven, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Doebly, Dorlan, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, James, Jamison, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Lippincott, Lyster, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, Miller, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Slack, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—35.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Council proceeded to the second reading of the bill from Select Council entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the purchase of a lot of ground on Darby avenue, between Seventieth and Seventy-first streets, in the Twenty seventh Ward, and to make an appropriation therefor."

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Caven

Moved to refer the bill to the Committee on Schools of Common Council.

Mr. Rowan

Moved that the further consideration of the bill be postponed one week.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Rowan, seconded by Mr. Klauder, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Dorlan, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, James, Jamison, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Lippincott, J. J. Martin, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Slack, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—34.

NAYS—Messrs. Caven, Gibson, and Matthews—3.

Which was agreed to.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the bill from Select Council entitled "An Ordinance accepting a clock and bell for the State House steeple as a gift from Henry Seybert."

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Bardsley

Moved that the further consideration of the bill be postponed, and that it be made the special order for Thursday afternoon next, at five o'clock.

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Bardsley

Moved that the further consideration of the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Which was not agreed to.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bonham, Bonsall, Caven, Cooper, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, James, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Ladner, Lippincott, Lyster, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Slack, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—40.

NAYS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, and Myers—3.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Mr. Bardsley

Chairman of the Committee on Finance, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriation to the Trustees of the City Ice Boats for 1875, to approve the award of the contract for boilers for Ice Boat No. 2, and to make an appropriation to pay for said boilers." (*Appendix No. 304.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Dauphin street, from Lamb Tavern road to Nineteenth street, Twenty-eighth Ward, and request the Mayor to enter security for the payment of the damages." (*Appendix No. 305.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make certain transfers in the appropriation to the Department for Supplying the City with Water, approved April 17th, 1865, and July 10th, 1865, out of loan 2, authorized May 5th, 1865, appropriations approved April 3d, 1868, and February 13th, 1869, out of loan 3, authorized December 26th, 1868; appropriation approved April 7th, 1870, out of loan 4, authorized March 19th, 1870; and appropriations approved July 7th, 1870, December 5th, 1870, and November 6th, 1871, out of loan 5, authorized July 8th, 1871." (*Appendix No. 306.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to approve the contract and surety of Geo. Nonnamaker, for the erection of a school edifice at Pittville, Twenty-second Ward." (*Appendix No. 307.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to approve the contract and sureties of Geo. W. Fulmer, for the building of pavilion wards at the Almshouse." (*Appendix No. 308.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay the fees of the constables of the City of Philadelphia." (*Appendix No. 309.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Board of Trustees of the Philadelphia Gas Works to purchase a tract of land in the Twenty-fifth Ward." (*Appendix No. 310.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay damages caused by the opening of Ford street and Montgomery avenue." (*Appendix No. 311.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to enter satisfaction on the official bond of Wm. H. McFadden, Chief Engineer of the Water Department." (*Appendix No. 312.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to approve the contract and surety of Wm. F. Murphy's Sons for furnishing blank warrants." (*Appendix No. 313.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation for meals for jurors." (*Appendix No. 314.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, reporting back the bill entitled "An Ordinance to approve the contract and sureties of Philip H. Somerset for alterations to Rutledge School House, and to restrict the lien of the judgment, with the request that it be referred to the Committee on Schools."

The bill was so referred.

Mr. Rowan,

Chairman of the Committee on Highways, presented a report with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Victoria, Belgrade, Winton and Cantrell streets." (*Appendix No. 315.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Parrish, Twenty-seventh and Bateman streets." (*Appendix No. 316.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Thirty-ninth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward." (*Appendix No. 317.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Cambria street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward." (*Appendix No. 318.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Queen and Cambria streets." (*Appendix No. 319.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Winton, Waln, Hamburger and Jackson streets." (*Appendix No. 320.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Parrish street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward." (*Appendix No. 321.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a resolution annexed entitled "Resolution of instruction to the Survey Department." (*Appendix No. 322.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening

of Gowen street, in the Twenty-second Ward." (*Appendix No. 323.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the tramwaying of Miller, Mott, Prospect, Hope and Pollard streets." (*Appendix No. 324.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Twenty-seventh street, in the Fifteenth Ward." (*Appendix No. 325.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Manayunk avenue, in the Twenty-first Ward." (*Appendix No. 326.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of McMurray, Neff, Agate, Memphis, Tulip, Gaul, and Chatham streets." (*Appendix No. 327.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance supplementary to an Ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance constituting the Depart-

ment of Highways, Bridges and Sewers,'” approved December 23d, 1874. (*Appendix No. 328.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the locating of a City yard, in the Twenty-sixth Ward.” (*Appendix No. 329.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Thornton,

Chairman of the Committee on Surveys presented a report with a bill annexed entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers on Twenty-first, Norris, Garnet, Diamond, Third, Weaver, St. John, Wharton, Fourth, Hancock, Harriet, Comptroller, Marriott, Branch, and Spruce street.” (*Appendix No. 330.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a resolution annexed entitled “Resolution to discharge the Committee on Surveys and Regulations from the further consideration of a petition to change the name of Tacony street.” (*Appendix No. 331.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Quin,

Chairman of the Special Committee on the grading of Hancock street, presented a report, with a resolution annexed entitled “Resolution discharging the Special Committee on grading of Hancock street and directing the clerk to notify the Chief Commissioner of Highways.” (*Appendix No. 332.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit:

“Resolution to meet in Joint Convention.”

“An Ordinance to authorize the Chief Commissioner of Highways to draw a warrant in favor of Joseph McDonald.”

“An Ordinance to authorize the footway on the south side of Market street, between Twenty-second street and the Market street Bridge, to be widened three feet.”

“An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Lawrence (or Apple street), Eighth and McKean streets.”

Council proceeded to the consideration of the following amendment of Select Council to the bill entitled “An Ordinance to appoint a Committee on Supply of Water for the City of Philadelphia:” amend the first and only section by striking out the word “fifteen” and inserting the word “eight.”

The amendment was again read.

Mr. Rowan

Moved that Council do non-concur in Select Council’s amendment, and that a Committee of Conference be appointed.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Rowan, seconded by Mr. D. W. Gilbert, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Klohse, Rowan, Thornton, White, and Wright—9.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonham, Caven, Davis, Doebley, Gibson, Hall, Hanby, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Ladner, Lippincott, Lyster, J. J. Martin, Matthews, Miller, Mouat, Quin, Russell, Salter, Slack, Uhler, Widener, and Henszey, *Pres’t*—27.

Which was not agreed to.

The question being on concurring in the amendment of Select Council,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonham, Caven, Davis, Doebley, Gibson, Hall, Hanby, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Ladner, Lyster, J. J. Martin, Matthews, Quin, Russell, Salter, Slack, Uhler, White, Widener, and Henszey, *Pres't*—25.

NAYS—None.

No quorum voting, the President declared Council adjourned.

Thursday, June 3, 1875.

Council met—Members present:

Messrs. Allen,
Baldwin,
Bardsley,
Bonham,
Bonsall,
Budd,
Cartledge,
Caven,
Collins,
Cooper,
Currie,
Davis,
Divine,
Doebley,
Dorlan,
Garwood,
Gegan,
Gibson,
Gilbert, D. W.
Gilbert, J. C.
Glenn,
Hall,
Hanby,
Hayhurst,
James,
Judge,
Kaney,
Kennedy, J.

Messrs. Kennedy, J. H.
Klobse,
Laughlin,
Lippincott,
Lyster,
Martin, J. J.
Matthews,
McMorris,
McMullin,
Miller,
Mouat,
Myers,
Quin,
Rowan,
Russell,
Salter,
Schafer,
Siner,
Slack,
Tatem,
Thornton,
Uhler,
Vories,
White,
Widener,
Williamson,
Wright,
Henszey, *Pres't.*

The President

Presented a communication from R. D. Wood & Co. relative to patent fire hydrant.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also,

Presented a communication from the City Commissioners, with a bill annexed asking for a special appropriation of one thousand dollars to pay witness fees.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Tatem (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gas lamp on the northwest corner of Eighth street and Washington avenue."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to change the place of holding elections in the Seventh Division of the Second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Mr. Gibson

Presented a communication from E. Lafferty, offering to pave streets, whether rubble or cobble, at one dollar and twenty-five cents per square yard, and submitting as securities, in the sum of fifty thousand dollars, Edward Mulligan and Hugh Gamble, the work to be done as prescribed by Ordinance.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Russell

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners for

a sewer on Bright street, between Spruce and Pine streets, in the Seventh Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Bardsley (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the payment of certificate 4437 for eight hundred dollars, with interest from 1st day of July, A. D. 1871, of the six percentum loan of the City of Philadelphia of 1855, to James Parsons, Esq., attorney for Wilhelmina Behrens, of Neuss, Germany, unlawfully and without authority transferred by the same City."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Board of the Revision of Taxes, to pay salaries of assessors for the year 1875."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to restrict the lien of certain judgments against Edwin M. Hunt."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also. (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to release the sureties upon the official bond of the City Solicitor."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Schafer (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate a gas lamp in the Eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Bonsall (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a sewer on Wistar street, from Eleventh to Twelfth street, in the Fourteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a sewer on Darien street, from Brown to Parrish, Thirteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the tramwaying of Potts, Atmore and Myrtle streets, in the Fourteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Glenn (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to meet in Joint Convention to elect Guardians of the Poor." (*Appendix No. 333.*)

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Managers of the House of Correction, to purchase, not exceeding the amount of one hundred dollars, without advertisement."

Which was referred to the Committee on House of Correction.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a

gas lamp on the north side of Wood street, east of Twenty-third street, Fifteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Caven

Presented a communication from L. Sykes & Son, relative to their proposal for building a bridge over the Wissahickon creek.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Hayhurst (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate gas lamp in Adrian street, Sixteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Allen (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gas lamp on Fifth street, above Thompson street, Seventeenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Doebley (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to appoint a Joint Committee on the Bunker Hill Centennial Anniversary Celebration." (*Appendix No. 334.*)

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Miller (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to change place of voting in the Thirty-ninth Division of Thirty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance granting permission to the Second and Third Street Passenger Railway Company to extend their tracks on the northern end of their line, to enable the said company to land their passengers in Fairmount Park for one fare."

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to revise the lines of Gaul street, from Vienna street to Montgomery avenue, Eighteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place gas lamps on Emlen, Jasper and other streets."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate gas lamps on Emlen, and Adams streets, Thirty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Manor street, Nineteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the laying of water pipe on Manor street, Nineteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Gaul street, Eighteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Widener

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners for a sewer on Camac street, between Oxford street and Columbia avenue.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Laughlin

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners on the line of North Seventh street, between Poplar street and Girard avenue, asking for an additional gas lamp.

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Dorlan (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Waterloo street, between Alleghany avenue and Clearfield street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Randolph street, from Trenton avenue to Amber street, and Waterloo street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Cartledge (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Chief Commissioner of Highways to grade Filmore, Clearfield and Jasper streets."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Hall (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Chief Commissioner of Highways to notify contractor to proceed with the grading and paving of Fortieth street, from Pennsylvania Railroad to Elm avenue, Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to grade and pave sidewalks on Forty-first and Fortieth streets, from Pennsylvania Railroad to Elm avenue, Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to lay water pipe on Haverford street, from Fifty-fourth street to Sixty-fifth street, Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to curb and pave Myrtle street, between Fortieth and Preston, and between Forty-first and Forty-second streets."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate gas lamps in the Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe on Fifty-second street, from Elm avenue to Lancaster avenue, Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which were referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners for the curbing and paving of Myrtle street, between Fortieth street and Preston street.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners for the curbing and paving of Myrtle street, between Forty-first and Forty-second streets, Twenty-fourth Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. D. W. Gilbert

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners for the paving of Somerset street, from Sixth street to Germantown avenue, Twenty-fifth Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Somerset street, Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Clearfield street, from Jasper street to Kensington avenue."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place Kip street, from Tusculum street to Cambria street, Twenty-fifth Ward, on the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place Orleans street, from Emerald street to Kensington avenue, on the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Klobse

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property in the Twenty-sixth Ward for water pipe on Eighteenth street, from Reed to Morris street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property in the Twenty-sixth Ward for water pipe on Dickerson street, from Eighteenth street to Long lane, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners fronting on Nineteenth street, from Reed to Morris street, asking that water pipe be laid in the same.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners fronting on Nineteenth street, from Reed to Morris street, asking for the grading and paving thereof.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Rowan

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners for a sewer on Thirty-seventh street, between Walnut and Locust streets.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to extend a sewer on the south side of Chestnut Street Bridge to low water mark."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Bonham (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to change the place of holding elections in the Fourth and Ninth Divisions, Twenty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to defray the expenses of the State Fencibles to the city of Boston."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Bardsley

Moved to reconsider the vote on the passage of the resolution entitled "Resolution to appoint a Joint Committee on the Bunker Hill Centennial Anniversary Celebration."

Which was agreed to.

The question being on agreeing to the resolution,

Mr. Bardsley

Moved that the further consideration of the resolution be indefinitely postponed.

Which was agreed to.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on City Property, with a resolution annexed entitled "Resolution to discharge the Committee on City Property from the further consideration of the bill entitled 'An Ordinance to author-

ize the dredging and cleansing of Mill Creek, in the Twenty-seventh Ward," and to make an appropriation therefor, which they had passed.

Also,

That they had received a report from the Committee on Railroads, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to grant permission to Messrs. Keller & Krause to extend their tracks across Philip street," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had received a report from the Committee on Water Works, with a bill annexed entitled, "An Ordinance to authorize the Chief Engineer of the Water Department to lay water pipe on Dickinson, Fifteenth, Oakford, Twenty-eighth and Somerset streets, and on Snyder and Girard avenues," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had passed a resolution entitled "Resolution of instruction to the Chief Engineer of the Water Department not to purchase Hill's fire plug."

Council resumed the consideration of the following amendment of Select Council to the bill entitled "An Ordinance to appoint a Committee on Supply of Water for the City of Philadelphia:" amend the first and only section by striking out the word "fifteen" and inserting the word "eight," which was under consideration at the adjournment of last meeting.

The question being on concurring in Select Council's amendment.

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonham, Cartledge, Caven, Collins, Currie, Davis, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, Gegan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klohse, Laughlin, Lyster, J. J. Martin, Mat-

thews, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Schafer, Siner, Slack, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, Williamson, and Henszey, *Pres't*—47.

NAYS—Messrs. Lippincott, and Wright—2.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred in Select Council's amendment.

JOINT CONVENTION.

Select Council being introduced, and Councils being assembled in Joint Convention,

Mr. Downing, President of Select Council, in the chair,

Announced the object of the Joint Convention to be the election of four members of the Board of Guardians of the Poor, and announced the nominations to be in order.

Mr. Glenn

Nominated William A. Durfor, William Marks, William M. Bunn.

Mr. Marcus

Nominated Timothy Mealey.

Mr. Caven

Moved the election be postponed till the last Thursday in June.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Caven, seconded by Mr. Rowan, and were as follow:

Select Council,

YEAS—Messrs. Bickel, Clifford, King, Monroe, Smith, and Downing, *Pres't*—6.

NAYS—Messrs. Bradly, Burnell, Cochran, Eno, Fox, Jones, McAdam, McCullough, McDowell, Marcus, Park, Spering, and Wilson—13.

Common Council,

YEAS—Messrs. Bardsley, Cartledge, Caven, Collins, Cooper, Davis, Divine, Gegan, J. C. Gilbert, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Lippincott, Lyster, J. J. Martin, Matthews, Quin, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Uhler, and Widener—21.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bonham, Bonsall, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hayhurst, James, Judge, J. H. Kennedy, Klohse, Laughlin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Rowan, Siner, Slack, Tatem, Thornton, White, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—30.

Total, yeas 27, nays 43.

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Glenn

Moved the gentlemen nominated be elected by acclamation.

There being votes in the negative,

It was not agreed to.

Thereupon a ballot was taken.

The Clerks, acting as tellers, reported that 69 votes had been cast, of which

Select Council

Messrs. Bradly, Burnell, Clifford, Jones, McAdam, McCullough, Park, Spering, Wilson, and Downing, *Pres't*,

10, voted for William M. Bunn, William Marks, William A. Durfor, and Timothy Mealey.

Messrs. Eno, Fox, and McDowell,

3, voted for William M. Bunn, William Marks, and William A. Durfor.

Mr. Smith,

1, voted for William Marks, and William A Durfor.

Messrs. Bickel, Cochran, King, Marcus, and Monroe.

5, voted for Timothy Mealey.

Common Council,

Messrs. Baldwin, Bonsall, Hall, Salter, and Henszey,
Pres't,

5, voted for William M. Bunn, William Marks, William A. Durfor, and Timothy Mealey.

Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonham, Cartledge, Currie, Davis, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Judge, J. H. Kennedy, Klohse, Laughlin, J. J. Martin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Rowan, Siner, Slack, Tatem, Thornton, White, Williamson, and Wright,

31, voted for William M. Bunn, William Marks, and William A. Durfor.

Messrs. Collins, J. C. Gilbert, Russell, Schafer, and Uhler,

5, voted for William Marks, and William A. Durfor.

Mr. Cooper,

1, voted for William Marks, William A. Durfor, and Timothy Mealey.

Mr. Morris,

1, voted for William A. Durfor.

Messrs. Gegan, Gibson, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Matthews, McMullin, and Quin,

7, voted for Timothy Mealey.

In all, 55 voted for William Marks.

In all, 57 voted for William A. Durfor.

In all, 50 voted for William M. Bunn.

In all, 28 voted for Timothy Mealey.

And William Marks, William M. Bunn, and William A. Durfor, having received a majority of all the votes cast, were declared elected members of the Board of Guardians of the Poor for the ensuing year.

Mr. McMullin

Moved that Mr. Mealey be elected by acclamation.

There being votes in the negative,

It was not agreed to.

Thereupon another ballot was taken for a member of the Board of Guardians of the Poor.

The Clerks, acting as tellers, reported that 39 votes were cast, of which

Select Council,

Messrs. Bickel, Bradly, Clifford, Cochran, Eno, Fox, Jones, King, McAdam, McCullough, Marcus, Monroe, Spering, Wilson, and Downing, *Pres't*,

15, voted for Timothy Mealey.

Common Council,

Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonsall, Budd, Cartledge, Cooper, Divine, Gegan, Gibson, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, Kaney, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Laughlin, Matthews, McMullin, Quin, Salter, Schafer, Tatem, White, and Henszey, *Pres't*,

24, voted for Timothy Mealey.

Timothy Mealey having received a majority of all the votes cast, was declared elected a member of the Board of Guardians of the Poor for the ensuing year.

The purposes for which the Convention had assembled, having been accomplished, Select Council retired.

Mr. Bardsley

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to create a loan for the improvement of Fairmount Park, and the constructing of bridges across the river Schuylkill." The papers were produced by the Clerk, in which the bill had been published according to law.

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Bardsley

Moved to amend by striking out the words "one million dollars," and inserting in place thereof," the words "seven hundred and fifty thousand dollars."

Mr. Lyster

Moved to amend the amendment by inserting "five hundred thousand dollars."

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Lyster, seconded by Mr. Caven, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Bonsall, Cartledge, Caven, Cooper, Davis, Garwood, Gibson, Kaney, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klohse, Lyster, Matthews, McMorris, Quin, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Slack, Uhler, Widener, Williamson, and Wright—23.

NAYS—Messrs Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Collins, Currie, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Judge, Lippincott, J. J. Martin, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Rowan, Siner, Taten, Thornton, Vories, White and Henszey, *Pres't*—29.

Which was not agreed to.

The question being on the amendment to make it seven hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

It was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The second section was again read.

Mr. Quin

Moved to amend by adding the following: "*Provided*, That no part of this money shall be appropriated to the Park Commission, so long as they permit the sale of malt or spirituous liquors within the bounds of the Park."

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to amend by adding the following: "*Provided* that no part of this loan shall be sold, unless first authorized by these Councils."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

And the bill was laid over to print the amendments.

Mr. Bardsley,

Chairman of the Committee on Finance, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to release certain property of Francis Riley from the lien of a certain judgment." (*Appendix No. 335.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Rowan,

Chairman of the Committee on Highways, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Tasker street, in the First Ward." (*Appendix No. 336.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Atlanta street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward." (*Appendix No. 337.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Mayor to appoint watchmen for Girard avenue and Chestnut Street Bridges." (*Appendix No. 338.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the tramwaying of Holly, Lloyd, and Harmony streets." (*Appendix No. 339.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Berks street and Columbia avenue." (*Appendix No. 340.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Siloam and Josephine streets." (*Appendix No. 341.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill

annexed entitled "An Ordinance to repeal a resolution entitled 'Resolution relative to the opening of Sedgely avenue,'" approved September 28th, 1872. (*Appendix No. 342.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Thornton,

Chairman of the Committee on Surveys, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to revise the curb lines of Sixty-third street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward." (*Appendix No. 343.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance relative to the revision of a part of the plan of the Twenty-fifth Ward." (*Appendix No. 344.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Hall

Presented a minority report on the bill entitled "An Ordinance relative to the revision of a part of the plan of the Twenty-fifth Ward." (*Appendix No. 345.*)

Mr. Thornton,

Chairman of the Committee on Surveys, presented a report with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to revise Plan No. 251, in the Twenty-fifth Ward." (*Appendix No. 346.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, reporting back the resolution entitled "Resolution of instruction to the Chief Engineer and Surveyor to estimate cost of bridge at Ninth and Nor-

ris streets, with the request that it be referred to the Committee on Railroads."

It was so referred.

Mr. Glenn,

Chairman of the Committee on Police, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to grant permission to F. G. Malone to erect a temporary frame building at Frankford and Lehigh avenues." (*Appendix No. 347.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to grant permission to George Fields to erect a temporary frame building in the rear of 1029 Hanover street." (*Appendix No. 348.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to regulate the erection of signs within the City limits." (*Appendix No. 349.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Manship M. E. Church to erect a frame chapel." (*Appendix No. 350.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance granting permission to W. S. Reyburn to erect a bay window at Nineteenth and Spring Garden streets." (*Appendix No. 351.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Glenn,

Chairman of the Committee on Railroads of Common Council, presented a report, with a resolution annexed entitled "Resolution to discharge the Committee on Railroads from the further consideration of a resolution relative to placing flagmen on Washington avenue." (*Appendix No. 352.*)

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Mr. Dorlan,

Chairman of the Committee on Fire Department, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the purchase of a lot of ground, with the buildings thereon erected, situated on the north side of Lombard street, east of Eleventh, for a fire station, and to make an appropriation therefor." (*Appendix No. 353.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Glenn

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill from Select Council entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Chief Engineer of the Water Department to lay water pipe on Cantrell, Winton, Seventh, Jackson, Hare, Sniick, Almond, Gaul, Wyoming, Miller, Eighth, Franklin, Seventh, Cayuga, Mifflin, Bowman, Thirty-fifth, Cambria, Somerset, Mervine and Baily streets, and on Snyder, Ridge and Elm avenues."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Miller

Moved to strike out all relating to "Almond, Gaul, Wyoming and Miller streets."

Mr. Caven

Moved that the further consideration of the bill be postponed for the present.

Which was agreed to.

Council proceeded to the consideration of the following amendments of Select Council to the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Chief Commissioner of Highways to construct a trunk," viz.: amend the first and only section by striking out the words "ask for estimate," and insert in place thereof the words "advertise for proposals," and to further amend by inserting after the words "above-mentioned trunk," the following: "and let the same to the lowest bidder," and amend the title by adding, "on Passyunk avenue, from Twenty-second to Twenty-third street."

Mr. Thornton

Moved that Common Council concur in Select Council's amendments.

On which the yeas and nays were called in accordance with law, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Caven, Collins, Currie, Davis, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Hall, Hanby, James, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Lippincott, Lyster, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, McMullin, Mouat, Myers, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Tatem, Thornton, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—38.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred in Select Council's amendments.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit:

“ An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Sycamore street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.”

“ An Ordinance to authorize the grading of York street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward.”

“ An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Twenty-eighth street and Snyder avenue.”

“ An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Willow, Harrison and Mulberry streets.”

“ An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Fifty-second street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.”

“ An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Elm avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.”

“ An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Twenty-fifth street, in the Fifteenth Ward.”

“ An Ordinance to approve the award of the contract for the erection of a fire station house on the southwest side of Montgomery avenue, southeast of Girard avenue, and the approval of the contract and sureties, and to repeal a certain Ordinance.”

“ Resolution to meet in Joint Convention.”

Mr. J. J. Martin

Moved that Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

And Council adjourned.

Tuesday, June 8, 1875.

A special meeting of Common Council was held this afternoon, in pursuance of the following call :

PHILADELPHIA *June 4, 1875.*

JOHN ECKSTEIN, ESQ.,

Clerk of Common Council :

Call a special meeting of Common Council, to be held in Common Council chamber, on Tuesday, June 8th, 1875, at 3 o'clock P. M., for general business.

A. WILSON HENSZEY,
President of Common Council.

Council met—Members present :

Messrs. Allen,
Baldwin,
Bardsley,
Bonham,
Bonsall,
Caven,
Collins,
Cooper,
Currie,
Davis,
Divine,
Doebly,
Dorlan,
Garwood,
Gegan,
Gibson,
Gilbert, D. W.
Glenn,
Hall,
Hayhurst,
Jamison,
Kaney,
Kennedy, J.
Klauder,

Messrs. Klohse,
Lippincott,
Lyster,
Martin, J.
Matthews,
McGuckin,
McMorris,
McMullin,
Miller,
Mouat,
Rowan,
Russell,
Salter,
Siner,
Slack,
Subers,
Tatem,
Thornton,
Uhler,
Vories,
White,
Widener,
Wright,
Henszey, *Pres't.*

The President

Presented a communication from R. Rundle Smith, offering to sell one hundred acres of land for sixty thousand dollars, situate on Frankford creek, for the purpose of the Trustees of the Philadelphia Gas Work. (*Appendix No. 354.*)

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Slack (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate gas lamps in the First Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Bardsley (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to Item 7, of the appropriation to the Clerks of Councils for 1875."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Miller (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to give notice of the opening of Berks street, from Second street to Sixth street, Nineteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Hall (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to change the place of voting in the Thirteenth Division of the Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Division.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grant permission to John Dickerson to have carriage stand in

front of Chestnut and Walnut Street Passenger Railway Depot."

Which was referred to the Committee on Police.

Mr. D. W. Gilbert

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property of the Twenty-fifth Ward for water pipe on Somerset street, from Sixth street to Germantown avenue, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Chief Commissioner of Highways relative to placing a new draw in Orthodox street bridge, and having the bridge put in order."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Chief Commissioner of Highways relative to paving intersections on Lehigh avenue."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize Henry Young to erect a frame building on his premises, Fifth and Somerset streets, Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Police.

Council proceeded to the second reading of the bill from Select Council, entitled "An Ordinance approving the plan for the improvement of Independence Square, and making an appropriation to pay for the improvement."

* The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Divine, Dorlan, Garwood, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurt, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Siner, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Widener, and Henszey, *Pres't*—43.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Mr. Bardsley

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay the fees of the constables of the City of Philadelphia."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read and agreed to.

The second section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage.

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Divine, Dorlan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin,

Matthews, McGuckin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Siner, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Widener, and Henszey, *Pres't*—41.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to approve the contract and sureties of George W. Fulmer, for the building of pavillion wards at the Almshouse."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bon-sall, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Divine, Dorlan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Lippincott, J. Martin, Matthews, McGukin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Siner, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Widener, and Henszey, *Pres't*—41.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Board of Trustees of the Philadelphia Gas Works to purchase a tract of land in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Klauder

Moved that the further consideration of the bill be postponed one week.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Klauder, seconded by Mr. Rowan, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Collins, Cooper, Davis, Gibson, J. Kennedy, Klauder, J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, White, and Widener—11.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bon-sall, Currie, Divine, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, Jamison, Klohse, Lippincott, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Siner, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, and Henszey, *Pres't*—29.

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Miller

Moved that the further consideration of the bill be postponed until Thursday next, and that it be made the special order for four o'clock in the afternoon.

Which was agreed to.

Common Council resumed the second reading of the bill from Select Council entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the purchase of a lot of ground on Darby avenue, between

Seventieth and Seventy-first streets, in the Twenty-seventh Ward," and to make an appropriation therefor.

The first section was again read and agreed to.

The second section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Divine, Dorlan, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Lippincott, Lyster, McGuckin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Siner, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—41.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Mr. Bardsley

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to approve the contract and surety of William F. Murphy's Sons for furnishing blank warrants."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bon-sall, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Divine, Dorlan, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—41.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled “ An Ordinance to release certain property of David Rankin from the lien of a certain judgment.”

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bon-sall, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Divine, Dorlan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, Jamison, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Lyster, J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMorris, McMullin; Miller, Mouat, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Siner, Slack, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—38.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation for meals of jurors."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Bardsley

Moved to amend the first and only section by adding the following: "and one thousand dollars be and is hereby appropriated to Item 6 to pay witness fees."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

And the bill was laid over to print the amendments.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to release certain property of James O'Rourke from the lien of a certain judgment."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Divine, Dorlan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, Jamison, Kaney, Klauder, Klohse, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, McMullin, Mouat, Russell, Salter, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—37.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to release certain property of Francis Riley from the lien of a certain judgment."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Divine, Dorlan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Lippincott, J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Siner, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—39.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to

And the bill passed.

Also, (on leave,)

Chairman of the Committee on Finance, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the Board of Health for cleaning the streets, &c., in the Twenty-second Ward." (*Appendix No. 355.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to release the sureties on the official bond of John Overn, Chief Inspector of Steam Engines and Boilers, and substitute other sureties." (*Appendix No. 356.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to restrict the lien of certain judgments against Edwin M. Hunt." (*Appendix No. 357.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to enter satisfaction on the official bond of Samuel M. Fox, late Purveyor in the Water Department." (*Appendix No. 358.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the appropriation to the Commissioners for the erection of Public Buildings." (*Appendix No. 359.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Board of Revision of Taxes to pay salaries of Assessors for the year 1875." (*Appendix No. 360.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to approve the contract and surety of Robert D. Reeves for alterations to school house on Spruce street, below Sixth street." (*Appendix No. 361.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to release the sureties upon the official bond of the City Solicitor." (*Appendix No. 362.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the tramwaying of Miller, Mott, Prospect, Hope and Pollard streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Caven

Moved to amend by adding, "*Provided*, That proposals be advertised for in two daily newspapers, and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder."

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Lyster, seconded by Mr. Widener, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Caven, Davis, Gibson, Lyster, Matthews, McMorris, Russell, Salter, and Widener—9.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bon-sall, Cooper, Currie, Divine, Dorlan, Hall, Hayhurst, Jamison, Kaney, Klohse, Lippincott, J. Martin, McMullin, Mouat, Rowan, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—28.

Which was not agreed to.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Divine, Dorlan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Hall, Hayhurst, Jamison, Kaney, Klauder, Klohse, Lippincott, J. Martin, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Rowan, Salter, Siner, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—35.

NAYS—Messrs. Caven, Lyster, and Russell—3.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the tramwaying of Holly, Lloyd and Harmony streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Caven

Moved to amend by adding the following: "*Provided*, that proposals be advertised for in two daily newspapers, and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder."

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Caven, seconded by Mr. Russell, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Caven, Davis, Gibson, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Matthews, Russell, Salter, Uhler, and Widener—10.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Currie, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, Hall, Jamison, Kaney, Klohse, Lippincott, J. Martin, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Rowan, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Vories, White, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—27.

Which was not agreed to.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Cooper, Currie, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, Hall, Hayhurst, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klauder,

Klohse, Lippincott, J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—36.

NAYS—Messrs. Gibson, Lyster, and Widener—3.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the location of a City yard in the Twenty-sixth Ward.

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Cooper, Currie, Divine, Dorlan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Hall, Hayhurst, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Lippincott, Lyster, Matthews, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—36.

NAYS—Messrs. Doebley, and J. Martin—2.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the tramwaying of Law-

son, Jones, Lancaster, Leithgow, Struthers and Cowley streets.”

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Cooper, Currie, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Lippincott, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Rowan, Salter, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Wright, and Hlenszey, *Pres't*—33.

NAYS—Messrs. Gibson, Lyster, J. Martin, Matthews, Russell, and Widener—6.

A majority of those elected not having voted in the affirmative,

It was not agreed to.

And the bill fell.

Mr. D. W. Gilbert

Moved that Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

And Council adjourned.

Thursday, June 10, 1875.

Council met—Members present :

Messrs. Allen,
Baldwin,
Bardsley,
Bonham,
Bonsall,
Budd,
Cartledge,
Caven,
Collins,
Cooper,
Currie,
Divine,
Doebly,
Dorlan,
Gallagher,
Garwood,
Gibson,
Gilbert, D. W.
Gilbert, J. C.
Hall,
Hanby,
Hayhurst,
James,
Jamison,
Judge,
Kaney,
Kennedy, J.
Kennedy, J. H.
Klauder,
Klohse,

Messrs. Ladner,
Laughlin
Lippincott,
Lyster,
Martin, J.
Martin, J. J.
Matthews,
McGuckin,
McMorris,
McMullin,
Miller,
Mouat,
Myers,
Quin,
Rowan,
Russell,
Schafer,
Siner,
Slack,
Subers,
Tatem,
Thornton,
Uhler,
Vories,
Weir,
White,
Widener,
Williamson,
Wright,
Henszey, *Pres't.*

The President

Presented a communication from Franklin B. Gowen, asking Councils to adopt the minority report of the Committee on Surveys and Regulations relative to the use of a lot of ground in the Twenty-fifth Ward, for the purposes of a ship yard and dry dock.

Which was read and laid on the table.

Also,

Presented a communication from Edwin M. Lewis, submitting a report showing the aggregate of the 5 and 6 per cent. loans of the City, on which interest is paid by the City as they stood on January 1st, 1875, and as they stand on the books at the Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank, on June 1st, 1875. (*Appendix No. 363.*)

Also,

Presented a communication from Henry D. Welsh, President of the American Steamship Company, asking Councils to accede to the request of the Reading Railroad Company, in the matter of the proposed ship yard and dry dock, in the Twenty-fifth Ward. (*Appendix No. 364.*)

Which was read and laid on the table.

Mr. Slack

Presented a protest from Joseph Barry, against the removal of the place where elections are now held in the Fifth Division, Twenty-ninth Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the First Ward to change the place of voting in the Twenty-fifth Division of the First Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the First Ward for the paving of Mildred street, from McKean street to Snyder avenue, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the First Ward for the paving of Snyder avenue, from Twelfth street to Broad street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-fifth Ward, asking Councils to pass such an Ordinance as will guarantee the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company the unrestricted use of a plot of ground, in said Ward, for the purpose of a ship yard and dry dock.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property in the First Ward for water pipe on Snyder avenue, between Eighth and Ninth streets, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property in the First Ward for water pipe on Mildred street, between McKean street and Snyder avenue, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Mr. Kaney (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to change

the place of voting in the Second Division of the Third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Mr. Mouat (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to change the place of voting in the Third Division, Fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to tramway Levant and Elmslie streets, in the Fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. White.

Presented a communication containing an invitation of W. F. and Henry Schmoele, to view an automatic electric band.

Which was referred to the Committee on Centennial Anniversary.

Mr. Bardsley (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay the interest on the funded debt of the City of Philadelphia falling due on the first day of July, 1875."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also,

Presented a communication from Edward L. Perkins, attorney, offering to sell a plot of ground in the Twenty-third Ward, for the purposes of the Philadelphia Gas Works.

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to construct a sewer on Naudain street, between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets, in the Seventh Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also,

Presented a communication from the Centennial Board of Finance inviting Councils to participate in a grand civic and military demonstration to be given in the Centennial International Exhibition Grounds on the fifth proximo.

Mr. Bardsley

Moved that the invitation be accepted, and the communication referred to the Committee on Centennial Anniversary.

Which was agreed to.

Also,

Presented a petition of D. C. Thornton asking permission to have two or more carriages stand front of the Arlington House, Broad street and Penn Square.

Which was referred to the Committee on Police.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-fifth Ward asking Councils to pass such an Ordinance as will guarantee the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company the unrestricted use of a plot of ground in said Ward for the purposes of a ship yard and dry dock.

Which was laid on the table.

Mr. Caven

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Fifteenth Ward relative to a sewer on Fairmount avenue, east of Corinthian avenue, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-fifth Ward asking Councils to pass such an Ordinance as will guarantee the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company the unrestricted use of a plot of ground in said Ward for the purposes of a ship yard and dry dock.

Which was laid on the table.

Mr. J. J. Martin

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-fifth Ward asking Councils to pass such an Ordinance as will guarantee the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company the unrestricted use of a plot of ground in said Ward for the purposes of a ship yard and dry dock.

Which was laid on the table.

Mr. Allen (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the tramwaying of Hope and Gillingham streets, in the Seventeenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Doebley (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a culvert on Marlborough street, from Belgrade street to Thompson street, in the Eighteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Miller

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty fifth Ward asking Councils to pass such an Ordinance as will guarantee the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company the unrestricted use of a plot of ground in said Ward for the purposes of a ship yard and dry dock.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe on Diamond street, from Marshall to Seventh street, Twentieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to change the place of voting in the Twenty-fourth Division of the Thirty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Committee on House of Correction relative to the management of said institution."

Which was referred to the Committee on House of Correction.

Mr. Currie

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-fifth Ward for the paving of Emerald street, from Hart lane to Orleans street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave James and Ruan streets, in the Twenty-third Ward, with rubble paving."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Stiles and Cambridge streets, in the Twenty-third Ward, with rubble paving."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Cartledge (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Chief Commissioner of Highways relative to the grading of Ella, Clementine and Andrew streets."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Commissioner of City Property relative to the sale of a lot of ground in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on City Property.

Mr. Hall

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-fifth Ward asking Councils to pass such an Ordinance as will guarantee the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company the unrestricted use of a plot of ground in said Ward for the purposes of a ship yard and dry dock.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to lay water pipe on Thirty-seventh street, Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to construct a bridge on Lansdowne avenue, near Fifty-second street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to pave Thirty-seventh street, Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to open Thirty-seventh street, Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Trustees of the Philadelphia Gas Works to lay gas pipe on Fifty-second street and Elm avenue." (*Appendix No. 365.*)

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Jamison (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate division house in the Twenty-sixth Division, Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Mr. D. W. Gilbert

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property in the Twenty-fifth Ward for water pipe on Ella street, between Indiana avenue and Cambria street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-fifth Ward for the grading of Ella street, from Indiana avenue to Cambria street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of

the Twenty-fifth Ward for the paving of Ella street, from Indiana avenue to Cambria street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance for the suppression of nuisance in the densely populated part of the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Police.

Mr. Klohse

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-fifth Ward asking Councils to pass such an Ordinance as will guarantee the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company the unrestricted use of a plot of ground in said Ward for the purposes of a ship yard and dry dock.

Which was laid on the table.

Mr. Rowan

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-fifth Ward asking Councils to pass such an Ordinance as will guarantee the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company the unrestricted use of a plot of ground in said Ward for the purpose of a ship yard and dry dock.

Which was laid on the table.

Also,

Presented a communication from W. D. Greanelle asking an investigation into the merits of his patent fire plug.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gas lamp in the Twenty-seventh Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Bonham (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate gas lamp in the Twenty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Thirtieth street, from Girard avenue to Poplar street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to change the place of voting in the Tenth Division, Twenty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Mr. Hanby (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the grading and paving of Poplar street, from Twenty-ninth street to Thirtieth street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a sewer on Thirtieth street, from Montgomery avenue to Pennsylvania avenue."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

The hour of four o'clock having arrived, Council resumed the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Board of Trustees of the Philadelphia Gas Works to purchase a tract of land in the Twenty-fifth

Ward," which had been made the special order for that hour.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Collins, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, Gallagher, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Laughlin, Lippincott, Lyster, J. J. Martin, McGuckin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Russell, Siner, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—49.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Mr. Bardsley

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to enter satisfaction on the official bond of William H. McFadden, Chief Engineer of the Water Department."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bon-sall, Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Collins, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, Gallagher, Garwood, Gibson, J. C. Gilbert, Hall, Hanby, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, Lyster, J. J. Martin, McGuckin, McMorris, McMullin, Mouat, Rowan, Russell, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Wright, and Henzey, *Pres't*—48.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to make certain transfers in the appropriation to the Department for Supplying the City with Water, approved April 17th, 1865, and July 10th, 1865, out of Loan 2, authorized May 5th, 1866; appropriations approved April 3d, 1868, and February 13th, 1869, out of Loan 3, authorized December 26th, 1868; appropriation approved April 7th, 1870, out of Loan 4, authorized March, 19th, 1870, and appropriations approved July 7th, 1870, December 5th, 1870 and November 6th, 1871, out of Loan 5, authorized July 8th, 1871."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bon-sall, Cartledge, Caven, Collins, Currie, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Hall, Hanby, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMorris, Miller, Myers, Rowan, Russell, Siner, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—46.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative.

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to release the sureties on the official bond of John Overn, Chief Inspector of Steam Engines and Boilers, and substitute other sureties."

Which was not agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bon-sall, Cartledge, Caven, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Divine, Dorlan, J. C. Gilbert, Hall, Hanby, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMorris, Miller, Myers, Rowan,

Siner, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—47.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to approve the contract and sureties of Robert D. Reeves for alterations to school house on Spruce street below Sixth street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Budd, Caven, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Divine, D. W. Gilbert, Hall, Hanby, James, Jamison, Judge, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Laughlin, Lippincott, J. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McGuekin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Myers, Quin, Siner, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—46.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to proceed to the consideration the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Elm avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward," which had been laid over to print the amendments.

Which was agreed to.

The question being on the title,

The title was again read and agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bon-sall, Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Divine, Dorlan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, J. J. Martin, McGuckin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Schafer, Siner, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—54.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the consideration of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Fifty-second

street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward," which had been laid over to print the amendments.

Which was agreed to.

The question being on the title.

The title was again read and agreed to.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonhan, Bon-sall, Budd, Cartledge, Cooper, Currie, Divine, Dorlan, Garwood, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, Lyster, J. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Myers, Rowan, Russell, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—48.

NAYS—Mr. Collins—1.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Riley street, in the Twenty-first Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Lyster

Moved to amend by adding the following: "*Provided*, That the owners in the vicinity give security satisfactory

to the City Solicitor that the damages shall not exceed one hundred dollars."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The bill was laid over to print the amendments.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Berks street and Columbia avenue."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Caven

Moved to amend by adding the following : "*Provided*, That proposals be advertised for in two daily newspapers, and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder."

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Lyster, seconded by Mr. Widener, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Collins, Cooper, Gibson, J. C. Gilbert, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Ladner, Lyster, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, Quin, Russell, Schafer, Uhler, Widener, and Williamson—20.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bon-sall, Currie, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, James, Jamison, Judge, Klohse, Lippincott, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Myers, Rowan, Siner, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Vories, Weir, White, Wright, and Henszey, *Prest*—30.

Which was not agreed to.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Cartledge, Cooper, Currie, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, Klohse, J. J. Martin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Siner, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Vories, Weir, White, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—36.

NAYS—Messrs. Caven, Collins, Gibson, Ladner, Matthews, McGuckin, Russell, Uhler, and Widener—9.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Winton, Waln, Hamberger and Jackson street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Budd, Cooper, Currie, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, Hall, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klohse, Lippincott, J. J. Martin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Quin,

Rowan, Russell, Siner, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—43.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Twenty-fifth, Twenty-seventh, Twenty-eighth and Orleans streets."

Which was agreed to

The first and only section was again read,

Mr. Caven

Moved to amend by adding the following: "*Provided*, proposals shall be advertised for twice in two daily newspapers, and the contract be awarded to the lowest bidder."

Mr. Caven

Moved that the further consideration of the bill be indefinitely postponed.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Lyster, seconded by Mr. Gibson, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Caven, Collins, Gibson, Klauder, Ladner, Lyster, Matthews, McGuckin, McMorris, Quin, Russell, Schafer, Subers, Uhler, White, and Widener—16.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Cooper, Currie, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, Gar-

wood, D. W. Gilbert, Hall, James, Jamison, Judge, Kaney, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klohse, Lippincott, McMullin, Miller, Myers, Rowan, Siner, Slack, Tatem, Thornton, Vories, Weir, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—34.

Which was not agreed to.

The question being on agreeing to the amendment.

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Lyster, seconded by Mr. Klauder, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Collins, Cooper, Gibson, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Ladner, Lippincott, Lyster, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, Quin, Russell, Schafer, Uhler, White, Widener, and Williamson—22.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, Hall, Hayhurst, Jamison, Klohse, McMullin, Miller, Myers, Rowan, Slack, Tatem, Thornton, Vories, Weir, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—24.

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Budd

Moved to amend by striking out the word "rubble," and inserting the word "cobble."

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Budd, seconded by Mr. Gibson, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Budd, Caven, Collins, Garwood, Gibson, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Ladner, Lyster, J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, Mouat, Quin, Slack, and Widener—16.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Cartledge, Cooper, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, Hall, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Kaney, J. H. Kennedy, Klohse, McMorris, McMullin, Myers, Rowan, Siner, Tatem,

Thornton, Uhler, Weir, White, Wright, and Henszey,
Pres't—29.

Which was not agreed to.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bon-sall, Budd, Cartledge, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, Hall, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Lippincott, J. J. Martin, McMorris, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Rowan, Siner, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Vories, Weir, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—39.

NAYS—Messrs. Caven, Gibson, Lyster, J. Martin, Matthews, McGuckin, Russell, and Uhler—8.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Mr. Rowan, (on leave,)

Chairman of the Committee on Highways, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Boudinot, Franklin, Emery, Ridge, Witte and Manor streets.” (*Appendix No. 366.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the grading

of Main street, in the Twenty-first Ward." (*Appendix No. 367.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a retaining wall on Main street, in the Twenty-first Ward." (*Appendix No. 368.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the tramwaying of Clay and Carlton streets, in the Fourteenth Ward." (*Appendix No. 369.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Somerset street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward." (*Appendix No. 370.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Thirty-first street, in the Twenty seventh Ward." (*Appendix No. 371.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Hall, (on leave,)

Chairman of the Committee on Gas Works, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the erection of public lamps." (*Appendix No. 372.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Water Works, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department for supplying the City with Water, for the purpose of refunding certain twice paid and over paid water rent and pipe bills," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had received a further report, from the same Committee, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Mayor to enter into contracts for furnishing the Department for Supplying the City with Water with cast iron pipes," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had received a further report, from the same Committee, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Chief Engineer of the Water Department to relay with water pipe, Margaretta street," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had received a further report, from the same Committee, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Chief Engineer of the Water Department to lay water pipe on Seventh, Blackburne, Swayne, High, Seibert, Cresson, Robeson, Josephine, Old York road, Orleans, Thurlow, Tioga, Eighth, Dauphin, Van Pelt, Berks streets, and Maplewood, Park and Snyder avenues, and Twelfth street," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had passed a resolution entitled "Resolution of instruction to the Department of Highways, to report the cost of cleansing sewer on Pennsylvania avenue, and repairing Mill Creek sewer."

Also,

That they had passed a resolution entitled "Resolution to dispense with the regular meeting of Councils on Thursday June, 17th, 1875, and substituting Monday, June 14th, 1875."

Mr. Baldwin

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance granting permission to W. S. Reyburn to erect a bay window at Nineteenth and Spring Garden streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bon-sall, Budd, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Hall, Hayhurst, James, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klobse, Ladner, Lippincott J. Martin, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, McMullin Miller, Mouat, Rowan, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, Wright and Henszey, *Pres't*—41.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Mr. Miller

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the resolution from Select Council entitled "Resolution to dispense with the regular meeting of Councils on Thursday, June 17th, 1875, and substituting Monday, June 14th, 1875."

Which was agreed to.

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit:

"An Ordinance to enter satisfaction on the official bond of Wm. H. McFadden, Chief Engineer of the Water Department."

"An Ordinance to release certain property of Francis Riley from the lien of a certain judgment."

"An Ordinance to restrict the lien of a certain judgment against James O'Rourke."

"An Ordinance to release certain property of David Rankin from the lien of a certain judgment."

"An Ordinance to release the sureties on the official bond of Jas. Overn, Chief Inspector of Steam Engines and Boilers, and substitute other sureties."

"An Ordinance to authorize the tramwaying of Miller, Mott, Prospect, Hope and Pollard streets."

"An Ordinance to authorize the tramwaying of Holly, Lloyd and Harmony streets."

"An Ordinance to approve the contract and surety of Wm. F. Murphy's Sons for furnishing blank warrants."

"An Ordinance to approve the contract and sureties of Geo. W. Fulmer for the building of pavilion wards at the Almshouse."

“An Ordinance to create a loan for the building of bridges in the City of Philadelphia,” by the following vote: yeas 22, nays 2.

“An Ordinance to approve the contract and sureties of Robert D. Reeves for alterations to school house on Spruce street, below Sixth street.”

“Resolution of request to the Trustees of the Philadelphia Gas Works to lay gas pipes on Fifty-second street and Elm avenue.”

Mr. D. W. Gilbert

Moved that Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

And Council adjourned.

Monday, June 14, 1875.

Council met—Members present:

Messrs. Allen,
Baldwin,
Bardsley,
Bonham,
Bonsall,
Budd,
Caven,
Collins,
Cooper,
Currie,
Davis,
Divine,
Doebley,
Dorlan,
Gallagher,
Gegan,
Gibson,
Gilbert, D. W.
Gilbert, J. C.
Glenn,
Hall,
Hayhurst,
Jamison,
Kennedy, J.
Kennedy, J. H.
Klauder,

Messrs. Klohse,
Ladner,
Laughlin,
Lippincott,
Lyster,
Matthews,
McMullin,
Miller,
Mouat,
Myers,
Quin,
Rowan,
Russell,
Salter,
Schafer,
Siner,
Slack,
Subers,
Tatem,
Thornton,
Uhler,
Vories,
White,
Widener,
Williamson,
Henszey, *Pres't.*

The President

Presented a communication from John L. Hill, Chief Commissioner of Highway, asking a transfer of fifteen thousand dollars from Item 32 to Item 33 for the improvement of Broad street, north of Columbia avenue.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a communication from Wm. H. McFadden, Chief Engineer of the Water Department, relative to the building of the pumping engines of the Frankford and Spring Garden Works. (*Appendix No. 373.*)

. Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Mr. Slack

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Thirty-first Ward to change the place of holding elections in the Fourth Division in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Mr. Quin

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Nineteenth Ward for the paving of Leithgow street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Nineteenth Ward for water pipe on Leithgow street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of

the Nineteenth Ward to grade Leithgow street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Bardsley (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to enter satisfaction on the official bond of Robert H. Beatty, late Receiver of Taxes."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Bonsall (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to reimburse James G. Pritchett for outlay caused by the extension of the sewer on the line of Wood street, from Thirteenth street, a distance of one hundred feet west of Broad on Wood street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Caven (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to prevent the erection or maintainance of any establishment or works for the manufacture of gas, or for boiling or decomposing bones, dead horses, or other dead animals, or depositing of dead animals, or poudrette, lime or compost manure factory, within the City of Philadelphia, within one mile of any built up and populous neighborhood."

Which was referred to the Committee on Police.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution relative to the adjournment of Councils." (*Appendix No. 374.*)

The resolution was again read.

Mr. Rowan

Moved that the resolution be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Glenn

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the City of Philadelphia asking for the repeal of the Ordinance relative to street signs.

Which was referred to the Committee on Police.

Mr. Allen

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners opposing the vacating of certain streets in the Twenty-fifth Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Doebley

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners against vacating certain streets in the Twenty-fifth Ward.

Which was laid on the table.

Mr. Baldwin

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners asking Councils to pass such an Ordinance as will guarantee the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company the unrestricted use of a plot of ground in the Twenty-fifth Ward for the purposes of a ship yard and dry dock.

Which was laid on the table.

Mr. Uhler

Presented a remonstrance of property owners on Airy street, Twenty-first Ward, against the laying of water-pipe therein.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Mr. Hall

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to permit George

Jeffries to maintain a carriage stand on Belmont avenue, Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Police.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Powelton avenue, from Forty-third street to Market street, Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe on Myrtle street, from Fortieth to Forty-second street, Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which were referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners asking Councils to pass such an Ordinance as will guarantee the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company the unrestricted use of a plot of ground in the Twenty-fifth Ward for the purpose of a ship yard and dry dock.

Which was laid on the table.

Mr. Lyster

Presented a petition of Susan B. Trout for overcharge in the paving of south side of Bridge street, from Antoinette to Budd street.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of inquiry relative to contracts for street paving." (*Appendix No. 375.*)

The resolution was again read.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to refer the resolution to the Committee on Highways.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Lyster, seconded by Mr. Rowan, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bon-sall, Currie, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, Gallagher, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, Jamison, Klohse, Lippincott, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Rowan, Siner, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, and Henszey, *Pres't*—30.

NAYS—Messrs. Budd, Caven, Collins, Cooper, Davis, Gegan, Gibson, J. C. Gilbert, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Ladner, Lyster, Matthews, Russell, Salter, Schafer, White, and Widener—18.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. D. W. Gilbert (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled “ An Ordinance to erect a frame building in the Twenty-fifth Ward.”

Which was referred to the Committee on Police.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled “ An Ordinance to locate a gas lamp in the Twenty-fifth Ward.”

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Also,

Presented a remonstrance of citizens and property owners against granting certain privileges to the Reading Railroad Company in the Twenty-fifth Ward.

Which was laid on the table.

Mr. Klohse

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property in the Twenty-sixth Ward for water pipe on Ward street, between Dickinson street and Tasker street.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Mr. Rowan (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the removal of a frame church edifice used as a temporary chapel, from one vacant lot to another, Twenty-seventh Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Police.

Mr. Bonham (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate gas lamps in the Twenty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Railroads, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Continental Passenger Railway Company of Philadelphia to lay their tracks on certain streets in said City," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had received a further report from the same Committee, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Germantown (Girard avenue) Passenger Railway Company to extend their tracks to connect with the Girard Avenue Bridge, and to grant said company the privilege of running cars over said bridge," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had received a further report from the same Committee, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance

to regulate the laying of railway tracks, and taking up of cobble stones for said purpose, in the City of Philadelphia," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had concurred in the bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay the fees of the constables in the City of Philadelphia," with the following amendment: amend the first and only section by striking out the words "one hundred," and in lieu thereof insert the word "fifty."

Also,

That they had received a report from the Committee on City Property, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance setting apart the back room of the office in the State House row, formerly occupied by Clerk of the Orphans' Court, as an additional office for the Sheriff," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had received a further report from the same Committee, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Commissioner of Markets and City Property to enter into a new lease with the present lessee of South street wharf, on the river Delaware, the same to take effect at the expiration of the present lease," which they had passed.

Mr. Thornton

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance relative to the change of pavement specifications for a part of Fairmount Bridge."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Bardsley, Budd, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Divine Doebley, Dorlan, Gallagher, Gegan, Gibson D. W. Gilbert, J. C. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Ladner, Lippincott, Matthews, McMullin, Miller, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Siner, Slack, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Widener, and Henszey, *Pres't*—37.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to revise Plan 251, in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bonham, Bonsall, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, Jamison, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Ladner, Lippincott, McMullin, Miller, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Siner, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Vories, White, Widener, Williamson, and Henszey, *Pres't*—35.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers on Twenty-first, Norris, Garnet, Diamond, Third, Weaver, St. John, Wharton, Fourth, Hancock, Harriet, Comptroller, Marriott, Branch, and Spruce streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read.

Mr. Quin

Moved to amend by inserting the words "on west side of Fifth street, from German to Christian street."

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Matthews

Moved to further amend by striking out on twelfth line, the words "Callowhill street," and inserting "Willow street."

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Miller

Moved to further amend by striking out the words "on Harriet street, from Ross street, southwestwardly, one hundred and seventy-seven feet."

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Hall

Moved to further amend by inserting on "Merion avenue, from Fifty-first street to Belmont avenue."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The second section was again read and agreed to.

The title was again read.

Mr. Thornton

Moved to insert the words "Fifth and Merion avenue, and strike out the word "Harriet."

Which was agreed to.

The title as amended was agreed to.

And the bill laid over to print the amendments.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance relative to the revision of a part of the plan of the Twenty-Fifth Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. D. W. Gilbert

Moved that the further consideration of the bill be postponed, and that it be made the special order for Thursday afternoon June 24th, 1875, at four o'clock.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Doebley, seconded by Mr. J. Kennedy, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, J. Kennedy, Lyster, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Russell, Siner, Tatem, and Williamson—16.

NAYS—Messrs. Bardsley, Bonsall, Budd, Caven, Cooper, Divine, Gegan, Gibson, J. C. Gilbert, Hall, Hayhurst, Jamison, Klauder, Klohse, Laughlin, Lippincott, Matthews, Miller, Salter, Schafer, Slack, Subers, Thornton, Vories, White, Widener, and Henszey, *Pres't*—27.

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Hall

Moved to amend by striking out the words: "*Provided*, That said revision shall not extend to Brabant street, between William and Toronto streets, nor to Sorrell, Ann and Neff streets: *And provided further*, That the Reading Railroad Company shall dedicate and open Bath street, from Ann street to Alleghany avenue, of the width of eighty feet, by widening on the east side thereof, and also Neff street, of the width of one hundred feet, from Bath street to the Port Wardens' line; also, that said railroad company shall dedicate to the City Neff, Ann, Sorrell and William streets to the Port Wardens' line, whenever the City shall require it," and inserting the words: "*Provided*. That the Reading Railroad Company shall dedicate Neff street, of a width of one hundred feet, from Bath street to the Port Wardens' line, and dedicate sufficient ground on the south side of Bath street to make that street eighty feet wide."

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. D. W. Gilbert, seconded by Mr. Doebley, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonsall, Budd, Caven, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Divine, Gibson, J. C. Gilbert, Hall, Hayhurst, Jamison, Klauder, Klohse, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, Matthews, Miller, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Slack, Subers, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Widener, and Henszey, *Pres't*—34.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Doebley, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, J. Kennedy, Lyster, Mouat, Myers, Siner, and Williamson—10.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. D. W. Gilbert

Moved to further amend by inserting in the proviso, "and Ann street of its present width to the Port Wardens' line."

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Lyster, seconded by Mr. D. W. Gilbert, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hayhurst, J. Kennedy, Lyster, McMullin, Myers, Rowan, Siner, Tatem, Uhler, Vories, and Williamson—18.

NAYS—Messrs. Baldwin, Budd, Caven, Davis, Divine, Doebley, Gibson, J. C. Gilbert, Hall, Jamison, Klauder, Klohse, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, Matthews, Miller, Quin, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Slack, Subers, Thornton, White, Widener, and Henszey, *Pres't*—27.

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Doebley

Moved to further amend by adding the following proviso: "*Provided*, That the Reading Railroad Company agree in writing, that at any time that the City of Philadelphia may require the privilege of building culverts on or over the streets vacated for the benefit of Reading Railroad Company, that the City shall have the right to enter upon the land of the streets vacated, for the pupose of constructing culverts for drainage, without paying any damages to said railroad company."

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Miller

Moved to further amend by adding after the words Port Warden's line, the words "and dedicate sufficient ground from Brabant street to Port Wardens' line, as to make Williams street eighty feet in width."

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Miller, seconded by Mr. D. W. Gilbert, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Collins, Currie, Divine, Doebley, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Lippincott, Lyster, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Russell, Salter, Siner, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, and Williamson—23.

NAYS—Messrs. Baldwin, Budd, Caven, Cooper, Davis, Gibson, Hall, Hayhurst, Jamison, Klauder, Ladner, Laughlin, Matthews, Quin, Rowan, Schafer, Slack, White, Widener, and Henszey, *Pres't*—20.

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

And the bill was laid over to print the amendments.

Council proceeded to the second reading of the bill from Select Council entitled “An Ordinance to grant permission to Messrs. Keller & Krause to extend their tracks across Philip street.”

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bonham, Budd, Caven, Collins, Cooper, Divine, Dorlan, Gegan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, Jamison, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, Matthews, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Rowan, Russell, Siner, Slack, Tatem, Uhler, Vories, White, Widener, Williamson, and Henszey, *Pres't*—38.

NAYS—Mr. Quin—1.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the bill from Select Council entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Continental Passenger Railway Company of Philadelphia to lay their tracks upon certain streets of the said City."

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Klauder

Moved that the further consideration of the bill be postponed, and that it be made the special order for Thursday afternoon, June 24th, at four o'clock.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Klauder, seconded by Mr. Slack, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Caven, Collins, Currie, Davis, Divine, Gibson, Klauder, Lippincott, Lyster, Matthews, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Thoruton, White, and Widener—16.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bonham, Bonsall, Cooper, Doebley, Dorlan, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Jamison, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Ladner, Laughlin, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Siner, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Uhler, Vories, Williamson, and Henszey, *Pres't*—30.

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Caven

Moved to amend by adding the following : "*Provided*, That this Ordinance shall be operative only upon the said

railroad company filing a bond satisfactory to the City Solicitor, that the rate of fare shall be five cents for every passenger carried."

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Caven, seconded by Mr. Klauder, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Caven, Collins, Cooper, Davis, Gibson, Hall, Klauder, Klohse, Lyster, Matthews, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Slack, Thornton, Uhler, and Widener—17.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bonham, Bonsall, Currie, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hayhurst, Jamison, Laughlin, Lippincott, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Siner, Subers, Tatem, Vories, White, Williamson, and Henszey, *Pres't*—26.

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Caven

Moved to amend by adding the following: "*Provided*, That the rails used shall be of not less width than those used by the Seventeenth and Nineteenth Streets Passenger Railroad Company."

Which was not agreed to.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bonham, Bonsall, Budd, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, Jamison, J. Kennedy, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, Matthews, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Siner, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Williamson, and Henszey, *Pres't*—37.

NAYS—Messrs. Caven, Davis, Gibson, Klauder, Lyster, Russell, Salter, Schafer, and Widener—9.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Mr. Glenn

Moved to resume the second reading of the bill from Select Council entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Chief Engineer of the Water Department to lay water pipe on Cantrell, Winton, Seventh, Jackson, Hare, Smick, Almond, Gaul, Wyoming, Miller, Eighth, Franklin, Seventh, Cayuga, Mifflin, Bowman, Thirty-fifth, Cambria, Somerset, Mervine and Baily streets, and on Snyder, Ridge and Elm avenues."

The question being on striking out all relating to Almond, Gaul, Wyoming, and Miller streets.

Mr. Miller (on leave)

Withdrew the motion to strike out.

The first and only section was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bonham, Bonsall, Collins, Davis, Divine, Dorlan, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, Jamison, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, Lyster, Matthews, McMullin, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Siner, Slack, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Vories, White, Widener, Williamson, and Henszey, *Pres't*—38.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Mr. Dorlan,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the purchase of a lot of ground on Main street, above Green lane, Manayunk, for fire purposes, and to make an appropriation therefor."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read and agreed to.

The second section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bonham, Bonsall, Caven, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Divine, Doebley, Dorlan, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Jamison, J. Kennedy, Klohse, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, Lyster, Matthews, McMullin, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Rowan, Russell, Siner, Slack, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, and Henszey, *Pres't*—38.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Mr. Glenn

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to regulate the erection of signs within the City limits."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Hall

Moved to recommit the bill to the Committee on Police.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Rowan, (on leave,)

Chairman of the Committee on Highways, presented a report, reporting back with a negative recommendation a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Highways for the paving of intersections." (*Appendix No. 376.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the tramwaying of Lawson, Jones, Lancaster, Leithgow, Struthers and Cowley streets." (*Appendix No. 377.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Thornton, (on leave,)

Chairman of the Committee on Surveys, presented a report with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to place on the City plans Ripka avenue, Chestnut street, Smick street, Mansion avenue, Atlanta street, Wilder street, Fernan street, Dorrance street, Ward street, Latona street, Newkirk street, Marsden street, Van Pelt street and Wilington street." (*Appendix No. 378.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, (on leave,)

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to revise the lines and grades upon Plan No. 166, Twenty-seventh Ward." (*Appendix No. 379.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Dorlan,

Chairman of the Committee on Fire Department, presented a report, reporting back the bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay a claim of Joseph Keesey with the request that it be referred to the Committee on Finance."

Which was so referred.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit:

"An Ordinance relative to the change of pavement specifications for a part of Fairmount Bridge."

"An Ordinance to revise Plan 251 in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

"An Ordinance granting permission to W. S. Reyburn to erect a bay window at Nineteenth and Spring Garden streets."

"An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Winton, Waln, Hamberger and Jackson streets."

"An Ordinance to make certain transfers in the appropriations to the Department for Supplying the City with Water, approved April 17th, 1865, and July 10th, 1865, out of Loan 2, authorized May 5th, 1865; appropriations approved April 3d, 1863, and February 13th, 1869, out of Loan 3, authorized December 26th, 1863; appropriation approved April 7th, 1870, out of Loan 4, authorized March 19th, 1870, and appropriations approved July 7th, 1870, December 5th, 1870 and November 6th, 1871, out of Loan 5, authorized July 8th, 1871."

Mr. Miller

Moved that Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

And Council adjourned.

Thursday, June 24, 1875.

Council met—Members present :

Messrs. Allen,
Baldwin,
Bardsley,
Bonham,
Bonsall,
Budd,
Cartledge,
Caven,
Clouds,
Collins,
Cooper,
Currie,
Davis,
Divine,
Doebley,
Dorlan,
Garwood,
Gegan,
Gibson,
Gilbert, D. W.
Gilbert, J. C.
Glenn,
Hall,
Hanby,
Hayhurst,
Jamison,
Kaney,
Kennedy, J.
Kennedy, J. H.

Messrs. Klauder,
Klohse,
Ladner,
Lippincott,
Lyster,
Martin, J.
Martin, J. J.
Matthews,
McGuckin,
McMorris,
Miller,
Mouat,
Myers,
Quin,
Rowan,
Russell,
Salter,
Schafer,
Siner,
Slack,
Subers,
Sutton,
Tatem,
Thornton,
Weir,
White,
Widener,
Williamson,
Wright,

Henszey, *Pres't.*

The Mayor's clerk was introduced when he presented the third annual message of the Mayor. (*See Appendix of Select Council.*)

Which was laid on the table.

The President

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Eleventh Ward, for a sewer on Noble street, North, Second and St. John streets, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also,

Presented a communication from Louis Wagner, Brigadier General, Commanding 1st Division N. G. of Pa., asking an appropriation of one thousand dollars to pay for music on the 5th of July.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also,

Presented a communication from Wm. H. McFadden, Chief Engineer of the Water Department, relative to the waste of water.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Mr. Slack (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to establish a place of voting in the Sixteenth Division, Third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Third Ward to change the place of voting in the Third Division, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Mr. J. Martin

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Second Ward for changing the place of voting in the Twenty-fourth Division, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Mr. Gibson

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of South Eleventh street for a stand for wagons, for farmers and dealers.

Which was referred to the Committee on City Property.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to change the names of the Messengers of the Select and Common Councils to that of Sergeants-at-Arms, and define their duties."

Which was referred to the Committee on Law.

Mr. Tatem

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Second Ward for the paving of the centre part of Moyamensing avenue, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Kaney (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance providing for the place of voting in the Sixteenth Division, of the Third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to tramway

Concord street, from Second to Third street, and Clymer street, from Campbell to Alexandria street, Third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Gegan (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gas lamp at northeast corner of Third and Bainbridge streets, Fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Mouat

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Fire Commissioners to recall a certain order." (*Appendix No. 380.*)

The resolution was again read.

Mr. Slack

Moved to refer the resolution to the Committee on Fire Department.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Kaney, seconded by Mr. White, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Bardsley, Clouds, Doebley, Dorlan, Gegan, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, Kaney, J. Kennedy, J. Martin, McMorris, Schafer, and Slack—14.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bonham, Cartledge, Cooper, Gibson, Hanby, Jamison, J. H. Kennedy, Matthews, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Siner, Subers, Tatem, Weir, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—25.

Which was not agreed to.

The resolution was agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Russell (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a sewer on Bond street, from Tenth to Eleventh street, in the Seventh Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Bardsley

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners against the removal of railings from Franklin Square.

Which was referred to the Committee on City Property.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to revise the grades of Fifteenth and Clearfield streets, in the Twenty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to change the securities of Ed. S. McGlue, for the construction of the East Park Reservoir."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property in the Seventh Ward for water pipe on Delancey place, between Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth streets, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Seventh Ward for the paving of Delancey place, from Twenty-third to Twenty-fourth street, with Belgian blocks, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Seventh Ward for a sewer on Delancey place, from Twenty-third to Twenty-fourth street, and on Twenty-fourth street, from Delancey place to Spruce street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. J. H. Kennedy

Presented petitions of citizens and property owners against the removal of railings from Franklin Square.

Which were referred to the Committee on City Property.

Mr. Bonsall (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of instruction to the Commissioner of Markets and City Property."

Which was referred to the Committee on City Property.

Mr. J. J. Martin

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Fifteenth Ward for the repealing of the Ordinance for the laying of a sewer on Nineteenth street, between Parish street and Fairmount avenue, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Caven

Presented a petition, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to prevent the erection or maintainance of any establishment or works for the manufacture of gas, excepting the gas works already erected, or for boiling or decomposing bones, dead horses, or other dead animals, or depository of dead animals, or poudrette, fuine or compost manure factory, or other works which may pollute air or water so as to make either injurious or offensive to the people

within the City of Philadelphia, within four thousand feet of any built up and populous neighborhood."

Which was referred to the Committee on Police.

Also,

Presented the petition of Edwin A. Woodward relative to ringing of bells, &c., as a mode of advertising.

Which was referred to the Committee on Police.

Also, (on leave.)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance granting permission to the Spring Garden M. E. Church to erect a frame chapel."

Which was referred to the Committee on Police.

Mr. Glenn

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property in the Fifteenth Ward for water pipe on Gold street, north of Pennsylvania avenue, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Mr. Doebley (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance permitting property owners on Harriet street, south from Ross street, to lay a drain pipe."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Miller (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to give notice of the opening of Cabot street, from Lehigh avenue to Huntingdon street, Eighteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Nineteenth Ward for permission to plant trees and

shrubbery, and otherwise improve the unpaved plots in the centre of York street, between Tulip and Cedar streets, and for the enclosing of the same with railing, in said Ward.

e Which was referred to the Committee on City Property.

Mr. Currie

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Nineteenth Ward for a sewer on Fifth street, between Dauphin and York street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe on Franklin and Ridge streets, in the Twenty-third Ward, and Witte and Emory streets, in Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Nineteenth Ward for the grading, curbing and paving of Ninth street, from Germantown avenue to Cumberland street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Baldwin

Presented a petition of J. M. Hummel relative to his model of Fairmount Park.

Which was referred to Committee on Finance.

Also, (on leave,)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to meet in Joint Convention." (*Appendix No. 381.*)

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Widener (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make certain transfers in the appropriations to the House of Correction for the year 1875."

Which was referred to the Committee on House of Correction.

Mr. Dorlan (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Dauphin street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to amend an Ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers on Walnut, Woodland, Forty-first, Hamilton, Eleventh, Marshall, Kurtz, Twenty-second, Cresson, and Lovering streets, on Girard avenue, between Haines street and Ontario street, and on Girard avenue between Second street and Mascher street, and on Girard avenue, south side, from Eyre street to Montgomery avenue,' " approved June 1st, 1873.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to establish the width of the footways of Alleghany avenue, from Broad street to Ridge avenue."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr Hall

Presented petitions of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-fourth Ward to change the place of voting in the Thirteenth Division, in said Ward.

Which were referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe on Grape street, Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe on Bridge street, between Thirty-second street and Pennsylvania Railroad, Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe on Silliman street, Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Mr. Jamison

Presented a petition of John Weik for permission to erect a number of frame buildings at Forty-fourth and Eadline streets, Twenty-fourth Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Police.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance consenting to the use of Fifty-second street, by the Hestonville, Mantua and Fairmount Passenger Railway Company."

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the issue of a permit to the Hestonville, Mantua and Fairmount Passenger Railway Company to lay additional tracks."

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Mr. Thornton

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-sixth Ward for gas lamps on Christian street in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Rowan (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Highways, Bridges, and Sewers, for the purpose of paying deficiency bill for the years 1873 and 1874."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, (on leave,)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the Department of Highways, Bridges and Sewers for the year 1875."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Cooper

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-eighth Ward for a sewer inlet, at the corner of Tenth and Tahassa street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-eighth Ward for gas lamps on Tenth street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas Works.

Mr. Klauder (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to prepare plans and estimates for a bridge over the Germantown Railroad, at Ontario street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and owners of property in the Twenty-eighth Ward for water pipe on Crosky street, between Berks and Norris streets, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Mr. Bonham (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance for the construction of a culvert on Eighth street, between Diamond street and Susquehanna avenue, Twentieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

JOINT CONVENTION.

Select Council being introduced, and Councils being assembled in Joint Convention,

Mr. Downing, President of Select Council, in the chair,

Announced the object of the Joint Convention to be the election of a member of the Board of Health, one member of the Board of Port Wardens for the unexpired term of E. A. Gaskill, resigned, and one Trustee of the Northern Liberties Gas Works, vice De Witt C. Moore, deceased, and announced the nominations to be in order for a member of the Board of Health.

Mr. D. W. Gilbert

Nominated E. W. C. Greene.

Mr. Baldwin

Moved that E. W. C. Greene be elected by acclamation.

Which was agreed to.

And E. W. C. Greene was declared unanimously elected a member of the Board of Health for the ensuing term.

Nominations were declared to be in order for a member of the Board of Port Wardens, to fill the unexpired term of E. A. Gaskill, resigned.

Mr. Glenn

Nominated F. T. Malone.

Mr. Glenn

Moved that F. T. Malone be elected by acclamation.

Which was agreed to.

And F. T. Malone was declared unanimously elected a member of the Board of Port Wardens for the unexpired term of E. A. Gaskill, resigned.

Nominations were declared to be in order for Trustee of the Northern Liberties Gas Works, vice De Witt C. Moore, deceased.

Mr. Glenn

Nominated Wm. F. Moore.

Mr. Dorlan

Moved that Wm. F. Moore be elected by acclamation.

Which was agreed to.

And Wm. F. Moore was declared unanimously elected Trustee of the Northern Liberties Gas Works, vice De Witt C. Moore, deceased.

The purposes for which the Convention had assembled, having been accomplished, Select Council retired.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Schools, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize an extension of time for completing the school house, northwest corner of Forty-fourth and Huron streets, to July 15th, 1875, which they had passed.

Also,

That they had received a further report from the same Committee, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Board of Public Educa-

tion, to pay for additions and alterations to the Rutledge School House, at Seventh and Norris streets," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had received a further report from the same Committee, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize an extension of time for completing the school house at Sixty-third street and Girard avenue, to July 1st, 1875," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had received a further report from the same Committee, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to approve the contract and sureties of Philip H. Somerset, for making alterations and repairs to the Rutledge School House," which they had passed.

Also,

That they had concurred in the bill entitled "An Ordinance to create a loan for the building of main sewers in the City of Philadelphia," with the following amendments: strike from section one the words "one million," and insert "five hundred thousand," in place thereof. Also, add the following at the end of the first section: "*Provided*, That no part of this loan shall be sold, unless so authorized by these Councils."

Also,

That they had concurred in the following, to wit:

"An Ordinance to authorize the Board of Trustees of the Philadelphia Gas Works to purchase a tract of land in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

"Resolution to meet in Joint Convention."

Common Council proceeded to the second reading of the bill from Select Council entitled "An Ordinance relating to the erection of frame buildings in Fairmount Park for

the Centennial International Exhibition and grounds adjacent thereto, west of Belmont avenue."

The first section was again read.

Mr. Budd

Moved to amend by adding the following: "That all restrictions respecting the erection of wooden or frame buildings intended to promote the success of the Centennial Celebration, and the accommodations of its visitors, shall be and are suspended, and that any such erections shall be removed within six months after the close of the exhibition."

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Lyster, seconded by Mr. Gibson, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Garwood, Gibson, J. C. Gilbert, Hanby, Jamison, Kaney, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Ladner, Lippincott, Lyster, Matthews, McMorris, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Russell, Thornton, Weir, White, Williamson, and Wright—31.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Clouds, Dorlan, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Hall, Hayhurst, J. Kennedy, J. J. Martin, McGuckin, Miller, Rowan, Salter, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Widener, and Henszey, *Pres't*—23.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Thornton, seconded by Mr. McMorris,

Moved to reconsider the vote by which the above amendment was agreed to.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. D. W. Gilbert, seconded by Mr. Dorlan, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham,

Clouds, Dorlan, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, J. Kennedy, Lippincott, McGuckin, McMorris, Miller, Rowan, Salter, Siner, Slack, Subers, Sutton, Tatem, Thornton, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—27.

NAYS—Messrs. Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Garwood, Gibson, J. C. Gilbert, Hanby, Jamison, Kaney, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Ladner, Lyster, J. J. Martin, Matthews, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Russell, Schafer, Weir, White—28.

Which was not agreed to.

The question being on the section as amended,

Mr. Rowan

Moved that the further consideration of the bill be indefinitely postponed.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Lyster, seconded by Mr. Clouds, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonham, Clouds, Divine, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, Hall, Lippincott, McMorris, Quin, Rowan, Salter, Siner, Slack, Tatem, Thornton, Widener, Wright—19.

NAYS—Messrs. Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Garwood, Gegan, Gibson, J. C. Gilbert, Hanby, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Lander, Lyster, J. J. Martin, Matthews, Mouat, Myers, Russell, Schafer, Subers, Sutton, Weir, White, Williamson, and Henszey, *Pres't*—33.

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. D. W. Gilbert

Moved that a further consideration of the bill be postponed, and that it be made the special order for Thursday afternoon next, at four o'clock.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. D. W. Gilbert, seconded by Mr. Bonsall, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Divine, Gegan, J. Kennedy, Lippincott, Salter, Subers—6.

NAYS—Messrs. Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Garwood, Gibson, J. C. Gilbert, Jamison, Kaney, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Ladner, Lyster, J. J. Martin, Matthews, Mouat, Myers, Russell, Schafer, Sutton, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—31.

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Davis

Moved to further amend by adding the following : “ *Provided*, That no frame building shall be built within fifty feet of any other building.”

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Rowan, seconded by Mr. Baldwin, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Budd, Caven, Clouds, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Gibson, J. C. Gilbert, Kaney, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Ladner, Lippincott, Lyster, J. J. Martin, Matthews, McMorris, Quin, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Subers, Thornton, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—30.

NAYS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Cartledge, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, Hanby, Jamison, and J. Kennedy—11.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Siner

Moved to further amend by adding : “ *Provided*, Said buildings shall be first recommended by the Centennial Board of Finance as necessary for Centennial purposes.”

Mr. Rowan

Moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Centennial Anniversary of Common Council.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Rowan, seconded by Mr. D. W. Gilbert, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bon-sall, Clouds, Divine, Dorlan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, Lippincott, McMorris, Miller, Rowan, Salter, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, and Wright—22.

NAYS—Messrs. Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Garwood, Gibson, J. C. Gilbert, Hanby, Jamison, Kaney, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Ladner, Lyster, J. J. Martin, Matthews, Mouat, Myers, Russell, Schafer, Siner, Weir, White, Widener, and Henszey, *Pres't*—30.

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Rowan

Moved to refer the bill to the Committee on Police of Common Council, with instruction to report next Thursday.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. D. W. Gilbert, seconded by Mr. Baldwin, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Clouds, Dorlan, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, J. Kennedy, Lippincott, McGuckin, Miller, Mouat, Rowan, Salter, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, and Wright—23.

NAYS—Messrs. Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Collins, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Garwood, Gibson, J. C. Gilbert, Hanby, Jamison, Kaney, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Ladner, Lyster, J. J. Martin, Matthews, Myers, Russell,

Schafer, Siner, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, and Henszey, *Pres't*—29.

Which was not agreed to.

The question recurring on agreeing to the proviso,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. D. W. Gilbert, seconded by Mr. Hall, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bon-sall, Caven, Clouds, Dorlan, Gegan, Gibson, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, J. Kennedy, Lippincott, J. J. Martin, McGuckin, Rowan, Salter, Siner, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—27.

NAYS—Messrs. Budd, Cartledge, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Doebley, J. C. Gilbert, Hanby, Jamison, Kaney, J. H. Kennedy, Klauder, Klohse, Ladner, Lyster, Matthews, Miller, Mouat, Myers, Quin, Russell, Weir, White, and Williamson—25.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Slack

Moved to further amend by adding the following :
“ *Provided*, The provisions of this Ordinance be restricted to the Twenty-fourth Ward.”

Which was agreed to.

Mr. D. W. Gilbert

Moved to further amend by adding the following :
“ *Provided*, The company interested give security in the sum of one hundred thousand dollars, that they will take the building down within six months after the Centennial.”

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. D. W. Gilbert, seconded by Mr. Jamison, and were as follow :

YEAS—Mr. Glenn—1.

NAYS—Messrs. Baldwin, Bardsley, Budd, Cartledge, Caven, Clouds, Collins, Currie, Davis, Divine, J. C. Gilbert, Hanby, Jamison, Lippincott, J. J. Martin, Russell, Schafer, Siner, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—24.

No quorum voting,

The President

Ordered a call of the House, when the following members answered to their names :

Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Cartledge, Caven, Collins, Cooper, Currie, Davis, Divine, Doebley, Gegan, Gibson, Hall, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Klauder, Lippincott, Lyster, J. J. Martin, Matthews, Miller, Mouat, Quin, Salter, Schafer, Subers, Thornton, White, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—32.

A quorum of members not answering to their names,

The President

Declared Council adjourned.

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Monday, June 28, 1875.

A special meeting of Common Council was held this afternoon, in pursuance of the following call :

PHILADELPHIA *June 25, 1875.*

JOHN ECKSTEIN, ESQ.,

Clerk of Common Council :

Call a special meeting of Common Council, to be held in Common Council chamber, on Monday, June 28th, 1875, at 3 o'clock P. M., to consider Select Council bills and other business.

A. WILSON HENSZEY,
President of Common Council.

Members present :

Messrs. Allen,
Baldwin,
Bardsley,
Bonham,
Bonsall,
Budd,
Caven,
Clouds,
Currie,
Davis,
Doebley,
Dorlan,
Garwood,
Gegan,
Gilbert, D. W.
Glenn,
Hall,
Hanby,
Hayhurst,
Jamison,
Kaney,
Kennedy, J.
Ladner,

Messrs. Laughlin,
Lippincott,
Lyster,
Matthews,
McGuckin,
McMullin,
Miller,
Myers,
Quin,
Rowan,
Russell,
Salter,
Schafer,
Slack,
Subers,
Tatem,
Thornton,
Uhler,
Weir,
White,
Widener,
Williamson,
Wright,

Henszey, *Pres't.*

The Mayor's clerk was introduced, when he presented a message in writing from his Honor the Mayor, relative to Centennial hotel accommodations. (*Appendix No. 382.*)

Mr. Slack (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to lay water pipe on Eighth street and Snyder avenue, in the First Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the First Ward for the paving of Eighth street, from McKean street to Snyder avenue, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also,

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the First Ward for the paving of Snyder avenue from Eighth to Starr streets, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Schafer (on leave)

Offered the following to wit: "Resolution of request to the Chief Commissioner of Highways relative to repaving Illinois street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Bonsall (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to change the place of voting in the Third Division, Fourteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Election Divisions.

Mr. Dorlan (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct

a sewer on Eighth street, from Diamond street to Susquehanna avenue, in the Twentieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Jamison

Presented a petition of citizens and property owners of the Twenty-fourth Ward for the grading and paving of Story street, from Thirty-third to Thirty-fourth street, in said Ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Lyster (on leave)

Offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to lay water pipe in Budd street, Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Works.

Mr. Thornton (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the construction of footways on the lower chords of Girard Avenue Bridge."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also,

Presented a communication from Samuel L. Smedley, Chief Engineer and Surveyor, asking an additional appropriation of five thousand dollars for curb and grade stakes. (*Appendix No. 383.*)

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also,

Presented a communication from Samuel L. Smedley, Chief Engineer and Surveyor, relative to the repairing of Green and Spring Garden streets. (*Appendix No. 384.*)

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Rowan (on leave)

Read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer on Pine street, from Forty-second to Forty-third street, Twenty-seventh Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Bardsley

Moved to proceed to the consideration of the bill from Select Council entitled "An Ordinance relating to the erection of frame buildings in Fairmount Park for the Centennial International Exhibition and grounds adjacent thereto, west of Belmont avenue."

Which was agreed to.

The question being on the motion to further amend by adding the following: "*Provided*, The company interested give security in the sum of one hundred thousand dollars, that they will take the building down within six months after the Centennial."

The yeas and nays were ordered by the President, and were as follow:

YEAS—None.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Clouds, Davis, Doebley, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Ladner, Laughlin Lippincott, Matthews, McMullin, Miller, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Schafer, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, and Henszey, *Pres't*—36.

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Rowan, seconded by Mr. D. W. Gilbert,

Moved to reconsider the vote by which the following proviso was agreed to: "*Provided*, The provisions of this Ordinance be restricted to the Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The question being on agreeing to the proviso,

It was not agreed to.

Mr. D. W. Gilbert, seconded by Mr. Rowan,

Moved to reconsider the vote by which the following proviso was agreed to: "*Provided*, Said buildings shall be first recommended by the Centennial Board of Finance as necessary for Centennial purposes."

Which was agreed to.

The question being on agreeing to the proviso,

It was not agreed to.

Mr. Clouds, seconded by Mr. Thornton,

Moved to reconsider the vote by which the following proviso was agreed to: "*Provided*, That no frame building shall be built within fifty feet of any other building."

Which was agreed to.

The question being on agreeing to the proviso,

It was not agreed to.

Mr. Thornton, seconded by Mr. Weir,

Moved to reconsider the vote by which the following amendment was agreed to: "That all restrictions respecting the erection of wooden or frame buildings intended to promote the success of the Centennial Celebration, and the accommodations of its visitors, shall be and are suspended, and that any such erections shall be removed within six months after the close of the exhibition."

Which was agreed to.

The question being on agreeing to the amendment,

It was not agreed to.

The question being on agreeing to the first and only section,

Mr. Lyster

Moved to amend as follows: by striking out the words "between Elm avenue, the Pennsylvania Railroad, Belmont

avenue, and Forty-ninth street, and between Columbia avenue the said railroad, and Forty-ninth, and Fifty-second streets," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "north of Pennsylvania Railroad, west of Forty-first street, south of Elm avenue, east of Fifty-second street, *Provided*, The plans be first approved by the Centennial Board of Finance."

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Quin

Moved to amend by striking out all after the word "erection," and inserting in lieu thereof the following, "of one or more wooden or frame hotels, and railroad depots, and store or storehouses, on that portion of Fairmount Park, set apart for the use and occupancy for Centennial International Exhibition in 1876, nor to the grounds lying and situate between Elm avenue and Pennsylvania Railroad, Belmont avenue and Forty-ninth street, and between Columbia avenue and said railroad on Forty-ninth and Fifty-second streets, be and the same is hereby repealed. *Provided*, That any wooden or frame buildings erected on said ground or in Fairmount Park as aforesaid, shall be removed within six months after the close of said exhibition."

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Quin, seconded by Mr. Lyster, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Budd, Davis, Ladner, Lyster, Matthews, McGuckin, and Quin—7.

NAYS — Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Clouds, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Laughlin, Lippincott, McMullin, Miller, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—35.

Which was not agreed to.

The first and only section was agreed to.

Mr. Quin

Offered the following, to wit: "SECT. 2. The right to erect any such hotel or hotels shall be granted by the Centennial Board of Finance to the party or parties offering the highest price for such privilege, and under and subject to such rules and regulations as the said Centennial Board of Finance may limit and direct."

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required by Mr. Quin, seconded by Mr. Lyster, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Budd, Caven, Currie, Davis, Garwood, Ladner, Lyster, Matthews, McGuckin, Quin, and Widener—11.

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Clouds, Doebley, Dorlan, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Laughlin, Lippincott, McMullin, Miller, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, White, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—31.

Which was not agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time at length.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow:

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Caven, Clouds, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Laughlin, Lippincott, McMullin, Miller, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—38.

NAYS—Mr. Quin—1.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Mr. Bardsley,

Chairman of the Committee on Finance, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay a claim of Joseph Keesey." (*Appendix No. 385.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the improvement of the meadow banks, in the Twenty-seventh Ward." (*Appendix No. 386.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay the interest on the funded debt of the City of Philadelphia, falling due on the 1st day of July, 1875." (*Appendix No. 387.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a resolution annexed entitled "Resolution relative to the adjournment of Councils." (*Appendix No. 388.*)

The resolution was twice read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Rowan,

Chairman of the Committee on Highways, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Wilson, Price, Chew and Seventh streets, and Pulaski avenue." (*Appendix No. 389.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Dauphin street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward." (*Appendix No. 390.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of McAlpin and Myrtle streets." (*Appendix No. 391.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Sansom street, in the Twenty-seventh Ward." (*Appendix No. 392.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the tramwaying of Potts, Atmore and Myrtle streets." (*Appendix No. 393.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill

annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of South street, in the Twenty-seventh Ward." (*Appendix No. 394.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Powelton avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward." (*Appendix No. 395.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of South and Mildred streets and Snyder avenue." (*Appendix No. 396.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make a transfer in the items of the annual appropriation to the Department of Highways, for the year 1875." (*Appendix No. 397.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the Department of Highways, Bridges and Sewers for the year 1875." (*Appendix No. 398.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Thornton,

Chairman of the Committee on Surveys, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to

place Logan street upon the plan of the City." (*Appendix No. 399.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize construction of sewers on Third, Cherry, Gebhard, Berks, Fortieth, Spring Garden, Seventeenth, Howard, and Huntingdon streets and Columbia, Lancaster and Lehigh avenues." (*Appendix No. 400.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Glenn,

Chairman of the Committee on Police, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to permit Geo. Jeffries to maintain a carriage stand on Belmont avenue, Twenty-fourth Ward." (*Appendix No. 401.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance for the suppression of a nuisance in the densely populated part of the Twenty-fifth Ward." (*Appendix No. 402.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to repeal a portion of an Ordinance relating to nuisances," approved December 24th, 1864. (*Appendix No. 403.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also,

From the same Committee, a further report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the removal

of a frame church edifice used as a temporary chapel." (*Appendix No. 404.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Slack,

Chairman of the Committee on Election Divisions, presented a report, with a bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to change and establish places of voting in the several divisions of the Wards of the City." (*Appendix No. 405.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Hall

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the erection of public lamps."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Clouds, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, J. Kennedy, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, Lyster, Matthews, McGuckin, Miller, Myers, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—41.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Council proceeded to the second reading of the bill from Select Council entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Germantown (Girard avenue) Passenger Railway Company to extend their tracks to connect with the Girard Avenue Bridge, and to grant said company the privilege of running cars over said bridge."

The first section was again read and agreed to.

The second section was again read and agreed to.

The third section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage.

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Budd, Caven, Clouds, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, Lyster, Matthews, McGukin, McMullin, Miller, Myers, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Slack, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—44.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the bill from Select Council entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Chief

Engineer of the Water Department to lay water pipe on Seventh, Blackburne, Swayne, High, Seibert, Cresson, Robeson, Josephine, Old York road, Orleans, Thurlow, Tioga, Eighth, Dauphin, Van Pelt, Berks streets, and Maplewood, Park and Snyder avenues, and Twelfth street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Javen, Clouds, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, Matthews, McGuckin, McMullin, Miller, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Schafer, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Weir, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—42.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also,

Proceeded to the consideration of the following amendment of Select Council to the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Trenton avenue, in the Twenty-fifth Ward:" amend the first and only section by striking

out the words and figures "three thousand seven hundred and seventy-one (3,771) dollars and sixty-six (66) cents," and insert in place thereof the words and figures "one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine (1,879) dollars and ninety-eight (98) cents," and to further amend by adding to the end of the section the following, to wit: "*And provided*, That the paving shall be done without the water pipes being first laid."

Mr. Miller

Moved that Common Council concur in Select Council's amendment.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Caven, Clouds, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Laughlin, Lippincott, Lyster, Matthews, McMullin, Miller, Myers, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*
—42.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred in Select Council's amendment.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the bill from Select Council entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Chief Engineer of the Water Department to lay water pipe on

Dickinson, Fifteenth, Oakford, Twenty-eighth and Somerset steets, and on Snyder and Girard avenues."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonsall, Clouds, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, Lyster, Matthews, McGuckin, Miller, Myers, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Slack, Tatem, Uhler, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—38.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also,

Proceeded to the second reading of the bill from Select Council entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the extension of time for completing the school house, northwest corner of Forty-fourth and Huron streets, to July 15th 1875."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Clouds, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, Lyster, Matthews, McGuckin, McMullin, Miller, Myers, Rowan, Salter, Slack, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, Weir, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—38.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Mr. Bardsley

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled “An Ordinance to release the sureties upon the official bond of the City Solicitor.”

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Caven, Clouds, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, Lyster, Matthews, McGuckin, McMullin, Miller, Myers, Rowan, Schafer, Slack, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler.

White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey,
Pres't—40.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay damages caused by the opening of Ford street and Montgomery avenue."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Clouds, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Ladner, Loughlin, Lippincott, Matthews, McGuckin, McMullin, Myers, Rowan, Salter, Slack, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—38.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to approve the contract and surety of George Nonnamaker, for the erection of a school edifice at Pittsville, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bon-sall, Caven, Clouds, Currie, Davis, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, Lyster, Matthews, McGuckin, McMullin, Miller, Myers, Rowan, Russell, Salter, Slack, Subers, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—40. .

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the consideration of the amended bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation for meals for jurors."

The question being on the title,

Mr. Bardsley

Moved to add the words, "and witness fees."

Which was agreed to.

The title as amended was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Caven, Clouds, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, Lyster, Matthews, McGuckin, McMullin, Miller, Myers, Rowan, Salter, Schafer, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—41.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Council proceeded to the consideration of Select Council's amendment to the bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay the fees of the constables in the City of Philadelphia:" amend the first and only section by striking out the words "one hundred," and in lieu thereof insert the word "fifty."

Mr. Bardsley

Moved that Common Council concur in Select Council's amendment.

On agreeing to the amendment,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bon-sall, Caven, Clouds, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Ladner, Laughlin, Lippincott, Lyster, McGuckin, McMullin, Miller, Myers, Salter, Slack, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—39.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred in Select Council's amendment.

Mr. Bardsley

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Board of Revision of Taxes to pay salaries of assessors for the year 1875."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bon-sall, Clouds, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hayhurst, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Ladner, Lippincott, Lyster, Matthews, McMullin, Miller, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Schafer, Slack,

Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—38.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the appropriation to the Commissioners for the erection of Public Buildings."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Clouds, Currie, Davis, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Lippincott, Lyster, Matthews, McMullin, Miller, Myers, Rowan, Salter, Schafer, Slack, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—38.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the Board of Health for cleaning the streets, &c., in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Clouds, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Lippincott, Matthews, McGuckin, McMullin, Miller, Myers, Rowan, Salter, Schafer, Slack, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—36.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Mr. Glenn

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to grant permission to F. G. Malone to erect a temporary frame building at Frankford and Lehigh avenues."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Clouds, Currie, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, Gegan, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, Kaney, J. Kennedy, Ladner, Lippincott, Lyster, Matthews, McGuckin, McMullin, Miller, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Salter, Schafer, Slack, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—39.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled “ An Ordinance to grant permission to George Field to erect a temporary frame building in the rear of No. 1029 Hanover street.”

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bon-sall, Clouds, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Dorlan, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, J. Kennedy, Ladner, Lippincott, Lyster, Matthews, McGuckin, Miller, Myers, Rowan, Salter, Schafer, Slack, Tatem, Thorn-

ton, Uhler, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—37.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Mr. Thornton

Moved to proceed to the consideration of the amended bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers on Twenty-first, Norris, Garnet, Diamond, Third, Weaver, St. John, Wharton, Hancock, Comptroller, Marriott, Branch, Spruce and Fifth streets, and Merion avenue."

Which was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

NAYS—Messrs. Allen, Baldwin, Bardsley, Bonham, Bon-sall, Clouds, Currie, Davis, Dorlan, Garwood, D. W. Gilbert, Glenn, Hall, Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, J. Kennedy, Lippincott, Lyster, Matthews, Miller, Myers, Quin, Rowan, Salter, Schafer, Slack, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey, *Pres't*—35.

NAYS—None.

A majority of those elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to

And the bill passed.

Also,

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance for the construction of bridges over the Pennsylvania Railroad at Fortieth and Forty-first streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read and agreed to.

The second section was again read and agreed to.

The third section was again read and agreed to.

The fourth section was again read.

Mr. Thornton

Moved to amend by adding the words, "June 15th, 1875."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

And the bill was laid over to print the amendment.

Mr. Glenn

Moved to proceed to the second reading of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Manship Methodist Episcopal Church to erect a frame chapel."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follow :

YEAS—Messrs. Allen, Bardsley, Bonham, Bonsall, Clouds, Currie, Davis, Doebley, Garwood, Glenn, Hall,

Hanby, Hayhurst, Jamison, Lippincott, Matthews, Miller, Myers, Rowan, Salter, Schafer, Tatem, Thornton, Uhler, White, Widener, Williamson, Wright, and Henszey,
Pres't—29.

NAYS—None.

No quorum voting,

The President

Declared Council adjourned.

APPENDIX
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APPENDIX No. 1.

RESOLUTION

Relative to the seats of Edward McDowell and John D. Caldwell.

Resolved by the Common Council of the City of Philadelphia, That a Special Committee of five members be appointed to inquire into the right of Edward McDowell, a member of Common Council from the Ninth Ward, and John D. Caldwell, a member of Common Council from the Twenty-second Ward, to hold their seats in Common Council.

APPENDIX No. 2.

RESOLUTION

To continue the Joint Special Committees and to continue all unfinished business.

Resolved by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Joint Special Committees be and the same are hereby continued, and that all unfinished business be continued in the hands of said Committees.

APPENDIX No. 3.

RESOLUTION

To meet in Joint Convention to elect a Superintendent of the Department of Police and Fire alarm Telegraph.

Resolved by the Common Council, That Select Council be invited to meet Common Council in Joint Convention, in Common Council chamber, this day, Thursday, January 7th, 1875, at 4 o'clock, to elect a Superintendent of the Department of Police and Fire-alarm Telegraph.

APPENDIX No. 4.

DEPARTMENT FOR SUPPLYING THE CITY WITH WATER,
 PHILADELPHIA, *January 7, 1875.*

To the Presidents and Members
 of Common Council :

GENTLEMEN:—By resolution of December 19th, 1874, I am instructed to remove the Water Department to Spring Garden Hall, provided it be located in the first and third stories.

My desire is to immediately comply with your instructions, but am unable, as no appropriation has been made to fit it for our accommodation.

The judges of the Courts are urging upon us to vacate our present premises, as their necessities require prompt action.

By an approximate estimate it will require \$15,000 to fit the first and third floors, in addition to what will be required for heating and furnishing fire proofs.

From the character of the location, I consider the first and third floors totally inadequate to meet the requirements of the department, therefore I respectfully suggest the appointment of a committee to examine the premises and report upon its suitability for the purpose intended, prior to any alterations being made; as any alterations that might be made on first floor, would be useless in the event of any addition being made hereafter.

Yours, very truly,

WM. H. McFADDEN,
Chief Engineer Water Department.

APPENDIX No. 5.

RESOLUTION

Of instruction to the Joint Special Committee on the seats of Edward McDowell and John D. Caldwell.

Resolved by the Common Council of the City of Philadelphia, That the Special Committee on the seats of Edward

McDowell and John D. Caldwell, be and are hereby instructed to inquire also into the right of the members of Common Council for the Third Ward, to hold their seats in Common Council.

APPENDIX No. 6.

RESOLUTION

Directing the Commissioner of Markets and City Property to have the snow and ice removed from the footways in front of the public squares.

Resolved by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Commissioner of Markets and City Property be and he is hereby authorized and directed to see that the several superintendents of the public squares, remove the snow and ice from the footways in front of said squares, and to sprinkle the same with ashes, when necessary.

APPENDIX No. 7.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR OF THE
CITY OF PHILADELPHIA, *January 7, 1875.*

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—I herewith transmit a communication signed by a Committee on behalf of the College of Physicians of Philadelphia, in opposition to the project now in preparation of locating an immense drove-yard and abattoir, on the west side of the Schuylkill north of Market street.

These communications are submitted to you for such action as may seem meet in the premises.

I am, very respectfully,

W. S. STOKLEY,
Mayor.

To the Honorable Presidents and Members of
Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

The undersigned, acting as a Committee on behalf of the College of Physicians of Philadelphia, are desirous of calling the attention of your honorable bodies to the project now in preparation of locating an immense drove-yard and abattoir on the west side of the Schuylkill, north of Market street. As members of the medical profession, having in this matter no view whatever but that of the public health, we believe it our duty to protest against such an establishment being permitted to exist in that locality. We are aware of the magnitude of the interests connected with the great railroad corporation under whose auspices it is to be arranged and conducted, which no merely imaginary or exaggerated ideas upon the subject should be allowed to interfere with or obstruct. But our conviction is that the evils to be anticipated are real and great; and are such as, for the welfare of the community, can be much more readily prevented now than they can be remedied after being allowed to occur.

That we are amply justified in these apprehensions, may be, we submit, admitted in view of the following considerations :—

So important is the subject, according to all sanitary experience, that in Great Britain an act of Parliament has been passed to define regulations concerning the slaughtering of animals throughout the country, as well as in the cities of the kingdom. In Paris, the abattoir of La Villette covers a space of 150 acres, and all refuse matter is carried off fifteen or twenty leagues from the City by means of a canal which runs through the entire territory, while the operations of the slaughter-houses are conducted under the most rigid supervision. At Boston, the State Board of Health has compelled the breaking up of all private slaughter-houses, and has directed the location of a large drove-yard and abattoir on the Charles river, at the distance of several miles from the City. In New York also, the Board of Health has recently ordered the removal of all private slaughter-houses during the year 1875. Experience of the positive evils of such establish-

ments in Chicago, has obliged there the imposition upon them of very rigid regulations for the preservation of public health. An appreciation of similar well-known facts has been shown by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company itself, in its express interdiction in the deeds of conveyance of lots sold by the company from the very same land now under attention, of the erection of *slaughter houses*, &c., thereupon.

We do not deem it necessary, in this memorial, to quote at length the high sanitary authorities, whose judgment sustains our earnest plea in this matter. Among them have been cited already, in a memorial addressed to the Pennsylvania Railroad Company on the subject, Hon. Lyon Playfair, of Great Britain, Dr. H. I. Bowditch, President of the Massachusetts Board of Health, Dr. E. H. Janes, Assistant Sanitary Superintendent of New York, and Dr. J. H. Rauch, late Sanitary Superintendent of Chicago.

The last named gentleman, having had a long and special experience in connection with this subject, during a late visit to Philadelphia, carefully investigated the locality under consideration. We are allowed to take from a communication prepared by him a summary statement of some very important facts.

Dr. Rauch testifies that, in his opinion, from a strictly sanitary standpoint, the proposed site for a drove-yard and abattoir is "*one of the most undesirable that could be selected.*" The objections to it in brief are, that it is on lower ground than the surrounding land, on parts of which many habitations are built, and many more will be hereafter; therefore, a free circulation of air to dissipate its effluvia will be prevented. That, with thousands of live cattle, sheep, and hogs constantly collected there, atmospheric contamination is certain and unavoidable. That the amount of decomposable organic matter from these living animals, which, with every conceivable care, must daily enter the Schuylkill river by drainage, will be very large; and when the abattoir also is in operation, may be estimated in all at about 15,000 pounds daily; while more than 50 tons of material, if not acted upon on the spot, for rendering and utilization, will have to be removed every day.

It is calculated that the total unsanitary effect upon the neighboring locality, including the influence of such a drove-yard and abattoir together, upon air and water, will be equal to that of the sewage of *a population of 50,000 souls.* Dr. Rauch affirms positive observation of a marked effect, from precisely the same influences in Chicago, upon the *death-rate* in certain localities, especially amongst young children in summer. This danger must be intensified by the general slowness of the current in the Schuylkill, particularly near its western bank, and by the frequently small amount of water passing over the dam at Fairmount. Moreover, the general prevalence there of winds from the west, will tend to convey this atmospheric contamination over some of the best-built and increasingly populous portions of the City.

Dr. Rauch names as localities not beyond the reach of such a deleterious cause, Pine and Eighteenth streets, Broad and Coates streets, the Almshouse, and the neighborhoods of Fortieth street, and of Aspen street, in West Philadelphia. Within the same or similar distances are situated not only thousands of private dwellings, but public institutions also; as Girard College, the House of Refuge, Blockley Hospital, the University Hospital, Presbyterian Hospital, Woman's Hospital, Naval Asylum, and U. S. Marine Hospital, Blind Asylum, Preston Retreat, St. Joseph's Hospital, Wills' Hospital, Children's Hospital, and a number of others. The testimony of Dr. Rauch is positive and strong, that especially at night, and in warm weather, and in certain states of the atmosphere, in spite of the most improved modern systems, and of every skill and care that can be exercised, offence will be liable to occur, and that this cause must be "*an important factor in increasing the death-rate*" of the population exposed to it.

As argumentative reference is made, by those defending the project under discussion, to the stock-yards and abattoir at Harsimus Cove, on the North river, near Jersey City, the affirmation of Dr. Rauch—made after careful inspection—may be here cited. He observes, "I do not hesitate to say that at Harsimus Cove slaughtering is carried on with but little offence, and no injury to the public health; *but I am equally positive in saying that it is*

not possible to do so at the proposed point on the Schuylkill." The reasons for this difference are obvious. The location at Harsimus Cove has the advantages of a summer temperature 5° lower, of the sea breeze, and of drainage into the full volume of the North river, which is there a mile wide and thirty-two feet in average depth, having a swiftly flowing tide, rising and falling eight feet, instead of the shallow, sluggish Schuylkill below the dam, with a slow tidal rise and fall of six feet, with a width of only four hundred feet, and an average depth of ten feet. The Harsimus establishment, moreover, is not at the bottom of a basin, has free circulation of air under it, and is so placed that in at least three directions it cannot possibly affect human habitations, and in no direction is there any considerable population within a mile.

We do not advocate the continuance of the present private slaughter-house system, which has, no doubt, connected with it positive evils. Nor do we wish to depreciate the injurious circumstances associated with the existing drove-yard near the Pennsylvania Railroad, in the neighborhood of Hestonville. But we urged that it is the duty of the City, by its constituted authorities, to refuse sanction and permission to the location of an establishment designed to be permanent, in the midst of its rapidly improving domain, with an immensely increasing population, which there is abundant reason to believe cannot and will not be made secure from an influence of a most deleterious kind upon the health of a large portion of the City. That wise liberality which, by the purchase of hundreds of acres of land for Fairmount Park on both sides of the river, has done so much to protect its waters from contamination, will be strangely negatived, if, on the same river, lower down, a nuisance of the worst kind and of the largest magnitude shall be allowed to become perpetual.

Very respectfully,

HENRY HARTSHORNE,
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December 28, 1874.

Letter to a Committee of Citizens on the proposed Schuylkill Drove-yard and Abattoir.

PHILADELPHIA, November 21, 1874.

JOHN H. RAUCH, M. D.,

Late Sanitary Superintendent of Chicago, Ill. :

DEAR SIR :—In behalf of the Committee of Citizens on the Schuylkill Drove-yard and Abattoir, I would respectfully ask you to favor us with your opinion as to the advantages and disadvantages of the proposed location, and the probable influence of such an establishment upon the sanitary condition of this City; and if you should consider the proposed site to be objectionable, we would be glad to know where you think it ought to be located.

You will please bear in mind that the fat and refuse are not to be utilized on the premises, but are to be removed to a rendering establishment to be erected further down the river. With regard to this latter, we would be glad to have your opinion as to the distance at which it ought to be placed from the built-up portions of the City.

We would also like to have from you an approximate estimate of the probable average number of animals that will be stabled in the drove-yard, and be daily slaughtered in the abattoir. The railroad company informs us that the eventual capacity of the yard is to accommodate 7,500 cattle, 8,000 hogs, and 12,000 sheep.

Your reputation as a sanitarian, and your special experience for many years in these particular subjects, must serve as our excuse for thus requesting an expression of your views.

Very respectfully,

JOHN SELLERS, JR.,

Chairman.

PHILADELPHIA, December 8, 1874.

TO JOHN SELLERS, JR., ESQ.,

Chairman of Committee of Citizens on the
proposed Schuylkill Drove-yard and Abattoir :

SIR :—Before replying to your communication I would

state, by way of explanation, that my replies to the queries propounded before the American Public Health Association, at its recent meeting in this City, were of a general character, and did not apply specially to the abattoir and stock-yards, as proposed to be conducted at West Philadelphia. Since then I have carefully examined that site and considered all the conditions bearing upon it, and in this letter I propose to discuss the questions connected with that enterprise.

In response to your inquiry as to the advantages of the proposed location, I would say that, in my opinion, they are purely commercial, and in this respect it is, in some points, superior to any other within or near the limits of Philadelphia; but from a strictly sanitary standpoint it is one of the most undesirable that could be selected.

In your letter you state that the Pennsylvania Railroad Company designs the stock-yards eventually to have a capacity for storing 7,500 head of cattle, 8,000 hogs, and 12,000 sheep. It is, therefore, safe to assume that 3,000 head of cattle, 3,000 hogs, and 6,000 sheep, will generally be collected here at one time. From these, in spite of all possible care, exhalations will arise that cannot be prevented. It is true that on many days the presence of this number of animals will not be noticed a short distance beyond the inclosure, but there will be days when, owing to the location, high temperature, and certain atmospheric conditions, the air will be tainted for at least a mile in the direction of the wind. I have repeatedly noticed the "cattle odor" half a mile from a distillery where only 1,000 head were stabled, and in a locality where the atmospheric conditions were more favorable than they possibly could be at the proposed yards here.

The slaughtering of animals, under the most favorable circumstances, cannot be conducted without more or less smell. From its very nature it is a filthy operation, and it is not presuming too much to say, that even if conducted with the care proposed, there will be times when the atmosphere will be polluted from the abattoir. The killing of 800 head of cattle, 1,500 hogs, and 2,000 sheep daily in this locality, which will be about the amount re-

quired for consumption in this City in 1875, and, if not then, certainly in 1876, cannot always be carried on without offence to the surrounding district.

From this amount of slaughtering there will have to be removed daily from the cattle about 20 tons of offal, from the hogs 15 tons, and from the sheep 7 tons, with about 2,500 gallons of cattle blood, 1,300 of hog blood, and 700 of sheep blood, making in all about 55 tons of refuse for rendering and utilization. Owing to the character of this material, decomposition soon takes place, and, therefore, at times it cannot be removed without being offensive. This is especially the case when, from accident or some other unavoidable cause, its removal is not promptly affected. The fat for rendering can, as a general rule, be taken away without any trouble, but the removal of the heads, hoofs, and manure cannot always take place from this locality without smell. It is true, that by the free use of disinfectants this objection can be partially obviated, but their application is not always practicable.

From the meteorological observations of Prof. Fitzgerald, as recorded in the Franklin Institute, I find that for the years 1872 and 1873, during the months of June, July, August, and September, when the exhalations from the proposed abattoir and stock-yards will be most rife, owing to high temperature, the wind was for two-thirds of this period from a westerly direction; most frequently from the S. W., next from the N. W. Then occur the N. E., S. E., W., S., N., and E. winds in the order named. The mean daily temperature for the same years was for June, 75°, July, 81°, August, 78°, and September, 69°.

With this high temperature during the prevalence of the S. W. wind, it is safe to assume that the odors of this establishment at times, without any rendering or the utilization of refuse being done, will be observable as far as Coates and Broad streets. When from the West, as far as Broad, and from the N. W., as far as Pine and Eighteenth streets. Occasionally it will be noticed beyond these limits. The influence of these exhalations upon life will be felt in about two-thirds of the district indicated, according to density of population, compactness of buildings, and other local conditions, and especially at

the Children's Hospital. While it is true that it would be difficult to point out a single case where these emanations have directly caused death, I have repeatedly observed their effect at Chicago, in increasing the death-rate of a particular locality when the wind was blowing in a southeasterly or southwesterly direction, from one of these establishments, for several consecutive days, with a high temperature, while the death-rate was not increased in localities remote, with the wind in the same direction, and the other conditions that affect life being the same. It may be said that other influences destructive to life were at work at this time, but even taking these into consideration, I could not avoid the conclusion that the emanations, from these establishments were an important factor in increasing the death-rate, especially of the infantile diseases incident to summer, as well as in cases debilitated by other diseases. In other words, they increase the destructive influence of certain atmospheric contaminations existent upon high temperatures, especially where population is dense. On the west side of the Schuylkill the exhalations will be observed when the wind is from the N. E., in the neighborhood of the Almshouse; when it is from the E., about Fortieth street; and when from the S. E., about Aspen street. The effect upon life will be less marked than on the east side, since the population is less dense, while the easterly winds are less frequent, and such winds generally are of a lower temperature. It will, however, increase the death-rate in the University and Blockley Hospitals, particularly in the latter, as in institutions of this character the patients are necessarily more susceptible to such influences.

There will also be occasions when, owing to the fact that the establishment is to be located upon lower ground than the residences in the neighborhood, the odors from it will be noticed only at higher and more remote points. The topography of the locality prevents that free and constant access of air which is, from a salutary standpoint, one of the most important preventives of foul odors. Thus there will result accumulations of this character, and then owing to certain atmospheric conditions they will ascend until they strike a current of air to be wafted to and be observed at a distance. In New York, the

residents on Murray Hill are frequently annoyed by noxious odors when nothing is observed near the source from whence they emanate. These conditions obtain most frequently at night, and it is in this way that during the summer months, sleeping rooms are contaminated, owing to the fact that the windows are open. If the establishment were to be located on a hill or a plain, so that there would be free access for the winds from all directions, or, in other words, its ventilation better, this objection would in a very great measure be obviated.

The most important objection, from a sanitary standpoint, to the proposed abattoir and stock-yards, will be the necessary drainage of refuse matter into the Schuylkill river. In fact, without good drainage and a large supply of water, it is impossible to conduct establishments of this magnitude without their becoming great nuisances, and just in proportion as they are kept in a cleanly condition will the river be polluted. I find upon examination of the records in the office of the City Engineer that the current of the river is on the east side, and that, generally speaking, there is but little on the west side, save such as is incident to the rise and fall of the tide, which, owing to the winding character of the river, and perhaps Fairmount dam, is by no means as rapid as in the Delaware. If the cattle are slaughtered in the mode at present adopted in the best establishments, there will be at least five pounds of blood, meat, and other refuse from each animal carried into the river. This is a low estimate, and no doubt frequently too low. From the hogs nearly two pounds each, and from the sheep about two ounces. There will also be daily carried into the river from the cattle stabled at least one pound per head of excreta, about the same quantity per hog, and about two ounces per sheep. This last calculation is based upon the supposition that the yards will be impervious to fluids, and that the drainage will be as complete as possible. Although the greater portion of the blood will be collected for utilization, there is necessarily some waste. This will be washed into the river where it will coagulate and sink, and unless the current is very rapid it will remain at the bottom of the river until the temperature of the water is such as to cause the putrefactive process to

take place. I have frequently found coagulated blood at the bottom of the Chicago river months after it had been deposited, and when its presence had become manifest by the escape of noxious gases, the result of its decomposition.

From the foregoing, it will be observed that about 15,000 pounds of organic and decomposable material will daily enter the river from this source. Although this estimate may seem large, I do not think that the establishment can be kept clean without this amount of waste material being carried into the river by frequent flushing, for it is so much easier to remove refuse in this way—particularly when the drainage is good, and water in abundance for this purpose—than by the slow process of collecting by hand, and removing to another locality. Indeed, much of it cannot be removed by hand; with the best intentions and most constant supervision it will be found impracticable, from the amount of time and labor required. Of course, this estimate does not include the manure, that can be readily disposed of.

As already remarked, the current of the Schuylkill is not rapid on this side, and it will soon be found, from the character of the refuse—as a large portion of it is animal matter—that at low tide much of it will be left in the docks and on the marshy grounds (overflowed at high tide), and shallow places on this side of the river for some distance below the abattoir. At low tide the action of the sun in midsummer would cause it to be the source of noxious exhalations, which would be carried by the winds over a much larger portion of the City than the emanations from the abattoir and stock-yards, and thus exercise a more widely spread influence upon health and comfort. I learn that the railroad company propose to build a sewer into the middle of the river, emptying into deep water, and where there is a more rapid current, so as to carry off this drainage. This will no doubt be better than if the mouth of the sewer should be at the west side of the river; but when there is little water flowing over the dam, it will not make much difference, as the ebb and flow of the tide, with the wind, will carry this material to every portion of the river.

From Mr. Smedley, the Chief Engineer of the City, I

learn that only a small portion of the region lying west of the Schuylkill is sewerd, and that, comparatively speaking, but little sewage from it empties into the river at this time, but that with the increase of population the sewers will have to be extended; also that the drainage of the lower part of the City lying east of the Schuylkill is limited. In this direction sewers are being rapidly built, the tendency of population being to the territory drained by the Schuylkill, so that with the natural increase and the addition from the proposed slaughtering and stock-yards (which will in itself be equal, at the lowest estimate, to the sewage of a population of 20,000), it will soon be found that the river will become so much contaminated as to prove offensive and exercise an injurious influence upon the health of the City. The effect of this river pollution will be more marked when there is little or no water flowing over the dam at Fairmount, as frequently occurs, particularly in the summer months, since but little fresh water being added, the same water remains flowing upward and downward, while the daily addition of contaminating material remains the same. It should be borne in mind that the refuse matter from stock-yards and abattoirs, in undergoing the process of decomposition, gives off much more effluvia than ordinary sewage, so that combining the river pollution with the atmospheric contamination, I think it safe to say that the proposed establishment will be fully equivalent in its effects upon the atmosphere in the neighborhood of the river to the sewage derived from a population of at least 50,000 souls. The purification, by oxidation, of the ordinary sewage with the proposed additional refuse materials from the yard and abattoir flowing into the Schuylkill river, with its present water supply, cannot be accomplished before it joins the Delaware. The purification of the Illinois and Michigan canal, at Chicago, with like contaminating material, and with a constant supply of fresh water from Lake Michigan, requires a distance of from twenty to thirty miles, at least double the distance being required for refuse animal matter that is needed for ordinary City sewage.

This river pollution will increase as population increases, until it will be necessary to construct an intercepting

sewer, on one or both sides of the river, with pumping works near its mouth, to pump the sewage into the Delaware, at great expense.* This will become in the course of time a sanitary necessity.

Since the reception of your letter, and as attention has been called thereto, I have inspected the abattoir and stock-yards at Harsimus Cove, and do not hesitate to say, that, taking everything into consideration, they constitute the most complete and best adapted establishment of the kind in the country, and perhaps, in the world. In some respects, in mechanical construction, and certainly in location, they are superior to the Brighton abattoir and stock-yards near Boston, to the sanitary arrangements of which so much attention has been paid by the Massachusetts State Board of Health. At Brighton, however, hogs are slaughtered, and the rendering of fat and utilization of the refuse are carried on, which is not the case at Harsimus Cove. At the latter place, albumen is manufactured from the blood, the remaining products being converted into a fertilizer, without the process being specially disagreeable, while on the Schuylkill this operation cannot at all times be conducted without being offensive to a neighboring population. There is also a marked difference in climate, one being oceanic and the other continental. There is also at Harsimus a constant and free circulation of air, as there is no obstruction from any direction, and it is built at least four feet above the water, so that the air has even an opportunity to pass under it; while on the Schuylkill the site is, as it were, in a basin, and lower than the surrounding territory. In the summer, when most annoyance is experienced from establishments of this

* In the latter part of last July, while coming into the City on the West Chester Railroad, my attention was attracted by a foul and oppressive odor, and, from habit, I looked out of the car window to see from whence it had its origin. I found that we were approaching the Schuylkill river, and that the tide was low, and that the effluvia came from the low and marshy ground. Afterward, in crossing Chestnut Street Bridge, I observed a similar odor coming from the docks, and, as I approached the east side, noticed the most offensive gas smell; altogether reminding me of the atmospheric impurities that several years ago were so common in the immediate neighborhood of the Chicago river.

character, a stiff sea breeze is frequent at Harsimus Cove, blowing up the North river, so that it really does not affect any one, while at West Philadelphia the prevailing winds will carry the emanations to the most densely populated and best built-up portions of the City. Harsimus Cove is so situated that in three directions it cannot possibly affect population. In the remaining quarter, there is comparatively no population within half a mile, and only about fifteen thousand within a mile, and with the wind rarely blowing towards that point, while on the Schuylkill there is at least a resident population of one hundred and twenty-five thousand, including several large hospitals and other public institutions within reach of its influence. At Harsimus, the water supply is unlimited, with a rise and fall of the tide of eight feet, flowing swiftly with the volume of the North river; while on the Schuylkill the rise and fall of the tide is only six feet, and not rapid, with at times a small water supply in the river, or, in other words, the drainage from Harsimus is to all intents and purposes daily removed, while at the Schuylkill it cannot be. The mean daily temperature during the months of June, July, August and September, is at least 5° lower at Harsimus Cove than at West Philadelphia, a very important difference, as high temperature is the chief factor in causing offensive smells. The day of my visit at Harsimus was one of the coldest of this season, and yet as I stepped into a small boat, upon leaving the abattoir, at a point some distance from where the slaughtering was carried on, I noticed an odor as if it came from an old sewer, or from blood and refuse that had been deposited in the river. I have no doubt that this will increase year by year.

It, will, therefore, be seen, that the conditions that obtain in the two localities are wholly unlike, and that to draw a comparison, or to say that what can be accomplished at one place in the conducting of this business can be done at the other, is simply impossible. I do not hesitate to say, that at Harsimus Cove slaughtering is carried on with but little offence, and no injury to the public health; but I am equally positive in saying that it is not possible to do so at the proposed point on the Schuylkill.

In reply to the query, "At what distance should the

rendering and utilization of the refuse be carried on from the built-up portions of the City?" I would state, that this depends entirely upon the atmospheric conditions, the direction of the prevailing winds, the mode and character of the appliances for conducting these processes, the drainage and water supply. The *rendering* of clean, fresh fat or tallow is not necessarily an offensive operation, except in a warm, murky atmosphere, but the *rendering* of offal, and its utilization, under all circumstances, require constant care and attention, and even then, with all the improved machinery, cannot always be carried on without offence. In *rendering*, much water is used, and this, after the process is completed, is drawn off, necessarily impregnated with a large amount of organic material. The tank water, or soup, as it may more properly be called, from rendering fresh fat and tallow, is not specially offensive, but that from rendering offal must necessarily be, so from the fact that in this process the fatty matter is removed from the intestines, and the various glands and organs that are not otherwise used. It is estimated that from the offal of a bullock there are about 12 gallons of this liquid, which, if 800 are slaughtered daily, will amount to 9,600 gallons, 3 gallons to each hog that is slaughtered, making a total daily of 4,500 gallons, and 1 gallon per head of sheep, making 2,000 gallons more, or a total daily of 16,500 gallons of this tank fluid that must be daily removed. It is from this source mainly, that the south branch of the Chicago river, south of the Illinois and Michigan canal, is polluted. It is really a highly concentrated essence of the material that is rendered, containing variable quantities of ammonia, phosphorus, and nitrogen, products that are valuable as fertilizers. Glue has also been manufactured from this result of the rendering process. So far, however, but little progress has been made in the utilization of the tank fluid, and at this time it is necessarily one of the chief causes of the pollution of streams into which these establishments drain. The necessity of a large water supply for the removal of this waste will be apparent. These processes should, therefore, be conducted on the Delaware, below the mouth of the Schuylkill, where

water is abundant, and the remoteness from population would render it inoffensive.

This is the first time in the history of slaughtering, in this country, that it is proposed to locate a drove-yard and abattoir in what may be termed the heart of a city, or what certainly will soon be the centre of population. As a general rule, this business has been driven away from population, in consequence of the inseparable conditions that follow it, and while it is true that many improvements have been made in the mode of conducting these operations, especially within the last five years, both from a commercial and sanitary standpoint, still, taking all these into consideration, judging from my experience, and the general principles of sanitary science, I am of the opinion that they should not be tolerated where population is dense, or likely to become so. In spite of everything that can be done, offence will sometimes arise. I have more than once been led to hope from many experiments, as well as from the great improvements in the machinery and appliances made to render the system a success, that the time might come when such establishments in the midst of population might be safe and proper, but in this I have so far been disappointed.

There is probably no practical sanitary question that at this time, especially in our large cities, is attracting so much attention as this, and even with all the improvements that have been made at Chicago, it is by no means yet conducted so as not to be offensive or prejudicial to health. In Baltimore this question is under discussion, and in New York, steps are now being taken toward improvement. In Great Britain the hygienic considerations involved are now regarded as of so much importance that a recent act of Parliament has been passed defining how the work is to be carried on, not only in the great cities, but throughout the entire kingdom.

The best site for an abattoir for this City is on the Delaware, near the mouth of the Schuylkill, from sanitary considerations, and possibly, also, from a commercial point of view, as here slaughtering and packing for exportation might be carried on—a branch of business, I believe, not conducted in this City, and quite an important item in the export trade of Boston.

At the proposed location on the Schuylkill the sanitary difficulties will yearly become greater, owing to increasing density of population, diminished water supply, accumulation of refuse, and inevitable contamination of buildings and grounds. The expense, also, incident to conducting two establishments for slaughtering and rendering so far remote from each other as will have to be done, will go far towards equalizing any supposed commercial advantages of the proposed site on the Schuylkill. On the Delaware all the different processes can be carried on, if not under the same roof, at least in close proximity.

In speaking as I have, I do not wish to be understood as undervaluing an abattoir system in this City, but, on the contrary, I heartily commend it, and do not hesitate to say that if the location is a proper one, it is far preferable to the present mode of slaughtering. As a general rule, slaughtering should not be carried on as a purely commercial enterprise, but under the supervision and control of the municipality. This applies with special force to cities, where slaughtering is done for home consumption.

Very respectfully,
JOHN H. RAUCH, M. D.

Resolution of the College of Physicians, adopted December 2, 1874. (Representing about 250 physicians.)

“Resolved, That in the opinion of the College of Physicians of Philadelphia, the establishment of the proposed Schuylkill Drove yard and Abattoir, on the west bank of the Schuylkill river, between Market street and Fairmount, would be in a high degree pernicious to the health interests of the inhabitants of Philadelphia.”

JOHN H. PACKARD, M. D.,
Secretary.

Action of the Philadelphia County Medical Society. (Representing about 200 physicians.)

At a meeting of the Philadelphia County Medical Society, held December 9th, 1874, the remarks of Dr. Rauch, of Chicago, were read and unanimously endorsed

by this society. The following resolution, which had been presented two weeks previous, was then unanimously adopted.

“To the President and Directors
of the Pennsylvania Railroad :

“ We, the members of the Philadelphia County Medical Society, feeling a deep interest in the sanitary condition of our City, and in all preventive measures calculated to arrest threatened danger to the same, respectfully and earnestly protest against the contemplated erection of a stock-yard and abattoir on the Schuylkill above Market street, believing that such works would be highly prejudicial to the health of our City.”

WASHINGTON L. ATLEE,
President.

H. LEAMAN,
Secretary.

*Action of the Northern Medical Association of Philadelphia.
(Representing about 80 physicians.)*

CLAYTON MACMICHAEL, Esq.,

The communication containing the letter of Dr. Rauch was received and read before the Northern Medical Association at their last stated meeting (December 10th, 1874). It gives me pleasure to state that the Association cordially endorse the sentiments contained in said letter, and hope the same may be presented to the public at an early date.

Very respectfully,
E. J. SANTEE, M. D.,
President Northern Medical Association.

Opinion of the Profession.

The undersigned desire to express their full approval of the conclusions reached by Dr. J. H. Rauch, and to commend them to the serious consideration of the citizens of Philadelphia.

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C. Neidhard, M. D., No. 1511 Arch street.
W. H. H. Githens, M. D., No. 1106 Pine street.
Geo. S. Gerhard, M. D., No. 1823 Spruce street.
H. Lenox Hodge, M. D., No. 903 Walnut street.
Theodore H. Seyfert, M. D., No. 1813 Columbia avenue.
Edward A. Spooner, M. D., No. 1438 Spruce street.
M. S. Williamson, M. D., No. 29 N. Eleventh street.
John J. Reese, M. D., No. 266 S. Twenty-first street.
S. D. Gross, M. D., Walnut and Eleventh streets.
R. M. Bertolet, M. D., No. 113 S. Broad street.
Jos. G. Richardson, M. D., No. 1620 Chestnut street.

Arthur Van Harlingen, M. D., No. 129 S. Fifteenth street.

Alonzo L. Leach, M. D., No. 2118 Spruce street.

Hamilton Osgood, M. D., No. 1805 Chestnut street.

Bushrod W. James, M. D., 1800 Green street.

Dan. G. Brinton, M. D., No. 2027 Arch street.

Saml. W. Gross, M. D., Walnut and Eleventh streets.

Frederick P. Henry, M. D., No. 635 Spruce street.

James Paul, M. D., No. 1608 Walnut street.

H. N. Guernsey, M. D., No. 1423 Chestnut street.

Jos. C. Guernsey, M. D., No. 1423 Chestnut street.

Herbert Norris, M. D., No. 313 S. Eighteenth street.

Edward Shippen, M. D., No. 1205 Walnut street.

Charles Cadwalader, M. D., No. 252 S. Fourth street.

S. R. Knight, M. D., Supt. Hospital of the P. E. Church.

James F. Gayley, No. 133 S. Eighteenth street.

E. J. French, M. D., No. 1609 Summer street.

T. L. Leavitt, M. D., High street, Germantown.

Wharton Sinkler, M. D., No. 348 S. Sixteenth street.

Edwd. L. Duer, M. D., No. 1704 Arch street.

Isaac Norris, M. D., No. 1424 Walnut street.

John P. Bethel, M. D., No. 107 Brown street.

J. Berens, M. D., S. W. cor. Broad and Green streets.

F. H. Getchell, M. D., No. 1432 Spruce street.

Anthony E. Stocker, M. D., No. 202 E. Chelton avenue, Germantown.

Thomas S. Reed, M. D., No. 1601 Chestnut street.

A. L. Elwyn, M. D. No. 1422 Walnut street.

Geo. I. McLeod, M. D., No. 3905 Spruce street.

Lewis D. Harlow, M. D., No. 1519 Arch street.

W. H. Hooper, M. D., No. 112 S. Thirteenth street.

J. Ewing Mears, M. D. No. 1429 Walnut street.

W. H. Webb, M. D. No. 633 N. Sixteenth street.

Richard A. Cleeman, M. D., No. 340 S. Twenty-first street.

Edwd. Wallace, M. D., No. 3943 Chestnut street.

C. S. Boker, M. D., No. 1622 Chestnut street.

Robert Bolling, M. D., Chestnut Hill.

Robert P. Harris, M. D., No. 713 Locust street.

Alfred Whelen, M. D., No. 1814 S. Rittenhouse square.

W. C. Swann, M. D., No. 1512 Walnut street.

C. McClellan, M. D., No. 300 S. Eleventh street.
Edwd. L. Parks, M. D., No. 1323 Pine street.
H. Earnest Goodman, M. D., No. 1427 Chestnut street.
William H. Taggart, M. D., No. 1931 Spruce street.
J. M. Boisnot, M. D., No. 1308 N. Sixth street.
Wm. Camac, M. D., Roxbury.
James F. Wilson, M. D., No. 826 Arch street.
R. M. Girvin, M. D., No. 3924 Walnut street.
Harrison Allen, M. D., No. 117 S. Twentieth street.
Constantine Hering, M. D., No. 112 N. Twelfth street.
John M. Adler, M. D., No. 1028 Arch street.
Joseph Leidy, M. D., No. 1302 Filbert street.

APPENDIX No. 8.

To the Common Council of the
City of Philadelphia :

The subscribers, a committee appointed by the students of the Eclectic Medical College of Pennsylvania, beg leave respectfully to represent to your honorable body, that on the ninth instant, at the clinical lectures of the Philadelphia Hospital, a resolution of the Board of Guardians of the said Hospital, was read to the students of the several medical colleges there assembled, informing them of the purpose of the said board to withhold certificates of attendance at the clinical course from all persons except matriculants of the two allopathic and two dental colleges in the City.

And they beg leave further to represent that those of the students of the Eclectic Medical College who have attended the clinical course aforesaid, have deposited tickets regularly, the evidence of which fact exists in the books of the said hospital, kept for that purpose, and observed all the rules of the institution. That they come here from different sections of Pennsylvania and neighboring States, availing themselves of the superior facilities your City affords for acquiring a medical education, possessing the same rights, and actuated by the same honorable ambition that they cheerfully accord to students of all other medical schools, and believing that the Philadelphia Hospital is not the property of any medical sect, but a public

institution supported by the impartial taxation of Eclectic Homœopathic, Allopathic, and Women's Medical Colleges, and their patrons alike, and regarding the Board of Guardians of the Philadelphia Hospital as public servants, and not employed in a place of public trust to prostitute their offices to medical partizanship. Therefore, they respectfully protest against their action as unauthorized and unjust, and while they hope to acquire higher passports to popular favor than the certificates of the Board of Guardians of a public hospital, yet believing the security of equal rights to be the legitimate object of free government, they respectfully petition your honorable body either to withhold appropriations of public money, which is the product of popular taxation, from an institution whose officers would pervert it to the championship of a particular medical sect, or otherwise secure the equal rights of all concerned, by such action as in your wisdom shall be most conducive of justice.

CHAS. H. LAMOREUX,
J. K. LIVINGSTON,
SIDNEY H. PEIRCE,

Committee.

514 Pine street.

PHILADELPHIA, *January 13, 1874.*

APPENDIX No. 9.

To the Honorable the Common Council
of the City of Philadelphia :

The petition and complaint of the undersigned, respectfully represents that they are citizens and duly qualified electors of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, and were such on the seventeenth day of February, last past; that a municipal election was held in said Ward on the said seventeenth day of February, A. D. 1874; that at said election, among other persons to be elected by the qualified electors of said Ward, was one person to serve as a member of the Common Council of said City; and that it has been returned that, at said election, held in said Ward for said office, B. Frank Bon-

ham received fifteen hundred and sixty-seven (1567) votes; James Jenners received fifteen hundred and ten (1510) votes; James McElroy received one thousand and ninety-four (1,094) votes; Richard Lloyd received one thousand and twenty (1,020) votes, and James Watt received twenty-one (21) votes; and that a certificate of election was issued upon said return to the said B. Frank Bonham for said office, and upon said certificate, he, the said B. Frank Bonham, has been admitted to a seat as a member of your honorable body from said Ward, and your petitioners contest his right thereto, and aver that said election was an undue election, and said return was a false and fraudulent return, and that at said election, said B. Frank Bonham was not elected to the said office, but that the said Richard Lloyd was elected, and should have been so returned, and that the said Richard Lloyd should have been admitted to membership in your honorable body, in the place and stead of the said B. Frank Bonham.

Your petitioners more particularly specify the following as the grounds of contest, to wit:

First. That at the said election, held in said Ward, there was but *one person* to be elected to serve as a member of the Common Council from said Ward, and that the qualified electors thereof were only entitled to vote for one person for said office; that the High Sheriff of the City and County of Philadelphia in his Proclamation for the said election, gave the following notice to the citizens and electors of said Ward, of the offices which they, the citizens and electors of said Ward, were entitled to fill by their votes at the said election, to wit: "By the Freemen residing in the Twenty-ninth Ward, one person to serve as "a member of Select Council for three years; "*one person to serve as a member of Common Council* for "two years, and four persons to serve as Directors of Public Schools for three years;" that notwithstanding this notice and the plain directions of the law, a large number of the citizens and electors of said Ward, to wit, at least one thousand three hundred in number, *voted* at said election *tickets or ballots*, which contained *two or more names* for said office; and that the officers of election of each of the following named election divisions of said Ward, to

wit: the First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Seventh, Eighth, Ninth, Eleventh, Twelfth, Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth and Eighteenth Election Divisions received said tickets, ballots or votes, and counted each name thereon for said office, and returned the same as a part of the vote received by each of the persons so voted for, and said votes are included in and form a part of the votes computed and returned respectively for the said B. Frank Bonham, James Jenners, James McElroy and James Watt.

Second. That the counting and returning of the votes for said office for the said B. Frank Bonham, James Jenners, James McElroy and James Watt, which contained more than one name for said office, was illegal, and in direct conflict and violation, by the officers of election in the said First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Seventh, Eighth, Ninth, Eleventh, Twelfth, Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth and Eighteenth Election Divisions of said Ward, of the seventy-third section of the Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, approved July second, A. D. 1839, entitled "An Act regulating elections," which provides "If upon opening *any ticket*, as aforesaid, *there be found any more names written or "printed on any* "of them than there ought to be, or if any two or more "such papers be deceitfully folded together, *such tickets* "shall be rejected and not counted among the votes; but no "ticket shall be rejected by reason of its containing fewer "names than the proper number."

Third. That of the legal votes cast or voted at said election for said office in said Ward, there were voted for the said Richard Lloyd not less than one thousand and fifty (1,050) votes; for the said James McElroy, not more than nine hundred and thirty (930) votes; for the said B. Frank Bonham, not more than three hundred and sixty (360) votes; for the said James Jenners, not more than three hundred and forty five (345) votes; and for the said James Watt, not more than five (5) votes, as will appear by a recount of the tickets voted at the said election in the said Ward for the said office in the aforesaid First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Seventh, Eighth, Ninth, Eleventh, Twelfth, Thirteenth, Four-

teenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth and Eighteenth Election Divisions, when added to the votes returned from the Tenth Election Division of said Ward for said office at said election, the officers of election of said Tenth Election Division having performed their duties at said election strictly according to law.

Whereby, and by force and virtue of the laws of this Commonwealth, the said Richard Lloyd was, at the election aforesaid, in the Ward aforesaid, duly and legally elected to the office aforesaid, and should have been so declared, and he, the said Richard Lloyd, by virtue of the said election, having received more legal votes thereat for the said office than were voted for the said B. Frank Bonham, or for any other person, is entitled to the said office, and to the seat now held and occupied in your honorable body by the said B. Frank Bonham.

Wherefore, your petitioners respectfully pray that your honorable body will appoint a suitable time and place for the hearing of the petition and complaint aforesaid, and the proofs in support of the charges and specifications therein contained, and that you will award the aforesaid office to the said Richard Lloyd, to which he was duly and legally elected as aforesaid.

And as in duty bound they will ever pray, &c.

John T. Clancey, 1938 Nicholas street.

John P. Barry, 1719 Thompson street.

Lewis J. Chester, 1943 Nicholas street.

John F. Tague, 1708 Ingersoll street.

William Rusk, 1835 Stiles street.

George Lilly, 1840 Cabot street.

James Hammell, 1236 North Eighteenth street.

Patrick Hammell, 1236 North Eighteenth street.

Edward Gillette, 1235 North Nineteenth street.

Jacob Reese, 1339 North Twenty-first street.

Elwood A. Philippi, 2010 Henrietta street.

David E. Ambers, 2608 Girard avenue.

Hugh Byrne, 1317 North Sixteenth street.

John J. Shields, 1812 Master street.

James Breagy, 1737 Thompson street.

Charles Mallory, N. E. Cor. Twenty-sixth and Girard avenue.

Harry Goodwin, 2020 Henrietta street.

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, }
CITY OF PHILADELPHIA. } ss.:

Personally appeared before me, the subscriber, one of the aldermen, in and for the City of Philadelphia, the above-named John J. Clancey, John P. Barry and Lewis J. Chester, who being severally duly *sworn* according to law, do depose and say, that the facts set forth in the foregoing petition and complaint, are just and true, to the best of their knowledge and belief.

JOHN J. CLANCEY,
No. 1938 Nicholas street.

JOHN P. BARRY,
No. 1719 Thompson street.

LEWIS J. CHESTER,
No. 1943 Nicholas street.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this the eighth day of January, A. D. 1875.
Witness my hand and official seal.

J. R. MASSEY,
[SEAL.] *Alderman.*

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, }
CITY OF PHILADELPHIA. } ss.:

I, John S. Wetter, one of the Commissioners in and for the City and County of Philadelphia, do hereby certify that the foregoing named petitioners are, and were on the 17th day of February last, duly qualified electors of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia.

Witness my hand and the seal of office, this the fourteenth day of January, A. D. 1875.

J. S. WETTER,
[SEAL.] *City Commissioner.*

APPENDIX No. 10.

To the President and Members of
Common Council of the City of Philadelphia :

The petition and complaint of the undersigned respectfully shows :

That they are citizens and qualified electors of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia.

That an election was held in said Ward on the third Tuesday of February, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, and that they voted at the said election for the office of Common Councilman for the said Twenty-ninth Ward, that being one of the offices for which candidates were to be voted for at the said election, and there being one person to be elected at said election to serve as a member of Common Council from said Ward, as required by the proclamation of the Sheriff, and in accordance with the list of taxables for the said Ward.

That at the said election five persons were voted for for the said office of Common Councilman, to wit :

B. F. Bonham, who was untruly returned as having received fifteen hundred and sixty-seven (1567) votes.

James Jenners, who was untruly returned as having received fifteen hundred and ten (1510) votes.

James McElroy, who was returned as having received ten hundred and ninety-four (1094) votes, and

James Watt, who was returned as having received twenty-one (21) votes.

Richard Lloyd, who was returned as having received ten hundred and twenty (1020) votes, thereby returning the said B. F. Bonham as having been elected to said office by a majority of four hundred and seventy-three (473) votes over the said James McElroy.

Your petitioners allege, charge and aver, that the said election was an undue election, and the return thereof a false return, and they contest the right of the said B. F. Bonham to the said office of Common Councilman of said Ward.

That the said election and the said return of the said

B. F. Bonham is false, fraudulent and undue in this: That legal votes to the number of one hundred and seventy-two (172) were offered to be cast, and were illegally refused for the said James McElroy, for said office; that illegal votes to the number of five hundred and sixteen (516) were received and counted for B. F. Bonham, for said office; that tickets to the number of fourteen hundred and sixty-five (1465) were received and counted in the said return as lawful ballots cast for the said B. F. Bonham, for said office, which tickets contained the names of said B. F. Bonham and James Jenners on each of said tickets, for the said office, and were so illegally counted and returned in violation of the provisions of section seventy-three of the act of Assembly of July 2d, A. D. 1839, entitled "An act relating to the elections of this Commonwealth," which provides that "If, upon opening any ticket, as aforesaid, there be found any more names written or printed on any of them than there ought to be; or, if any two or more such papers be deceitfully folded together, such tickets shall be rejected and not counted among the votes."

That the said B. F. Bonham is returned as having received fifteen hundred and sixty-seven (1567) votes, when in truth and in fact no more than one hundred and two (102) legal ballots were cast for said B. F. Bonham, for said office, whereas, ten hundred and ninety-four (1094) legal votes were received at the said election for said James McElroy, for said office, whereby your petitioners allege, charge and believe that the said James McElroy has received the highest number of legal votes cast at the said election in said Ward, for said office, to wit, at least nine hundred and ninety-two (992) legal votes more than the said B. F. Bonham, and a greater number of legal votes than were cast for any other candidate at said election for said office, and should have been so returned.

And your petitioners specify more particularly, as follows:

That in the First Election Division of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election

officers illegally refused votes which were lawfully offered by qualified voters of said division to the number of ten (10), which said votes so offered and refused were cast for James McElroy, for Common Councilman of said Ward, and should be counted and added to the votes cast for said James McElroy, for said office.

That in the First Election Division of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers received the votes of persons to the number of thirty (30), for the office of Common Councilman of said Ward, which were taken and counted for B. F. Bonham, for said office, ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, by reason of non-residence in said division, ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, for the reason that they were aliens, who had not been naturalized, and ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, inasmuch as they had not paid any State or county tax within two years previously thereto, which had been legally assessed.

That in the First Election Division of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers received the tickets voted by persons to the number of one hundred and thirty (130), which tickets illegally contained the names of the said B. F. Bonham, and the said James Jenners, for the office of Common Councilman of said Ward, on each of said tickets, when but one person could be legally voted for at the said election on one ticket, to fill the office of Common Councilman of said Ward, and did illegally count and return the said tickets as ballots lawfully deposited for the said B. F. Bonham for said office.

That in the Second Election Division of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers illegally refused votes which were lawfully offered by qualified voters of said division to the number of ten (10), which said votes so offered and refused were cast for James McElroy, for Common Councilman of said Ward, and should be counted and added to the votes cast for said James McElroy, for said office.

That in the Second Election Division of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election

officers received the votes of persons to the number of thirty (30), for the office of Common Councilman of said Ward, which were taken and counted for B. F. Bonham, for said office, ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, by reason of non-residence in said division, ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, for the reason that they were aliens, who had not been naturalized, and ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, inasmuch as they had not paid any State or county tax within two years previously thereto, which had been legally assessed.

That in the Second Election Division of the Twentyninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers received the tickets voted by persons to the number of eighty (80), which tickets illegally contained the names of the said B. F. Bonham, and the said James Jenners, for the office of Common Councilman of said Ward, on each of said tickets, when but one person could be legally voted for at the said election on one ticket, to fill the office of Common Councilman of said Ward, and did illegally count and return the said tickets as ballots lawfully deposited for the said B. F. Bonham, for said office.

That in the Third Election Division of the Twentyninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers illegally refused votes which were lawfully offered by qualified voters of said division to the number of ten (10), which said votes so offered and refused were cast for James McElroy for Common Councilman of said Ward, and should be counted and added to the votes cast for said James McElroy for said office.

That in the Third Election Division of the Twentyninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers received the votes of persons to the number of thirty (30) for the office of Common Councilman of said Ward, which were taken and counted for B. F. Bonham for said office, ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, by reason of non-residence in said division, ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, for the reason that they were aliens, who had not been naturalized, and ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, inasmuch as they had not paid any State or county tax within two years previously thereto, which had been legally assessed.

That in the Third Election Division of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers received the tickets voted by persons to the number of fifty (50), which tickets illegally contained the names of the said B. F. Bonham and the said James Jenners for the office of Common Councilman of said Ward, on each of said tickets, when but one person could be legally voted for at the said election on one ticket to fill the office of Common Councilman of said Ward, and did illegally count and return the said tickets as ballots lawfully deposited for the said B. F. Bonham for said office.

That in the Fourth Election Division of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers illegally refused votes which were lawfully offered by qualified voters of said division to the number of ten (10), which said votes so offered and refused were cast for James McElroy for Common Councilman of said Ward, and should be counted and added to the votes cast for said James McElroy for said office.

That in the Fourth Election Division of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers received the votes of persons to the number of thirty (30) for the office of Common Councilman of said Ward, which were taken and counted for B. F. Bonham for said office, ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, by reason of non-residence in said division, ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, for the reason that they were aliens, who had not been naturalized, and ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, inasmuch as they had not paid any State or county tax within two years previously thereto, which had been legally assessed.

That in the Fourth Election Division of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers received the tickets voted by persons to the number of one hundred (100), which tickets illegally contained the names of the said B. F. Bonham and the said James Jenners for the office of Common Councilmen of said Ward, on each of said tickets, when but one person could be legally voted for at the said election on one ticket to fill the office of Common Councilman of said Ward, and

did illegally count and return the said tickets as ballots lawfully deposited for the said B. F. Bonham for said office.

That in the Fifth Election Division of the Twentyninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers illegally refused votes which were lawfully offered by qualified voters of said division to the number of ten (10), which said votes so offered and refused were cast for James McElroy for Common Councilman of said Ward, and should be counted and added to the votes cast for said James McElroy for said office.

That in the Fifth Election Division of the Twentyninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers received the votes of persons to the number of thirty (30) for the office of Common Councilman of said Ward, which were taken and counted for B. F. Bonham for said office, ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, by reason of non-residence in said division, ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, for the reason that they were aliens, who had not been naturalized, and ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, inasmuch as they had not paid any State or County tax, within two years previously thereto, which had been legally assessed.

That in the Fifth Election Division of the Twentyninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers received the tickets voted by persons to the number of ninety (90), which tickets illegally contained the names of the said B. F. Bonham and the said James Jenners for the office of Common Councilmen of said Ward, on such of said tickets, when but one person could be legally voted for at the said election on one ticket to fill the office of Common Councilman of said Ward, and did illegally count and return the said tickets as ballots lawfully deposited for the said B. F. Bonham for said office.

That in the Sixth Election Division of the Twentyninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers illegally refused votes which were lawfully offered by qualified voters of said division to the number of ten

(10), which said votes so offered and refused were cast for James McElroy for Common Councilman of said Ward, and should be counted and added to the votes cast for said James McElroy for said office.

That in the Sixth Election Division of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers refused the votes of persons to the number of thirty (30) for the office of Common Councilman of said Ward, which were taken and counted for B. F. Bonham for said office, ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, by reason of non-residence in said division, ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, for the reason that they were aliens, who had not been naturalized, and ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, inasmuch as they had not paid any State or county tax within two years previously thereto, which had been legally assessed.

That in the Sixth Election Division of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers received the tickets voted by persons to the number of sixty (60), which tickets illegally contained the names of the said B. F. Bonham and the said James Jenners for the office of Common Councilmen of said Ward, on each of said tickets, when but one person could be legally voted for at the said election on one ticket to fill the office of Common Councilman of said Ward, and did illegally count and return the said tickets as ballots lawfully deposited for the said B. F. Bonham for said office.

That in the Seventh Election Division of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers illegally refused votes which were lawfully offered by qualified voters of said division to the number of ten (10), which said votes so offered and refused were cast for James McElroy for Common Councilman of said Ward, and should be counted and added to the votes cast for said James McElroy for said office.

That in the Seventh Election Division of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers received the votes of persons to the number of thirty (30) for the office of Common Councilman of said

Ward, which were taken and counted for B. F. Bonham for said office, ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, by reason of non residence in said division, ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors for the reason that they were aliens, who had not been naturalized, and ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, inasmuch as they had not paid any State or county tax within two years previously thereto, which had been legally assessed.

That in the Seventh Election Division of the Twentyninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers received the tickets voted by persons to the number of ninety (90), which tickets illegally contained the names of the said B. F. Bonham and the said James Jenners for the office of Common Councilmen of said Ward, on each of said tickets, when but one person could be legally voted for at the said election on one ticket to fill the office of Common Councilman of said Ward, and did illegally count and return the said tickets as ballots lawfully deposited for the said B. F. Bonham for said office.

That in the Eighth Election Division of the Twentyninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers illegally refused votes which were lawfully offered by qualified voters of said division to the number of ten (10), which said votes so offered and refused were cast for James McElroy for Common Councilman of said Ward, and should be counted and added to the votes cast for said James McElroy for said office.

That in the Eighth Election Division of the Twentyninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers received the votes of person to the number of thirty (30) for the office of Common Councilman of said Ward, which were taken and counted for B. F. Bonham for said office, ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, by reason of non-residence in said division, ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, for the reason that they were aliens, who had not been naturalized, and ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, inasmuch as they had not paid any State or county tax within two years previously thereto, which had been legally assessed.

That in the Eighth Election Division of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers received the tickets voted by persons to the number of eighty (80), which tickets illegally contained the names of the said B. F. Bonham and the said James Jenners for the office of Common Councilmen of said Ward, on each of said tickets, when but one person could be legally voted for at the said election on one ticket to fill the office of Common Councilman of said Ward, and did illegally count and return the said tickets as ballots lawfully deposited for the said B. F. Bonham for said office.

That in the Ninth Election Division of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers illegally refused votes which were lawfully offered by qualified voters of said division to the number of ten (10), which said votes so offered and refused were cast for James McElroy for Common Councilman of said Ward, and should be counted and added to the votes cast for said James McElroy for said office.

That in the Ninth Election Division of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers received the votes of persons to the number of thirty (30) for the office of Common Councilman of said Ward, which were taken and counted for B. F. Bonham for said office, ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, by reason of non-residence in said division, ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, for the reason that they were aliens, who had not been naturalized, and ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, inasmuch as they had not paid any State or county tax within two years previously thereto, which had been legally assessed.

That in the Ninth Election Division of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers received the tickets voted by persons to the number of one hundred and twenty (120), which tickets illegally contained the names of the said B. F. Bonham and the said James Jenners for the office of Common Councilmen of said Ward, on each of said tickets, when but one person could be legally voted for at the said election on

one ticket to fill the office of Common Councilman of said Ward, and did illegally count and return the said tickets as ballots lawfully deposited for the said B. F. Bonham for said office.

That in the Tenth Election Division of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers illegally refused votes which were lawfully offered by qualified voters of said division to the number of two (2), which said votes so offered and refused were cast for James McElroy for Common Councilman of said Ward, and should be counted and added to the votes cast for said James McElroy for said office.

That in the Tenth Election Division of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers received the votes of persons to the number of six (6), for the office of Common Councilman of said Ward, which were taken and counted for B. F. Bonham for said office, two (2) of whom were not qualified electors, by reason of non-residence in said division, two (2) of whom were not qualified electors, for the reason that they were aliens, who had not been naturalized, and two (2) of whom were not qualified electors, inasmuch as they had not paid any State or county tax within two years previously thereto, which had been legally assessed.

That in the Tenth Election Division of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers received the tickets voted by persons to the number of ten (10), which tickets illegally contained the names of the said B. F. Bonham and the said James Jenners for the office of Common Councilmen of said Ward, on each of said tickets, when but one person could be legally voted for at the said election on one ticket to fill the office of Common Councilman of said Ward, and did illegally count and return the said tickets as ballots lawfully deposited for the said B. F. Bonham for said office.

That in the Eleventh Election Division of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers illegally refused votes which were lawfully offered by qualified voters of said division to the number of ten

(10), which said votes so offered and refused were cast for James McElroy for Common Councilman of said Ward, and should be counted and added to the votes cast for said James McElroy for said office.

That in the Eleventh Election Division of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers received the votes of persons to the number of thirty (30) for the office of Common Councilman of said Ward, which were taken and counted for B. F. Bonham for said office, ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, by reason of non-residence in said division, ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, for the reason that they were aliens, who had not been naturalized, and ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, inasmuch as they had not paid any State or county tax within two years previously thereto, which had been legally assessed.

That in the Eleventh Election Division of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers received the tickets voted by persons to the number of one hundred and forty (140) which tickets illegally contained the names of the said B. F. Bonham and the said James Jenners for the office of Common Councilmen of said Ward on each of said tickets, when but one person could be legally voted for at the said election on one ticket to fill the office of Common Councilman of said Ward, and did illegally count and return the said tickets as ballots lawfully deposited for the said B. F. Bonham for said office.

That in the Twelfth Election Division of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers illegally refused votes which were lawfully offered by qualified voters of said division to the number of ten (10), which said votes so offered and refused were cast for James McElroy for Common Councilman of said Ward, and should be counted and added to the votes cast for said James McElroy for said office.

That in the Twelfth Election Division of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers received the votes of persons to the number of thirty (30) for the office of Common Councilman of said

Ward, which were taken and counted for B. F. Bonham for said office, ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, by reason of non-residence in said division, ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, for the reason that they were aliens, who had not been naturalized, and ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, inasmuch as they had not paid any State or county tax within two years previously thereto, which had been legally assessed.

That in the Twelfth Election Division of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers received the tickets voted by persons to the number of sixty (60), which tickets illegally contained the names of the said B. F. Bonham and the said James Jenners for the office of Common Councilmen of said Ward on each of said tickets, when but one person could be legally voted for at the said election on one ticket to fill the office of Common Councilman of said Ward, and did illegally count and return the said tickets as ballots lawfully deposited for the said B. F. Bonham for said office.

That in the Thirteenth Election Division of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers illegally refused votes which were lawfully offered by qualified voters of said division to the number of ten (10), which said votes so offered and refused were cast for James McElroy for Common Councilman of said Ward, and should be counted and added to the votes cast for said James McElroy for said office.

That in the Thirteenth Election Division of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers received the votes of persons to the number of thirty (30) for the office of Common Councilman of said Ward, which were taken and counted for B. F. Bonham for said office, ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, by reason of non-residence in said division, ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, for the reason that they were aliens, who had not been naturalized, and ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, inasmuch as they had not paid any State or county tax within two years previously thereto, which had been legally assessed.

That in the Thirteenth Election Division of the

Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers received the tickets voted by persons to the number of seventy (70), which tickets illegally contained the names of the said B. F. Bonham, and the said James Jenners for the office of Common Councilmen of said Ward, on each of said tickets, when but one person could be legally voted for at the said election on one ticket, to fill the office of Common Councilman of said Ward, and did illegally count and return the said tickets as ballots lawfully deposited for the said B. F. Bonham for said office.

That in the Fourteenth Election Division of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers illegally refused votes which were lawfully offered by qualified voters of said division to the number of ten (10), which said votes so offered and refused were cast for James McElroy for Common Councilman of said Ward, and should be counted and added to the votes cast for said James McElroy for said office.

That in the Fourteenth Election Division of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers received the votes of persons to the number of thirty (30) for the office of Common Councilman of said Ward, which were taken and counted for B. F. Bonham for said office, ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, by reason of non-residence in said division, ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, for the reason that they were aliens, who had not been naturalized, and ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, inasmuch as they had not paid any State or county tax within two years previously thereto, which had been legally assessed.

That in the Fourteenth Election Division of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers received the tickets voted by persons to the number of sixty (60), which tickets illegally contained the names of the said B. F. Bonham, and the said James Jenners for the office of Common Councilmen of said Ward, on each of said tickets, when but one person could be legally voted for at the said election on one ticket to fill the office of Common Councilman of said Ward, and

did illegally count and return the said tickets as ballots lawfully deposited for the said B. F. Bonham for said office.

That in the Fifteenth Election Division of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers illegally refused votes which were lawfully offered by qualified voters of said division to the number of ten (10), which said votes so offered and refused were cast for James McElroy for Common Councilman of said Ward, and should be counted and added to the votes cast for said James McElroy for said office.

That in the Fifteenth Election Division of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers received the votes of persons to the number of thirty (30) for the office of Common Councilman of said Ward, which were taken and counted for B. F. Bonham for said office, ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, by reason of non-residence in said division, ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, for the reason that they were aliens, who had not been naturalized, and ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, inasmuch as they had not paid any State or county tax within two years previously thereto, which had been legally assessed.

That in the Fifteenth Election Division of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers received the tickets voted by persons to the number of seventy (70), which tickets illegally contained the names of the said B. F. Bonham and the said James Jenners for the office of Common Councilmen of said Ward, on each of said tickets, when but one person could be legally voted for at the said election on one ticket to fill the office of Common Councilman of said Ward, and did illegally count and return the said tickets as ballots lawfully deposited for the said B. F. Bonham for said office.

That in the Sixteenth Election Division of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers illegally refused votes which were lawfully offered by qualified voters of said division to the number of ten (10), which said votes so offered and refused were cast for James McElroy for Common Councilman of said Ward,

and should be counted and added to the votes cast for said James McElroy for said office.

That in the Sixteenth Election Division of the Twentieth-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers received the votes of persons to the number of thirty (30) for the office of Common Councilman of said Ward, which were taken and counted for B. F. Bonham for said office, ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, by reason of non-residence in said division, ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, for the reason that they were aliens, who had not been naturalized, and ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, inasmuch as they had not paid any State or county tax within two years previously thereto, which had been legally assessed.

That in the Sixteenth Election Division of the Twentieth-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers received the tickets voted by persons to the number of one hundred and ten (110), which tickets illegally contained the names of the said B. F. Bonham and the said James Jenners for the office of Common Councilmen of said Ward, on each of said tickets, when but one person could be legally voted for at the said election on one ticket to fill the office of Common Councilman of said Ward, and did illegally count and return the said tickets as ballots lawfully deposited for the said B. F. Bonham for said office.

That in the Seventeenth Election Division of the Twentieth-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers illegally refused votes which were lawfully offered by qualified voters of said division to the number of ten (10), which said votes so offered and refused were cast for James McElroy for Common Councilman of said Ward, and should be counted and added to the votes cast for said James McElroy for said office.

That in the Seventeenth Election Division of the Twentieth-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers received the votes of persons to the number of thirty (30) for the office of Common Councilman of said Ward, which were taken and counted for B. F. Bonham for said office, ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, by reason of non-residence in said division, ten (10)

of whom were not qualified electors, for the reason that they were aliens, who had not been naturalized, and ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, inasmuch as they had not paid any State or county tax within two years previously thereto, which had been legally assessed.

That in the Seventeenth Election Division of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers received the tickets voted by persons to the number of seventy (70), which tickets illegally contained the names of the said B. F. Bonham and the said James Jenners for the office of Common Councilmen of said Ward, on each of said tickets, when but one person could be legally voted for at the said election on one ticket to fill the office of Common Councilman of said Ward, and did illegally count and return the said tickets as ballots lawfully deposited for the said B. F. Bonham for said office.

That in the Eighteenth Election Division of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers illegally refused votes which were lawfully offered by qualified voters of said division to the number of ten (10), which said votes so offered and refused were cast for James McElroy for Common Councilman of said Ward, and should be counted and added to the votes cast for said James McElroy for said office.

That in the Eighteenth Election Division of the Twenty ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers received the votes of persons to the number of thirty (30) for the office of Common Councilman of said Ward, which were taken and counted for B. F. Bonham for said office, ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, by reason of non-residence in said division, ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, for the reason that they were aliens, who had not been naturalized, and ten (10) of whom were not qualified electors, inasmuch as they had not paid any State or county tax within two years previously thereto, which had been legally assessed.

That in the Eighteenth Election Division of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, the election officers received the tickets voted by persons to the number of seventy-five (75), which tickets illegally con-

tained the names of the said B. F. Bonham and the said James Jenners for the office of Common Councilmen of said Ward, on each of said tickets, when but one person could be legally voted for at the said election on one ticket to fill the office of Common Councilman of said Ward, and did illegally count and return the said tickets as ballots lawfully deposited for the said B. F. Bonham for said office.

Wherefore, your petitioners showing that at the election aforesaid, the said James McElroy having received the largest number of legal votes, more than were voted for the said B. F. Bonham, or for any other person for the said office, was duly and legally elected as a member of your honorable body from the said Ward, and should have been so returned; they pray that you will fix a day when they may exhibit their proofs in support of the foregoing allegations and charges, and that you will decree and declare that the said James McElroy was duly and legally elected to the said office, and entitled to the seat in your honorable body now claimed by the said B. F. Bonham, under the undue election and false return aforesaid.

And as in duty bound they will ever pray, &c.

Jas. N. Calely, No. 1244 North Eighteenth street.

Charles Worthline, No. 2044 Hubb street.

John B. White, 1829 Stiles street.

John McCauley, 1931 Master street.

William Silence, 2009 Ridge avenue.

William Silence, Jr., 2009 Ridge avenue.

Joseph Barnhurst, 2025 Jefferson street.

Wm. S. Trevor, 2049 Ridge avenue.

Charles Welbank, 2019 Jefferson street.

George Welbank, 2019 Jefferson street.

J. B. Thorn, 1527 North Sixteenth street.

Chas. B. Gaskill, 2053 Ridge avenue.

Henry Schmunk, 2060 Ridge avenue.

John L. McEntee, 1910 Master street.

Joseph B. Plum, 1545 Garnet street.

Charles Cannon, 1755 Thompson street.

W. Wilson, 1440 North Nineteenth street.

CITY OF PHILADELPHIA, }
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA. } ss.:

CHARLES WORTHLINE, JOHN L. McENTEE and J. B. PLUM, being duly *sworn*, according to law, depose, declare and say, that the facts set forth in the foregoing petition and complaint are true.

CHARLES WORTHLINE,
JOHN L. McENTEE,
J. B. PLUM.

Sworn and subscribed before
me, this thirteenth day of
January, A. D. 1875.

[SEAL.] CHAS. JENNINGS,
Alderman.

I hereby certify, that the foregoing named petitioners are duly qualified electors of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia.

Witness my hand and seal, this fourteenth day of
January, A. D. 1875.

[SEAL.]

THOMAS M. LOCKE,
City Commissioner.

APPENDIX No. 11.

To the Common Council
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—The Special Committee appointed to inquire into the right of Edward McDowell of the Ninth Ward, and John D. Caldwell of the Twenty-second Ward, to hold their seats in Common Council, respectfully report that they met pursuant to appointment, in the office of the Clerks of Councils. John D. Caldwell was present, and Edward McDowell was represented by P. T. Ransford, Esq., as his counsel. The Act of Assembly of March 20th, 1872, was read as follows: "That hereafter each Ward of the City of Philadelphia shall have a member of Common Council for each two thousand names on the completed

canvassers' list of the year the election is held for Common Councilmen. John S. Wetter, City Commissioner, presented the assessors' completed list of names for the year 1874, which were as follows: Twenty-second Ward, five thousand two hundred and forty-six names; Ninth Ward, three thousand four hundred and ninety-seven names. To entitle Mr. Caldwell to his seat, the Twenty-second Ward list should contain at least six thousand names, and to entitle Mr. McDowell to his seat, the Ninth Ward list should contain at least four thousand names. Mr. Caldwell, and also Mr. McDowell, by his counsel, Mr. Ransford, informed the Committee that they did not desire to hold the seats if not entitled, and would not have been candidates if they had known that there were no vacancies in their Wards. The Committee are fully aware of the importance of keeping the representation in Councils in conformity with the law, and therefore submit the annexed resolution to declare their seats vacant, and recommend its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, *Ch'n*, FERD. DOEBLEY,
JOHN C. MARTIN, HENRY BUDD,
 WILLIAM McMULLIN.

January 14, 1875.

RESOLUTION

To declare the seats of Edward McDowell, of the Ninth Ward, and John D. Caldwell, of the Twenty-second Ward, vacant.

Resolved by the Common Council of the City of Philadelphia, That the seats of Edward McDowell, a member of Common Council from the Ninth Ward, and John D. Caldwell, a member of Common Council from the Twenty-second Ward, be and the same are hereby declared vacant for the want of a sufficient number of names on the completed assessors' lists of names in said Wards, for the year 1874, to entitle said Wards to said representation.

APPENDIX No. 12.

RESOLUTION

Relative to such legislation as will secure the transfer to the City Treasury all funds raised from tavern and hotel licenses.

Resolved by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is requested to cause to be prepared a proper bill to secure the transfer from the State to the City Treasury all moneys raised in this City by hotel and tavern licenses, and that he transmit the same to the proper officers of the Legislature, with the request for its passage at the earliest day practicable.

APPENDIX No. 13.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the claim of Benjamin F. Dutton for constructing branch sewer, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed resolution, and ask its adoption.

W. ELWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
DANIEL CURRIE,	HENRY McDOWELL,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	CHAS. THOMSON JONES,
P. H. KLOHSE,	SAML. A. MILLER,
FERD DOEBLEY,	W. K. PARK,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	AMOS M. SLACK,
H. MARCUS,	M. S. BONSALE.

January 14, 1875.

RESOLUTION

To authorize the Chief Commissioner of Highways to draw a warrant in favor of Benjamin F. Dutton.

Resolved by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways

be and is hereby authorized and directed to draw a warrant for three hundred and thirty-seven dollars and twenty cents in favor of Benjamin F. Dutton, for constructing a branch sewer on Spring Garden street, between Osprey street and Linville street, as balance due him for said work, the same to be taken from the item of appropriation for the construction of branch sewers.

APPENDIX No. 14.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—We respectfully ask your attention to the fact, that the Court of Common Pleas, No. 1, have been unable to obtain possession of the room now in the occupancy of the Water Department.

This room having been appropriated by your honorable body to the use of the court, should, without further delay, be placed in the possession of the court, that it may speedily be fitted to the use to which by your action it is to be applied.

The exigencies of the business which we are expected to perform, is our reason for asking prompt and decided action in this matter.

JOSEPH ALLISON,
WM. S. PIERCE,
CRAIG BIDDLE.

January 14, 1875.

APPENDIX No. 15.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Police, to whom was referred the annexed Ordinance in reference to granting permission to the Philadelphia Butchers' Ice and Coal Company, to erect a frame ice house at Christian street wharf, Schuylkill, would respectfully report that we have

carefully considered the same, and report it back, and ask its adoption.

JOHN F. GLENN, *Ch'n*,
M. A. DAVIS,
SAML. WILLIAMSON,
DAVID MOUAT,
SAML. R. JAMISON,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,
O. HOWARD WILSON,

JOHN C. MARTIN,
ALEX. RUSSELL,
E. H. HAYHURST,
GILBERT WEIR,
W. K. PARK,
WM. BRADLY,
A. ALBRIGHT.

January 14, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To grant permission to the Philadelphia Butchers' Ice and Coal Company of Philadelphia to construct a frame ice house.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to the Philadelphia Butchers' Ice and Coal Company of Philadelphia, to construct on their wharf property at Christian street wharf, Schuylkill river, a frame ice house, for the use and purposes of said company : *Provided*, That twenty-five dollars be paid to the City Treasurer for publishing this Ordinance.

APPENDIX No. 16.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF PHILADELPHIA, *January 21, 1875.*

To the Common Council
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—The following Ordinances and Joint Resolutions were approved and signed on the 31st ult.

An Ordinance supplemental to an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to reorganize the Department of Highways."

A Further Supplement to an Ordinance organizing the Department for Supplying the City with Water, approved October 3d, 1854.

An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the an-

nual appropriation to the Board of Health for the year 1874.

An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Police and Fire-Alarm Telegraph for the year 1875.

An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Superintendent of the City Railroad for the expenses of the year 1875.

An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of City Controller for the year 1875.

An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay Police Magistrates for the year 1874.

An Ordinance making an appropriation to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park for the expenses of the year 1875.

An Ordinance authorizing the Board of Managers to accept the House of Correction, as finished, in accordance with the contract of R. J. Dobbins; to enter satisfaction on bond of the contractor, R. J. Dobbins and sureties, and to authorize the Mayor to draw his warrant, and City Controller to countersign such warrant, for the money due the contractor, according to the contract.

An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the Department of Markets and City Property for the year 1874, to pay bills for work done in front of the City property, ordered by the Highway and other departments, during the year 1874.

An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the Department of Highways, Bridges and Sewers for the year 1874.

An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Police for the year 1875.

An Ordinance to authorize the City Controller to appoint an additional clerk.

An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay damages caused by the widening of Grape street, between Thirty-sixth and Thirty-seventh streets, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of Philadelphia.

An Ordinance to repeal the proviso in Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance empowering the Mayor to appoint a person to superintend the construction of police tug boats."

An Ordinance to suspend the operations of an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance limiting the time for opening paved streets to lay pipes and sewers," approved December 19th, 1868.

An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Clerks of Councils for the year 1875.

An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Board of Health for the expenses of the year 1875.

An Ordinance to make an appropriation for the expenses of the House of Correction, Employment and Reformation for the year 1875.

An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department for Supplying the City with Water for the year 1875.

An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Markets and City Property for the year 1875.

An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Highways, Bridges and Sewers for the year 1875.

An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Surveys for the year 1875.

An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of City Commissioners for the expenses of the year 1875.

Resolution of instruction to the City Controller.

Resolution to authorize the opening of Carlton street and Snyder avenue.

Resolution to make certain transfers in the items of appropriation to the Department of Highways.

Resolution to authorize the opening of Dickinson street and Keffer street.

Resolution to authorize certain transfers in the appropriation to the Department of Highways.

Resolution to change the place of holding elections in the Twentieth Division of the First Ward.

Resolution to authorize the opening of Richardson street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward.

Resolution of instruction to the Chief Commissioner of Highways, Chief Engineer of the Water Department, Chief Engineer and Surveyor, and Commissioner of Markets and City Property.

Very respectfully,
WM. S. STOKLEY,
Mayor.

APPENDIX No. 17.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—Your Committee on Surveys and Regulations, to whom was referred the resolution to establish the width of the footways, and revise the grades on Germantown avenue, in the Twenty-second Ward, find, after due consideration, and after reference to the Board of Surveyors, that a change from the present contracted width to one required for the public convenience will be of benefit to the City, and justify the expenditure necessary to change the curb, and make the revision of grades attendant thereon. We therefore present the accompanying Ordinance, and recommend its adoption.

WM. THORNTON, *Ch'n*,
JOSEPH H. TATEM,
PETER RITTENHOUSE,
JOHN SILER,
GEO. A. ENO,
JAS. R. GATES,
JOHN FOX,
A. H. MCADAM,

JOS. J. MARTIN,
GEO. E. HALL,
H. N. UHLER, M. D.,
B. F. BONHAM,
W. K. PARK,
HENRY GLASS,
R. H. CLIFFORD,
WM. JAMES.

January 13, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

Instructing the Department of Surveys to establish the width of footways, and revise grade of Germantown avenue, Twenty-second Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Surveys is hereby directed and instructed to prepare plans in duplicate for establishing width of footways, and revising the grade of Germantown avenue, Twenty-second Ward.

APPENDIX No. 18.

Report of the City Controller.

DEPARTMENT OF CITY CONTROLLER,
PHILADELPHIA, *January, 1875.*

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—In conformity with the Act of Assembly, consolidating the City of Philadelphia, and also the act approved April 20th, 1874, I have the honor herewith to present the Twenty-first Annual Report of the receipts and disbursements of the City of Philadelphia for the year 1874.

Total expenditures of the City for the year 1874, was....\$16,148,099 59

From which deduct the following amounts :

Judgments, &c.....	\$122,723 70	
Interest on City Loan.....	3,654,466 58	
Interest on endorsed warrants.....	116,945 07	
Several Sinking Funds.....	681,987 00	
Warrants of previous years.....	2,378,042 72	
Amount paid on loan warrants	3,036,714 21	
For the erection of the Public Buildings....	618,293 76	
	<hr/>	10,609,173 04

Cash paid for the departments for the year 1874.....		\$5,538,926 55
Outstanding warrants for the year 1874....	\$3,920,433 64	
Deduct outstanding warrants for Public Buildings.....	388,515,47	
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Outstanding warrants for the departments for the year 1874.....		3,531,918 17
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Total cost of the departments for the year 1874.....		\$9,070,844 72
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The Funded Debt of the City, for City purposes, January

1st, 1874, was.....\$53,239,416 97

Which has been increased during the year as follows :

For building an Ice Boat.....	\$101,950 00
For building South Street Bridge	481,600 00
For building Girard Avenue Bridge.	232,050 00
For extension of Water Works.....	2,600 00
For School purposes.....	1,000,000 00
For building House of Correction.....	450,000 00
For Park purposes.....	500 00
For Centennial purposes.....	98,400 00
	<hr/> 2,367,100 00

\$55,606.516 97

Less amount redeemed during the year 1874,

334,384 57

Total Funded Debt for City purposes.....

\$55,272,132 40

The following statement shows the total liabilities of the City and the assets, January 1, 1875.

The Funded Debt of the City, January 1st, 1875.....\$55,272,132 40

Classified as follows :

Balance amount due at Consolidation....	\$7,338,132 40
For War purposes.....	11,650,000 00
For Railroad Subscription.....	1,725,000 00
For School purposes.....	3,600,000 00
For Bridges.....	4,500,000 00
For Water Works.....	6,500,000 00
For Park and Centennial	8,300,000 00
For House of Correction.....	950,000 00
For Ice Boats.....	385,000 00
For Station Houses	300,000 00
For Sewers.....	3,250,000 00
For Fire purposes.....	200,000 00
For Municipal purposes.....	6,574,000 00
Guaranteed Debt.....	4,999,400 00
Floating	4,018,931 25
Difference.....	13,333,561 45
	<hr/> \$77,624,025 10 <hr/>

Included in the above Funded Debt are the following amounts which have no estimated assets :

Northwestern Railroads.....	\$750,000 00
Hempfield Railroad.....	600,000 00
Schuylkill River Railroad.....	
Difference on Sunbury and Erie Railroad, as per subscription	1,665,000 00
Girard Avenue, Fairmount, Market, Chestnut, and South Street Bridges.....	4,000,000 00
War Loans.....	11,650,000 00
Sewer, as per loans.....	3,250,000 00
League Island.....	400,000 00

Total amount producing no assets.....\$22,325,000 00

The assets January 1, 1875, at market value :

Pennsylvania, North Pennsylvania, Sunbury, and Erie Railroad Stock.....	\$5,248,697 00
Turnpike, Ground Rents, Mortgages and Bonds.....	186,565 00
Sinking Fund, securities City Loan at market value....	9,047,556 50
Wharves, Landings, Markets and Market Lots.....	3,200,000 00
Buildings and Halls, excluding Independence Hall and Grounds...	3,000,000 00
Parks and Public Squares.....	16,000,000 00
School Houses and Grounds, clear of incumbrance....	4,840,187 00
Water Works, &c., Gas Works and equipments.....	25,000,000 00
Stations and Fire Houses and equipments.....	700,000 00
County Prison, Parade Ground, House of Correction and grounds.....	1,700,000 00
Almshouse and Municipal Hospital and Grounds.....	3,600,000 00
Ice Boats.....	400,000 00
Properties, Twenty-second and Parrish, Sixth and Sansom, Broad and Race, and Morgue.....	675,000 00
City Railroads.....	50,000 00
Outstanding taxes due and collectable..	2,000,000 00
Cash in Treasury, Sinking Fund, and Public Building Treasury...	1,976,019 60
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	\$77,624,025 10
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Taxable valuation of property as furnished by Board of Revision for 1875.

Classified as follows:	Tax Rate.	Product.	Aggregate Tax.
Full,520,594,067	@ \$1 90	\$9,891,287 27	
Sub 33,985,746	@ 1 26 $\frac{2}{3}$	430,486 12	
Farm.... 20,704,155	@ 95	196,689 47	
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			\$10,518,462 86

The maturity of the various loans may be found at the last of the report.

Very respectfully submitted,

SAMUEL P. HANCOCK,

City Controller.

Statement of Receipts of the City Treasurer,

*Showing the Estimated Revenue for 1874, amount from all sources, and
Cash Balance on hand January 1st, 1874.*

	Estimated Revenue.	Revenue col- lected in 1874.	
Cash balance on hand January 1, 1874.....			\$2,176,399 08
Receipts of			
Highways.....	\$60,000 00	\$64,182 62	
City Railroads.....	11,000 00	11,994 61	
Water.....	1,100 00 00	1,222,887 58	
Fines and penalties.....	8,000 00	8,184 03	
Pawnbrokers' licenses.....	5,600 00	5,800 00	
Theatrical.....	600 00	470 00	
Gunpowder.....	50 00	45 00	
Petroleum.....	800 00	790 00	
Inspectors of Prison.....	20,000 00	18,000 00	
Guardians of Poor.....	30,000 00	27,521 76	
Board of Health.....	68,800 00	33,723 91	
Police.....	1,790 00	2,334 01	
State appropriation to schools.....	75,000 00	170,938 37	
Sheriff.....	6,500 00	5,319 03	
City Solicitor.....	46,628 31	157,247 22	
Markets.....	58,500 00	58,198 50	
Wharves and landings.....	58,000 00	58,406 25	
City property.....	17,000 00	14,873 17	
Miscellaneous.....	35,000 00	19,249 10	
City Ice Boats.....	20,000 00	3,978 87	
Fire Commission.....	3,000 00	3,574 07	
Park (Fund).....		18,476 62	
Surveys.....	3,700 00	2,685 00	
Dividend on stocks, &c.....	787,000 00	713,685 47	
Port Wardens.....	2,800 00	2,005 54	
Steam Engines and Boilers.....	8,000 00	8,904 80	
House of Correction.....		4,808 63	
State tax, after settlement.....		34,867 84	
School Fund, Twenty-fourth Section.....		11,113 60	
			2,644,241 73
City Loan, No. 56.....		\$50 00	
" " " 35.....		101,900 00	
" " " 38.....		481,600 00	
" " " 46.....		2,600 00	
" " " 51.....		1,400 00	
" " " 57.....		450,000 00	
" " " 58.....		1,000,000 00	
Centennial loan.....		98,400 00	
			2,135,950 00
Taxes of			
1868.....		\$1,627 23	
" 1869.....		3,786 29	
" 1870.....		10,622 57	
" 1871.....		33,045 43	
" 1872.....		122,877 64	
" 1873.....		1,230,683 75	
" 1874.....		8,845,330 25	
			10,248,03 16
Public Building tax of			
1872.....		\$3,195 96	
" " of 1873.....		63,627 94	
" " of 1874.....		438,869 36	
			507,693 26
Total receipts, including cash bal. Jan. 1, 1874.....			\$17,712,317 23

Statement of Payments by the City Treasurer,

From January 1st to December 31st, 1874, inclusive, showing the amounts appropriated, warrants countersigned, balances merging, warrants outstanding, with balance of Cash on hand January 1st, 1875.

	Amount of Appropriations	Warrants Countersigned	Balances Merging.	Warrants Outstanding	Cash Payments.
Total cash receipts, as per statement, \$15,535,918.15.					
Interest on City Loans.....	\$3,654,466 58	\$3,654,466 58			\$3,654,466 58
Int. on endorsed warrants....	116,945 07	116,945 07			116,945 07
Judgments, executions, &c....	122,723 70	122,723 70			122,723 70
The several Sinking Funds..	682,115 00	682,087 00	\$28 00	\$100 00	681,987 00
<i>Department of</i>					
City Controller.....	33,650 00	33,616 60	33 40	5,380 27	28,236 33
City Commissioners.....	478,898 12	455,953 53	22,944 59	102,345 77	353,507 76
Clerks of Councils.....	66,246 00	65,573 50	672 50	19 457 67	46,115 83
City Ice Boats.....	74,000 00	35,798 96	38 201 04	9,562 83	26,236 13
Markets, &c.....	190 373 04	168 995 77	21,377 27	66,843 78	102,151 99
City Solicitor.....	289,036 47	268,487 41	20 549 06	89,070 87	179,416 54
City Treasurer.....	27,700 00	27,386 62	313 38	8,053 84	19 332 78
Fire Commission.....	556,490 00	535,560 89	920 11	235,993 66	299,567 23
Highways.....	1,534,964 25	1,475,629 47	59 334 78	357 533 35	1,118,96 12
Board of Health.....	344,934 33	337,468 75	7,465 58	137,259 62	200,209 13
Lighting the City.....	565,405 00	538,222 36	7,182 64	225,546 30	332,676 06
Police.....	1,266 602 57	1,199,564 43	67,038 14	566,860 15	632,704 28
Guardians of Poor.....	534,193 57	529,513 26	4,680 31	174,344 00	355 169 26
Inspectors of Prison.....	127,767 03	117,694 55	10,072 48	51,824 32	65,870 23
City Railroads.....	10 350 00	10 215 04	134 96	3,183 57	7,031 47
Schools.....	1,639,811 89	1,607,736 81	32,075 08	747,955 64	859,781 17
Surveys.....	247,736 03	239 238 29	8,437 74	151,252 49	88 045 80
Receiver of Taxes.....	43,600 00	43,600 00		10,299 50	33,300 50
Water.....	691,999 79	690,535 81	573 98	274,139 52	416,386 29
Board of Revision.....	97 525 00	97 525 00		31,658 98	65,866 02
Park Commission.....	200 000 00	199,994 76	5 24	91,826 19	108,168 57
Fire-Alarm Telegraph.....	85,550 00	85,482 25	67 75	25 559 08	59,923 17
Steam Engine and Boilers.....	14,800 00	13,309 17	990 83	5,907 66	7,401 51
Port Wardens.....	2 500 00	2 500 00		1,125 16	1,374 84
Miscellaneous.....	38,521 62	38 521 62			38,521 62
Public Building Com....	1,911,592 26	1,006 809 23	904,783 03	388 515 47	618,293 76
House of Correction.....	309 808 50	241,811 84	67 996 66	147,976 02	93,835 82
School Fund, 24th section.	11,113 60		11,113 60		
	\$15,950,019 42	\$14,663,018 27	\$1,287,001 15	\$3,929,675 71	10,733,342 56
LOANS.					
Dep'ts Schools, 2, 3, 4 & 5....	1,456,843 93	408,641 55	1,048,205 38	3,000 00	405,641 55
Water, 2, 3, 4, 5 & 6.....	1,457,600 36	534 576 27	923,024 09	4,584 72	529,091 55
Park, 3.....	633 0 40	74 376 37	558,674 03	72 87	74,263 50
House of Correction, 87....	218,611 22	217,714 69	896 53	1,584 48	216,180 21
South Street Bridge.....	327 795 94	201,331 54	126,464 40		201,331 54
Fairmount Bridge.....	743 550 54	684,116 20	59,434 34		684 116 20
48 culverts & station houses.	3,809 00	3 809 00			3,809 00
51 Girard Av. Bridge.....	982,811 00	716,217 14	266,593 86		716,217 14
53 Fire purposes.....	84,462 00	68,111 80	16,350 20		68,111 80
55 Centennial purposes.....	500,000 00	69 955 13	430,044 87		69,955 13
56 Building Ice Boat.....	44 855 00	44 087 60	767 40		44 087 60
Park Fund.....	23,259 36	23,023 99	236 37		23,023 99
Outst'g warrants, 1873.....				11,800 14	2,366,734 39
" " 1872.....				6,520 59	9,687 82
" " 1871.....				3,233 42	929 50
" " 1870.....				590 06	606 00
" " 1869 & prior.....				57,869 26	85 21
	\$22,426,631 17	17,708,974 53	\$4,717 676 62	\$4,018 931 25	16,148,099 59
Total cash receipts, as per statement.....				\$15,535,918 15	
Cash balance on hand January 1, 1874.....				2,176,399 08	
Total payments.....					\$17,712,317 23
					16,148,099 59
					\$1,564,217 64
General cash balance, January 1, 1875.....				\$1,470,924 53	
Public Buildings cash balance, January 1, 1875.....				93,293 11	
Sinking Fund cash balance January 1, 1875.....					\$1,564,217 64
					147,905 96
Total cash balance in hands of treasurer.....					\$1,712,123 60

**Receipts, Expenditures and Balances of the several
Sinking Funds.**

NAME OF FUND.	Cash Balance, January 1, 1874.	Received During 1874.	Paid During 1874.	Cash Balance, Jan'y 1, 1875.	Amount of Loan on Hand, January 1, 1875.
<i>Sinking Fund of</i>					
Ten Millions.....		\$236,917 20	\$236,917 20		\$7,947,368 57
North Western Railroad	\$88 12	23,629 00	23,691 25	\$25 87	282,600 00
Certain Obligations.....	2 88	3,063 00	2,999 00	66 88	37,200 00
Road Damages.....	3 80	2,857 00	2,792 78	68 02	33,100 00
Sunbury and Erie R.R....	65 34	36,834 00	36,844 83	54 51	432,400 00
\$1,000,000	23 96	36,144 00	36,096 95	71 01	430,300 00
\$800,000	75 49	28,919 00	26,931 05	63 44	309,400 00
\$700,000	53 39	22,189 50	21,171 59	71 30	246,950 00
\$450,000	09	13,404 00	13,348 23	55 84	144,000 00
\$1,200,000	\$7 36 Dr.	31,422 00	31,360 20	54 44	308,300 00
\$325,000	30 79	9,087 00	9,026 90	90 89	93,500 00
Culvert No. 1.....	36 98	6,576 00	6,639 50	73 48	74,700 00
" No. 2.....	8 06	13,329 00	13,304 40	32 66	73,000 00
Water..... No. 1	55 35	10,430 00	10,471 50	13 85	118,100 00
"..... No. 2	3 78 Dr.	19,917 00	20,191 60	278 38 Dr.	148,200 00
Road Damages & Bridges	5 02	3,220 00	3,192 15	32 87	29,200 00
Defence..... No. 1	1,407 98	36,824 00	38,183 55	48 43	353,500 00
"..... No. 2	11 89 Dr.	16,425 00	16,378 40	34 71	186,400 00
"..... No. 3	23 44 Dr.	26,123 00	26,090 80	8 76	248,000 00
"..... No. 4	62 69	12,243 00	12,279 05	26 64	93,800 00
School..... No. 1	2 13 Dr.	3,156 00	3,108 75	45 12	35,000 00
"..... No. 2	64 74	20,632 00	20,600 00	96 74	158,800 00
"..... No. 3	9 89	7,377 00	7,374 75	12 14	29,100 00
Chestnut St. Bridge No. 1	46 18	5,799 50	5,779 05	66 63	61,400 00
"..... No. 2	30 Dr.	1,963 50	1,956 13	7 07	13,900 00
Municipal.....	11 97	51,857 00	51,800 54	68 43	332,300 00
Bonny..... No. 1	9 90	16,034 00	15,945 25	98 63	153,600 00
"..... No. 2	7 97	91,437 00	91,387 38	57 59	940,350 00
"..... No. 3	4 13	71,970 00	71,913 33	60 80	568,700 00
Park..... No. 1	89 57	67,032 00	67,102 67	18 90	381,500 00
"..... No. 2	26 50	32,217 00	32,193 33	50 17	147,000 00
"..... No. 3	87 87	24,824 00	24,809 40	12 47	68,800 00
Loan..... No. 33	46 86	18,954 00	16,766 33	2,234 53	131,950 00
"..... No. 34	52 67	32,598 00	27,187 50	5,463 17	209,400 00
"..... No. 35	55 85	32,938 75	23,645 83	9,348 77	146,100 00
"..... No. 37	76 64	15,456 00	12,447 40	3,008 24	69,500 00
"..... No. 38	2 14 Dr.	34,379 50	25,390 95	8,986 41	72,200 00
"..... No. 44	53	10,782 00	10,685 67	96 86	48,500 00
"..... No. 45	42 30	7,248 00	5,746 00	1,544 30	25,300 00
"..... No. 46	20 40	30,496 00	24,059 20	6,457 20	100,700 00
"..... No. 48	11 11 Dr.	6,129 00	4,758 90	1,358 99	20,900 00
"..... No. 49	77 75	2,850 00	2,893 15	34 60	9,900 00
"..... No. 50	43 37	13,341 00	10,383 75	3,000 62	30,600 00
"..... No. 51	1,069 99	28,930 00	23,541 67	6,458 32	75,400 00
"..... No. 53	7 75	2,661 00	2,068 55	600 20	6,000 00
"..... No. 54	24 63	14,218 00	11,291 75	2,950 88	29,200 00
"..... No. 55	10 00	10,137 50	4,714 00	5,433 50	7,600 00
"..... No. 56	4 50 Dr.	2,906 50	2,147 25	754 75	5,500 00
Gas..... No. 1	11 85	28,595 00	28,513 65	93 10	343,900 00
"..... No. 2	56 61	23,395 00	23,428 00	23 61	240,600 00
"..... No. 3	37 56	20,356 00	20,358 57	34 99	187,500 00
"..... No. 4	68 61	30,782 00	30,854 00	3 39 Dr.	202,100 00
"..... No. 5	42 15	25,850 00	25,839 30	52 85	116,200 00
"..... No. 6	31 50	23,666 00	23,651 33	46 17	78,200 00
"..... No. 7	68 38	9,969 00	10,001 94	35 44	19,000 00
Loan..... No. 57		9,903 50	8,472 60	1,430 90	8,400 00
"..... No. 58		31,823 12	28,538 87	3,284 25	27,400 00
Commissioners Sinking Fund	86,237 92			83,884 67	100 00
Balance in hands of Treas- urer (Scrip \$5-not in- cluded.)				\$147,900 96	
Balance of securities on hand at par					\$16,747,213 57

Detail of Receipts of the different Departments, 1874.

City Solicitor.

Claims from Water Department.....	\$31,120 07	
" " Health " 	2,640 81	
" " Highway " 	16,931 99	
Interest.....	2,458 11	
Costs.....	763 64	
Passenger railroad tax, 1873.....	23,648 24	
Interest on deposits.....	45 61	
Claims.....	210 00	
Stolen checks, J. M. Melloy.....	57 73	
City v. Furey.....	1,991 14	
Assignees, Chas. T. Yerkes, Jr.....	77,369 98	
	<hr/>	\$157,247 32

Highway.

Sewer repaving.....	\$180 00	
Sewer rents.....	24,931 10	
Sewer assessments.....	2,404 79	
Dray, cart, &c., license.....	2,586 50	
Building permits.....	708 75	
Vault permits.....	860 00	
Hackney coaches license.....	650 00	
Miscellaneous.....	1,679 23	
Passenger railroad license.....	30,162 50	
Railroad turnouts.....	20 00	
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Health.

Fees on vessels.....	\$9,020 00	
Coasting vessels.....	400 00	
Examination of passengers.....	5,439 00	
Channel fee.....	2,225 00	
Repayment of costs.....	11,786 64	
Board of patients at hospital....	87 37	
License to clean privies.....	2,850 00	
Removing dead bodies.....	743 00	
Permits cleaning wells.....	6,033 00	
Permits unloading fish and hides.	92 00	
Miscellaneous.....	57 90	
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Less amount retained per Act of Assembly.	5,010 00	
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City Railroads.

For tolls, &c.....	11,904 61
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County Prison.

Goods manufactured.....	18,000 00
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Receiver of Taxes.

Taxes assessed for 1874.	\$8,287,218 52
Discount allowed.....	493,469 70

Receipts to September

1, 1874.....	\$7,793,748 82
From September 2, to December 30, 1874.....	\$1,030,764 51
Penalty added.....	20,816 92

Receipts from September 2d to December 30, 1874.....

1,051,581 43

Net receipts for 1874.....	\$8,845,330 25
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<i>Public Building Tax.</i>	\$438,863 36
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Outstanding Taxes.

Taxes of 1874, Henry Bumm.....	\$774,754 29
Taxes of 1874, Thos. J. Smith.....	455,929 16
	<hr/> 1,230,683 45

Public Building tax, H. Bumm.....	\$39,802 97
Public Building tax, T. J. Smith.....	23,824 97
	<hr/> 63,627 94

Taxes of 1872, Henry Bumm.....	\$106,996 38
Taxes of 1872, R. H. Beatty.....	15,881 26
	<hr/> 122,877 64

Public Building tax, H. Bumm.....	\$5,048 91
Public Building tax, R. H. Beatty....	147 05
	<hr/> 5,195 96

Taxes of 1871, Henry Bumm.....	\$32,728 08
Taxes of 1871, Edw. Helferty.....	97 62
Taxes of 1871, Jacob Cramp.....	2 00
Taxes of 1871, Samuel Scheide.....	1 00
Taxes of 1871, H. L. Smith.....	145 60
Taxes of 1871, F. Greiner.....	71 13
	<hr/> 33,045 43

Taxes of 1870, H. Bumm.....	10,682 57
Taxes of 1869, H. Bumm.....	3,786 29
Taxes of 1868, H. Bumm.....	1,627 23

Sheriff.

Wm. Elliott, jury fee, Quarter Sessions...	\$769 66
Wm. Elliott, fine, Quarter Sessions...	3,218 00
Wm. Elliott, jury fee, District Court.	1,282 00
Wm. Elliott, jury fee, Supreme Court.	20 00
Wm. R. Leeds, fine, Robt. Collins....	30 00
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of the Common Council.

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Water Department.

Rents of 1874.....	\$906,360 00	
Penalties	17,917 72	
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Delinquent rents.....	\$31,163 00	
Penalties	4,497 84	
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Rents of 1873.....	\$3,129 50	
Penalties	465 22	
	<hr/>	3,594 72
Fractional rents.....		58,683 31
Water pipe.....		202,490 14
Wm. H. McFadden.....		6,994 58
	<hr/>	\$1,231,701 51

Guardians of the Poor.

Support cases.....	\$19,194 68	
House receipts.....	8,011 08	
Emigrant tax.....	316 00	
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Markets.

Rents.....	58,198 50
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Wharves.

Rents.....	58,406 25
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City Property.

City rentals.....	\$6,032 88	
Ground rents.....	3,943 34	
Interest.....	4,469 45	
Insurance policy.....	427 50	
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Survey.

Sewer permits.....	\$2,660 25	
Miscellaneous.....	24 75	
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Fire Department.

J. Laudenslager.....	3,574 07
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Port Wardens.

Samuel J. Christian.....	2,005 54
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Ice Boat.

E. T. Halliwell.....	\$3,978 87
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Fines, Penalties and Costs.

Ald. T. Dallas.....	\$423 00
“ S. Lutz.....	299 00
“ C. M. Carpenter.....	878 80
“ C. Guyger.....	376 00
“ R. R. Smith.....	306 00
“ W. P. Hibberd.....	821 00
“ W. J. Toland.....	243 00
“ J. R. Massey.....	494 00
“ J. W. Hagey.....	460 00
“ J. I. Allison.....	182 00
“ J. F. Sinquet.....	35 00
“ W. J. Murphy.....	84 00
“ G. W. Johnson.....	222 00
“ J. Bonsall.....	254 00
“ C. Pancoast.....	260 00
“ J. McClintock.....	353 00
“ A. J. Boswell.....	288 50
“ T. Randall.....	334 00
“ J. B. Buck.....	158 50
“ C. Jennings.....	140 50
“ C. Hitchcock.....	168 55
“ W. J. Donaldson.....	283 00
“ L. V. Sutphin.....	89 00
“ G. Moore.....	105 00
“ J. T. Johnson.....	59 00
“ Wm. Neill.....	867 18
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	8,184 05

Police Department.

Pawnbrokers' license.....	\$5,800 00
Petroleum “.....	790 00
Gunpowder “.....	45 00
Theatrical “.....	470 00
Redemption of dogs and strays.....	2,336 01
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	9,441 01

Park Commission.

Ald. Murphy.....	\$30 00
“ Clarke.....	200 00
R. H. Robbins, Sect'y.....	18,246 62
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Steam Engine and Boiler Department.

Inspection of boilers, &c.....	8,908 30
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House of Correction.

A. H. Franciscus.....	\$4,868 63
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Miscellaneous.

Trustees Gas Works.....	\$3,750 00
West Chester R. R.....	2,500 00
Chas. A. Porter.....	1,204 97
Interest returned.....	3,669 45
J. H. Pugh.....	82 50
J. B. Nelson.....	25 00
H. W. Halliwell.....	143 50
Kelly & Sons.....	25 00
C. C. Carman.....	25 00
H. B. Leskie.....	25 00
J. McCormick.....	25 00
W. Rittenhouse.....	10 00
Field & Todd.....	25 00
F. Taylor.....	25 00
J. King.....	10 00
Clough & Carson.....	25 00
Smith & Bradley.....	25 00
Harrison, Havemyer & Co.....	25 00
American Dist. Telgr. Co.....	50 00
F. & M. Nat. Bank, corrections.....	270 15
W. L. Elkins.....	25 00
W. J. Phillips.....	116 50
Bennett & Co.....	25 00
M. Sheldrake.....	25 00
Unknown persons.....	17 45
J. Maxwell.....	25 00
W. Kirk.....	10 00
Lombard & South P. R. R. Co.....	25 00
Peoples P. R. R. Co.....	25 00
A. J. Simpson.....	20 00
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	12,254 52

Department of Police.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriat'd	Amount Counters'd.	Balances Merging.
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Police for the year 1874, approved Dec. 30, 1873.....	\$1,226,509 55		
<i>Items.</i>			
1. For salary of Mayor.....	\$5,000 00	\$5,000 00	
2. For salaries of two clerks, at \$1,500 each, one assistant clerk, at \$1,200, and one clerk for Central Office, at \$1,200, one clerk to the Chief of Police, at \$1,000, in all, \$6,400.....	6,400 00	6,400 00	
3. For salary of messenger.....	912 50	912 50	
4. For salary of Chief of Police.....	2,500 00	2,500 00	
5. For salary of Fire Marshal.....	2,000 00	2,000 00	
6. For expenses of Fire Marshal in procuring evidence concerning, and in the investigation of fires that are alleged to be incendiary, or arising from other than natural causes.....	500 00	20 00	\$480 00
7. For salaries of four captains of police, at \$1,500 each.....	6,000 00	6,000 00	
8. For salaries of eight detectives, at \$1,200 each.....	9,600 00	9,600 00	
9. For salaries of twenty-seven lieutenants, at \$1,150 each.....	31,050 00	30,989 61	60 39
10. For salaries of fifty-one sergeants, at \$1,082.40 each.....	55,202 40	54,807 67	394 73
11. For salaries of one thousand policemen, at \$2.50 per day each.....	912,500 00		
Transfer to Item 20, per resolution, December 5, 1874.....	1,000 00		
12. For the uniforms of one thousand policemen, at \$40 each.....	\$40,000 00		
Transfer to Item 20, per resolution, December 5, 1874.....	1,000 00		
13. For repairs to station houses, rooms and cells, and for furniture and boats, and repairs to the same, and for the fitting up and furniture for new station houses, also gas for station houses.....	\$25,000 00		
Transfer from Item 15, resolution December 5, 1874.....	300 00		
Transfer from Item 34, resolution December 5, 1874.....	900 00		
14. For cleansing station houses, rooms and cells...	26,200 00	25,637 20	562 80
15. For conveyance of prisoners by van.....	7,500 00	7,107 60	392 40
Transfer to Item 13, resolution December 5, 1874.....	\$300 00		
Transfer to Item 23, resolution December 5, 1874.....	500 00		
	800 00		
	4,200 00	3,784 39	415 61

Department of Police—Continued.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.		Amount Appropriat'd	Amount Counters'd.	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>				
16. For meals and medical attendance.....		\$4,000 00	\$3,336 04	\$663 96
17. For bedding.....	\$3,000 00			
Transfer to Item 22, resolution De-				
cember 5, 1874.....	1,000 00	2,000 00	1,524 95	475 05
18. For badges, rattles, buttons, maces,				
and belts for officers, also for				
lanterns.....	\$3,500 00			
Transfer to Item 23, resolution De-				
cember 5, 1874.....	1,500 00	2,000 00	2,000 00	
19. For stoves and heaters and repairs to the same.		1,500 00	1,500 00	
20. For fuel.....	\$6,000 00			
Transfer from Item 11, resolution,				
December 5, 1874.....	1,000 00			
Transfer from Item 12, resolution				
December 5, 1874.....	1,000 00	8,000 00	7,427 59	572 41
21. For incidental expenses.....		2,500 00	2,305 84	194 16
22. For stationery and printing.....	\$2,500 00			
Transfer from Item 17, resolution				
December 5, 1874.....	1,000 00	3,500 00	3,500 00	
23. For arrest and conviction of offend-				
ers, and for foreign telegraph				
expenses in procuring evidence				
in the investigation of alleged				
violations of law, and for the				
pursuit of criminals who have				
escaped beyond the limits of the				
Police Districts of the City.....	\$2,000 00			
Transfer from Item 15, resolution				
December 5, 1874.....	500 00			
Transfer from Item 18, resolution				
December 5, 1874.....	1,500 00	4,000 00	4,000 00	
24. For the extrication and exhumation of any per-				
son, or the remains of any person buried in				
the ruins of buildings accidentally destroyed.		300 00		300 00
25. For taking up dogs and killing the same.....		3,000 00	3,000 00	
26. For ice to station houses and Cen-				
tral Office.....	\$700 00			
Transfer from Item 27, resolution				
December 5, 1874.....	80 00	780 00	681 17	98 83
27. For rent of station houses, Schuyl-				
kill Harbor, Elev'th and Twenty-				
third Districts, and at Roxbor-				
ough, and at Holmesburg, and				
lockup in the Twenty-first and				
Twenty-second Districts, and at				
Hestonville.....	\$2,137 00			
Transfer to Item 26, resolu-				
tion December 5, 1874.....	\$80 00			
Transfer to Item 23, resolu-				
tion December 5, 1874.....	200 00			
	280 00	1,857 00	1,631 66	225 34

Department of Police—Continued.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.		Amount Appropriat'd	Amount Counters'd.	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>				
28. For advertising.....	\$1,000 00			
Transfer from Item 27, resolution December 5, 1874.....	200 00			
		\$1,200 00	\$1,170 61	\$29 39
29 Salaries of three coal inspectors, at \$1,600 each.		4,800 00	4,800 00	
30. For names of streets on gas lamps.....		200 00		200 00
31. For salary of Loan and Transfer Agent.....		6,000 00	6,000 00	
32. For printing certificates of loan, and for new plates		2,725 00	2,701 10	23 90
33. For new plate and printing certificates during the year 1873..		1,932 65	1,932 65	
34. For steam heater for building southwest corner Fifth and Chestnut streets.	\$3,900 00			
Transfer to Item 13, resolution De- cember 5, 1874	900 00			
		3,000 00	2,990 00	10 00
35. For building and equipping two tug boats, one for Delaware, and one for Schnylkill river.	\$65,000 00			
Transfer to Item 37, per Ordinance October 26, 1874.....	2,250 00			
		62,750 00	27,612 11	35,137 89
36. For building a new van.....		650 00	650 00	
37. An Ordinance providing for the appointment of certain officers for the Police Tug Boats. Transfer from Item 35, per Ordinance October 26, 1874.....		2,250 00	894 27	1,355 73
Total.....		\$1,226,509 55	\$1,184,066 53	\$42,443 02
SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.				
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay the Committing Magistrate for the Central Police Station, approved Oct. 8, 1874.....		\$1,250 00	\$1,250 00	
An Ordinance to make an appropriation in aid of the Pyrotechnic display for the evening of July 4, 1874, approved July 3, 1874.....		1,000 00	1,000 00	
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay for advertising the Ordinances of the City, approved July 2, 1874.....		25,000 00	8,014 60	\$16,985 40
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay Police Magistrates for the year 1874, approved Dec. 31, 1874.....		4,298 55	4,298 55	
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay Henry B. Leskie for extra foundations and dig- ging at the Third District Station House, ap- proved Jan. 17, 1874		384 00	384 00	

Department of Police—Continued.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriat'd	Amount Counters'd.	Balances Merging.
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay the salary of the architect of the Third Police District Station House, approved Feb. 6, 1874.....	\$500 00	\$500 00	
An Ordinance to approve the award of the contract for the erection of a police station house in the Third District, and to make an appropriation therefor, approved June 21, 1873. Balance Jan. 1, 1874, to be taken from loan 48.....	3,809 00	3,809 00	
An Ordinance to make an appropriation for the building of a House of Correction, to be reimbursed out of a loan to be hereafter created, approved Sept. 28, 1870. Balance Jan. 1, 1874.....	\$224,836 22		
Transfer to Department of House of Correction, per Ordinances of December 28, 1872, and December 29, 1873. Loan 57.....	20,000 00		
	204,836 22	204,836 22	
An Ordinance to make an appropriation in aid of the Centennial Anniversary of American Independence, approved Feb. 22, 1873. Loan 55.....	500,000 00	69,955 13	\$430,044 87
An Ordinance to provide for the first meeting and organization of the United States Centennial Commission, and to make an appropriation therefor, approved Feb. 28, 1872. Balance Jan. 1, 1874.....	7,660 47	50 75	7,609 72
RECAPITULATION.			
General appropriation, approved Dec. 30, 1873.....	\$1,226,509 55	\$1,184,066 53	\$42,443 02
Special Appropriations,			
Approved Oct. 8, 1874.....	1,250 00	1,250 00	
“ July 3, 1874.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	
“ July 2, 1874.....	25,000 00	8,014 60	16,985 40
“ Dec. 31, 1874.....	4,298 55	4,298 55	
“ Jan. 17, 1874.....	384 00	384 00	
“ Feb. 6, 1874.....	500 00	500 00	
“ June 21, 1873. Loan 48.....	3,809 00	3,809 00	
Grand total.....	\$1,262,751 10	\$1,203,822 68	\$59,428 42
Building House of Correction.			
Appropriation, approved Sept. 28, 1870. Loan 57...	\$204,836 22	\$204,836 22	
Expenses of Centennial Commission.			
Appropriation, approved Feb. 22, 1873. Loan 55..	500,000 00	\$69,955 13	\$430,044 87
“ “ Feb. 28, 1872.....	7,660 47	50 75	7,609 72
Total.....	\$507,660 47	\$70,005 88	\$437,654 59

Department of County Prison.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriat'd	Amount Counters'd.	Balances Merging.
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Inspectors of the County Prison for the year 1874, approved Dec. 31, 1873.....	\$127,767 03		
<i>Items.</i>			
1. For wheat, rye and corn flour.....	\$15,600 00		
Transfer to Items 5, 9, 11, 15, 19, and 22, per resolution approved Dec- ember 12, 1874.....	1,000 00		
	\$14,600 00	\$14,304 85	\$295 15
2. For beef, mutton and pork.....	\$15,200 00		
Transfer to Items 5, 9, 11, 15, 19, and 22, per resolution approved December 12, 1874.....	1,200 00		
	14,000 00	12,326 84	1,673 16
3. For sugar, molasses, coffee, tea and other pro- visions	8,749 00	8,716 99	32 01
4. For oil and soap.....	1,249 50	1,248 97	53
5. For potatoes and vegetables.....	\$1,800 00		
Transfer from Items 1, 2 and 23, per resolution approved December 12, 1874.....	200 00		
	2,000 00	1,889 50	110 50
6. For drugs and medicines	1,000 00	826 28	173 72
7. For hay, feed and straw.....	400 00	355 69	44 31
8. For railroad tickets.....	400 00	400 00	
9. For stationery and printing.....	\$1,200 00		
Transfer from Items 1, 2 and 23, per resolution approved December 12, 1874	1,000 00		
	2,200 00	2,184 08	15 92
10. For brushes, brooms and combs.....	400 00	398 70	1 30
11. For milk and ice.....	\$550 00		
Transfer from Items 1, 2 and 23, per resolution approved December 12, 1874.....	200 00		
	750 00	737 57	12 43
12. For hops, malt, lime and buckets.....	400 00	192 62	207 38
13. For discharge of prisoners in accordance with law.....	500 00	423 00	77 00
14. For hospital.....	700 00	622 38	77 62
15. For furniture, shoeing horses, seeds and miscellaneous expenses.....	\$1,500 00		
Transfer from Items 1, 2 and 23, per resolution approved December 12, 1874	400 00		
	1,900 00	1,655 15	244 85
16. For fuel.....	5,925 00	5,924 75	25
17. For clothing and bedding	8,235 00	7,538 35	696 65

Department of County Prison—Continued.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriat'd	Amount Counters'd.	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>			
18. For lumber, brass cocks, tin, paint, glass, iron, hardware, and repairs generally	\$5,000 00	\$4,965 32	\$34 68
19. For gas..... \$1,600 00			
Transfer from Items 1, 2 and 23, per resolution approved December 12, 1874..... 400 00	2,000 00	1,574 81	425 19
20. For salaries of superintendent, two deputy superintendents, clerk, physician, apothecary, superintendent of shoe department, ten gatekeepers, plumber and gatekeeper, baker, cook, five night watchmen, two day watchmen, messenger, matron and assistant matron, prison agent, and keeper of female prison.....	31,900 00	31,900 00	
21. For cotton yarn.....	500 00	399 50	100 50
22. For overwork of prisoners..... \$500 00			
Transfer from Items 1, 2 and 23, per resolution approved December 12, 1874..... 200 00	700 00	634 62	65 38
23. For leather..... \$22,000 00			
Transfer to Items 5, 9, 11, 15, 19 and 22, per resolution approved De- cember 12, 1874..... 200 00	21,800 00	16,115 56	5,684 44
24. For shoe-findings, lumber for boxes and broken glass.....	800 00	796 99	3 01
25. For repairing looms	100 00	3 50	96 50
26 For paving, grading and curbing on Reed street, between Tenth and Eleventh streets...	1,558 53	1,558 53	
Total.....	\$127,767 03	\$117 694 51	\$10,072 48

Department of Water.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriat'd	Amount Counters'd.	Balances Merging.
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department for Supplying the City with Water for the year 1874.			
Approved Dec. 31, 1873.....	\$614,650 00		
Additional, approved Nov. 2d, 1874.....	73,500 00		
	<u>\$688,150 00</u>		
<i>Items.</i>			
1. Salaries of Chief Engineer, three assistants to the chief engineer, general superintendent of work, assistant clerk to engineer's clerk, and superintendent of City Repair Shop.....	\$15,800 00	\$15,800 00	
2. Salary of registrar.....	2,500 00	2,500 00	
3. Salary of chief clerk.....	1,500 00	1,500 00	
4. Salary of receiving clerk.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	
5. Salaries of two permit clerks.....	2,400 00	2,400 00	
6. Salaries of six general clerks.....	6,000 00	6,000 00	
7. Salaries of fourteen inspectors.....	14,000 00	14,000 00	
8. Salaries of six purveyors and one messenger...	8,050 00	8,050 00	
9. Salary of chief engineer's clerk.....	2,000 00	2,000 00	
10. Salaries of two engineers at the Fairmount Works.....	2,000 00	2,000 00	
11. Salaries of seven assistant engineers at Fairmount Works.....	\$3,250 00		
Transfer from Item 44, for salaries of two additional assistant engineers, resolution approved May 1, 1874.....	1,250 00		
	<u>6,500 00</u>	6,500 00	
12. Salary of watchman at Fairmount Works.....	750 00	750 00	
13. Salaries of two engineers at Delaware Works.	2,000 00	2,000 00	
14. Salaries of seven firemen at Delaware Works.....	\$5,250 00		
Transfer from Item 44, for salaries of three additional firemen, resolution approved May 1, 1874.	1,875 00		
	<u>7,125 00</u>	7,125 00	
15. Salaries of two watchmen at Delaware Works.	1,500 00	1,500 00	
16. Salaries of two engineers at Schuylkill Works (with houses.).....	1,800 00	1,800 00	
17. Salaries of two assistant engineers at Schuylkill Works.....	1,500 00	1,500 00	
18. Salaries of twelve firemen at Schuylkill Works.....	9,000 00	9,000 00	
19. Salary of watchman at Schuylkill Works.....	750 00	750 00	

Department of Water—Continued.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriat'd	Amount Counters'd.	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>			
20. Salaries of two engineers and four firemen at Belmont Works..... \$5,000 00 Transfer from Item 44, for salaries of six additional firemen, resolution approved May 1, 1874..... 3,750 00	\$5,750 00 1,500 00	\$5,750 00 1,500 00	
21. Salaries of two watchmen at Belmont Works.	1,500 00	1,500 00	
22. Salaries of two engineers and four firemen at Roxborough Works.....	5,000 00	5,000 00	
23. Salary of engineer of auxiliary engine at Roxborough reservoir.....	850 00	850 00	
24. For books, stationery, advertising, printing and posting..... \$4,000 00 Additional, approved Nov. 2, 1874.. 2,000 00	6,000 00	5,999 68	\$ 32
25. Fuel for offices, ground rents, cleansing, incidentals, &c..... \$1,500 00 Additional, approved Nov. 2, 1874.. 700 00	2,200 00	2,199 66	34
26. For coal and wood at Fairmount Works..... \$1,000 00 Transfer from Item 28, resolution approved Nov. 27, 1874..... 700 00	1,700 00 10,000 00	1,698 75 10,000 00	125
27. For coal and wood at Delaware Works	10,000 00	10,000 00	
28. For coal and wood at Schuylkill Works..... \$15,000 00 Transfer to Item 26..... \$700 00 Transfer to Item 29..... 7,300 00 Resolution app'd Nov. 27, 1874. 8,000 00	7,000 00	6,999 25	75
29. For coal and wood at Belmont Works..... \$20,000 00 Transfer from Item 28, resolution approved Nov. 27, 1874..... 7,300 00	27,300 00 13,000 00	27,260 36 12,968 13	39 64 31 87
30. For coal and wood at Roxborough Works.....	13,000 00	12,968 13	
31. For tallow, oil and gas at Fairmount Works....	2,000 00	1,998 36	1 64
32. For tallow, oil and gas at Delaware Works....	750 00	749 87	13
33. For tallow, oil and gas at Schuylkill Works..	2,000 00	1,999 48	52
34. For tallow, oil, &c., at Belmont Works.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	
35. For tallow and oil at Roxborough Works.....	500 00	499 94	06
36. For small stores, tools, red and white lead, gum, hemp, &c.....	3,000 00	2,999 35	65
37. For repairs at Fairmount Works..... \$3,000 00 Additional, approved Nov. 2, 1874. 500 00	3,500 00	3,495 76	4 24
38. For repairs at Delaware Works..... \$2,000 00 Additional, approved Nov. 2, 1874. 1,500 00	3,500 00	3,499 76	24
39. For repairs at Schuylkill Works... \$4,000 00 Additional, approved Nov. 2, 1874. 1,000 00	5,000 00	4,997 64	2 36

Department of Water—Continued.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.		Amount Appropriat'd	Amount Counters'd.	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>				
40. For repairs at Belmont Works.....	\$2,000 00			
Additional, approved Nov. 2, 1874..	1,500 00			
		\$3,500 00	\$3,491 56	\$8 44
41. For repairs at Roxborough Works.	\$2,000 00			
Additional, approved Nov. 2, 1874.	500 00	2,500 00	2,499 75	25
42. For keeping pipes, plugs, stops and fixtures in good order.....	\$32,000 00			
Additional, approved Nov. 2, 1874..	12,000 00	44,000 00	43,998 33	1 67
43. For keeping buildings, grounds and reservoirs in good order...	\$58,650 00			
Additional, approved Nov. 2, 1874...	20,500 00	79,450 00	79,449 97	03
44. For the purchase of iron pipes, fire plugs, stop cocks, lead, brass and iron castings, and other fix- tures and materials connected with the laying of pipes, setting and fitting of plugs, stops, &c. \$223,000 00				
To transfer to Items 11, 14 and 20, resolution approved May 1, 1874	6,875 00			
	\$218,125 00			
Additional, approved Nov. 2, 1874.	10,000 00	228,125 00	228,125 00	
45. For labor in laying pipes, setting and fitting fire plugs, stop cocks, &c.	\$100,000 00			
Additional, approved Nov. 2, 1874..	20,000 00	120,000 00	119,999 16	84
46. For drilling and making new at- tachments.....	\$10,000 00			
Additional, approved Nov. 2, 1874..	3,000 00	13,000 00	12,999 45	55
47. For carriage hire and keep of horses for use of Chief Engineer.....		650 00	649 50	50
48. For the care and maintenance of Chestnut Hill Water Works.....		5,000 00	4,953 18	46 82
49. For expenses of public fountains of the Phila- delphia Fountain Society.....		1,000 00	1,000 00	
Total		\$688,150 00	\$688,006 89	\$143 11
SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.				
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the de- partment for the purpose of assisting to keep up the supply of water.				
Approved June 20, 1870.				
Balance from books of 1873.....		\$269 46	\$267 82	\$1 64

Department of Water—Continued.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriat'd	Amount Counterst'd.	Balances Merging.
An Ordinance making an appropriation to refund certain twice paid and overpaid water rents and pipe laying bills. Approved June 12, 1871. Balance from books of 1873.....	\$89 25	\$45 00	\$44 25
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the department for the purpose of making surveys for an additional supply of water to Frankford, in the Twenty-third Ward. Approved October 23, 1871. Balance from books of 1873.....	113 70	73 62	40 08
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to refund certain twice paid and overpaid water rents and pipe laying bills. Approved June 24, 1873. Balance from books of 1873.....	28 50	10 00	18 50
An Ordinance to make, an appropriation to the department for the purpose of dredging at foot of Otis street, Delaware river. Approved November 4, 1873. Balance from books of 1873.....	511 85	269 75	242 10
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the department to pay the salary of a draughtsman for the year 1874. Approved February 20, 1874.....	1,500 00	1,500 00	
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the department for the purpose of refunding certain twice paid and overpaid water rents and pipe laying bills. Approved September 18, 1874.....	437 03	352 73	\$4 30
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the department for the purpose of making and sinking a crib in front of Fairmount dam, and placing an oak apron upon it, to be taken from a loan hereafter created. Loan created May 5, 1865. Approved April 17, 1865. Balance from books of 1873	643 98	.....	643 98
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the department for the purpose of purchasing and laying mains for the distribution of water to Manayunk and Germantown, for an ascending main for the Schuylkill Works, and for an ascending and descending main for the Twenty-fourth Ward Works, to be reimbursed out of a loan hereafter to be created. Loan created December 26, 1868. Approved April 3, 1868. Balance from books of 1873.....	\$1,042 10		
<i>Items.</i>			
1. For purchasing and laying a sixteen inch, twelve inch and ten inch main for Manayunk.....	\$390 66	.....	390 66

Department of Water—Continued.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.			
Item.	Amount Appropriated	Amount Counters'd.	Balances Merging.
2. For purchasing and laying a twenty inch main to connect the Roxborough Water Works with the Germantown Water Works.....	\$171 90	\$ 170 97	\$ 93
3. For purchasing and laying a thirty-six inch ascending main from the Schuylkill Works to the Spring Garden reservoir.....	112 64	.....	112 64
4. For purchasing and laying a thirty inch ascending and a twenty inch descending main for the Twenty-fourth Ward Water Works.....	366 90	31 50	335 40
Total.....	\$1,042 10	\$202 47	\$839 63
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the department for the purpose of extending the works; to be taken from the loan for the extension of the Water Works, approved December 26, 1868.			
Approved February 13, 1869.			
Balance from books of 1873.....	\$536 32		
Items.			
1. For engine houses, foundations, stack, wharf, tunnel, coal sheds, scales, boilers, setting, grading, &c., at the Belmont Works.....	\$ 32	.....	\$ 32
2. For boilers and connections at the Belmont Works.....	39 23	39 23	
3. For reservoir at Belmont Works.....	50	.....	50
4. For twenty inch main on Lancaster avenue, from Belmont avenue to Fortieth street.....	493 58	.....	493 58
5. For the completion of the Cornish engine, boilers and connections at Roxborough Water Works.....	03	.....	03
3. For engine, boilers and connections, boiler house, and alterations and additions to engine foundations at Schuylkill Works....	35	.....	35
9. For substituting turbine wheels in place of old breast wheels, Nos. 4 and 5, at Fairmount Works.....	07	.....	07
10. For incidentals.....	2 24	2 24	
Total.....	\$536 32	\$41 47	\$494 85
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the department for the purpose of extending the Water Works; said appropriation being on account of the approximate estimate of the Chief Engineer; the same to be taken from the loan for the extension of the Water Works, approved March 19, 1870.			
Approved April 7, 1870.			
Balance from books of 1873.....	\$24,981 51		

Department of Water—Continued.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriat'd	Amount Counterst'd.	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>			
1. For engine and foundations at Schuylkill Water Works, in place of old engine No. 3.	\$13,604 20	\$13,603 53	\$ 67
2. For additional duplex engine at Delaware Water Works	90		90
3. For ascending main for Belmont Works.....	1,046 93	974 87	72 06
4. For (on account) descending main from the Belmont reservoir, and for crossing the Schuylkill river.....	2,984 99	2,809 65	175 34
5. For (on account) of pumping main from the Delaware Works to the reservoir.....	9 42	3 25	6 17
6. For pumping main from the Schuylkill Works to the reservoir.....	6,209 07		6,209 07
7. For substituting turbine wheels in place of old breast wheels, Nos. 6 and 7, at Fairmount Works	28 13		28 13
8. For (on account) reservoir adjoining present reservoir of Delaware Works.....	2 92		2 92
9. For enlarging the reservoir now building at Belmont Works.....	10 23		10 23
10. For incidentals.....	1,084 72	1,025 48	59 24
Total.....	\$24,981 51	\$18,416 78	\$6,564 73
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the department (to be reimbursed out of a loan when created) for the purpose of erecting and constructing engine and pumps, engine and boiler house, and repairs to reservoir at Roxborough, and for small engines and stand pipe to supply Germantown.. Loan created July 8, 1871.			
Approved July 7, 1870.			
Balance from books of 1873.....	\$12,943 96		
<i>Items.</i>			
1. For new engine and pump, with foundations and inlet thereto... \$3,840 08			
Transfer to Item 2, resolution approved April 4, 1874	3,412 59		
	\$427 49	\$427 49	
2. For new engine and boiler house... \$7,078 29			
Transfer from Item 1, resolution approved April 4, 1874.....	3,412 59		
	10,490 88	10,479 77	\$11
3. For necessary repairs to reservoir.....	1,612 61	1,594 76	7 85

Department of Water—Continued.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriat'd	Amount Counters'd.	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>			
4. For small engines and stand pipe to supply Germantown.....	\$5 21		\$5 21
5. For incidentals.....	407 77	\$251 45	156 32
Total.....	\$12,943 96	\$12,753 47	\$190 49
An Ordinance to lay a water main from Mount Airy reservoir to Wistar street, as follows: A sixteen inch main from Mount Airy reservoir to Tulpehocken street, and a twelve inch main from Tulpehocken street to Wistar street; to be reimbursed to the treasury out of a loan hereafter to be created. Loan created July 8, 1871. Approved December 5, 1870.			
Balance from books of 1873.....	\$598 28	\$588 00	\$10 28
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the department for the purpose of extending the Water Works, to be taken from a loan for the extension of the Water Works, approved July 8, 1871. Approved November 6, 1871.			
Balance from books of 1873.....	\$637,861 96		
By amount refunded and warrants cancelled January 26, 1874.....	1,721 53		
	\$639,583 49		
<i>Items.</i>			
1. For new engine, No. 3, at the Schnylkill Water Works.....	75,000 00	117 00	74,883 00
2. For new engine, No. 3, at the Belmont Water Works.....	6,028 13	5,977 65	50 48
3. For rebuilding Fairmount dam.....	25,140 61	13,213 20	11,927 41
4. For completion of thirty-six inch ascending main, from the Delaware Works to the reservoir.....	13		13
5. For completion of Belmont reservoir.....	4,320 73	4,320 29	44
6. For completion of Delaware Water Works reservoir.....	64 52	10 50	54 02
7. For construction of large storage reservoir in East Fairmount Park.....	\$433,672 26		
By amount refunded and warrants cancelled January 26, 1874.....	1,721 53		
	435,393 79	435,201 83	191 96
8. For mains to connect large storage reservoir, East Fairmount Park, with engines, &c.....	90,000 00	1,238 56	88,761 44
9. For incidentals.....	3,635 58	2,842 24	793 34
Total.....	\$639,583 49	\$462,921 27	\$176,662 22

Department of Water—Continued.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriat'd	Amount Counters'd.	Balances Merging.
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the department for the purpose of extending the Water Works; the same to be taken from a loan authorized by Ordinance approved November 23, 1872; approved May 19, 1873.			
Balance from books of 1873.....	\$777,270 72		
<i>Items.</i>			
1. For engine house and stack at Harrison's landing.....	\$45,400 00	\$71 50	\$45,328 50
2. For new engines and boilers, and setting same.....	97,900 00		97,900 00
3. For submerged main and inlet.....	8,800 00		8,800 00
4. For reservoir.....	136,535 43	1,834 55	134,700 88
5. For land damages (engine house and reservoir).....	12,000 00		12,000 00
6. For thirty inch ascending main, stop cocks, fixtures, &c.....	309,205 00		309,205 00
7. For twenty inch ascending main.....	113,753 00		113,753 00
8. For ten and twelve inch mains, with stop cocks, &c.....	7,016 05	3,493 61	3,522 44
9. For twenty inch main on Twenty-second street, from Jefferson street to Ridge avenue, and twelve inch main on Ridge avenue, from Twenty-second to Thirty-third street, with stop cocks, branches, plugs, &c.....	8,067 42	8,067 42	
10. For twenty inch main on Washington avenue, from Twenty-first to Twenty-second street, on Twenty-second street, from Washington avenue to Federal street, and on Federal street to Gray's Ferry road.....	10,887 60	8,103 65	2,783 95
11. For twenty inch main on Broad street, from Washington avenue to Snyder street, with stop cocks, &c.....	6,023 34	3,364 94	2,658 40
12. For sixteen inch main on Washington avenue, from Fifth street to Moyamensing avenue, and on Moyamensing avenue, from Washington avenue to Snyder avenue, with stop cocks, &c.....	18,988 68	13,740 89	5,247 79
13. For incidentals.....	2,694 20	976 25	1,717 95
Total.....	\$777,270 72	\$39,652 81	\$737,617 91

Department of Water—Continued.

RECAPITULATION.	Amount Appropriat'd	Amount Counterst'd.	Balances Merging.
Ordinance approved December 31, 1873. \$614,650 00			
Additional " November 2, 1874. 73,500 00			
	\$688,150 00	\$688,006 89	\$143 11
Ordinance approved June 20, 1870.....	269 46	267 82	1 64
" " June 12, 1871.....	89 25	45 00	44 25
" " October 23, 1871.....	113 70	73 62	40 08
" " June 24, 1873.....	28 50	10 00	18 50
" " November 4, 1873.....	511 85	289 75	242 10
" " February 20, 1874.....	1,500 00	1,500 00	
" " September 18, 1874.....	437 03	352 73	84 30
Loan No. 2. Authorized May 5, 1865.			
Ordinance approved April 17, 1865.....	643 98		643 98
Loan No. 3. Authorized December 26, 1868.			
Ordinance approved April 3, 1868.....	1,042 10	202 47	839 63
" " February 13, 1869.....	536 32	41 47	494 85
Loan No. 4. Authorized March 19, 1870.			
Ordinance approved April 7, 1870.....	24,981 51	18,416 78	6,564 73
Loan No. 5. Authorized July 8, 1871.			
Ordinance approved July 7, 1870.....	12,943 96	12,753 47	190 49
" " December 5, 1870.....	598 28	588 00	10 28
" " November 6, 1871.....	639,583 49	462,921 27	176,662 22
Loan No. 6. Authorized November 23, 1872.			
Ordinance approved May 19, 1873.....	777,270 72	39,652 81	737,617 91
Grand Total.....	\$2,148,700 15	\$1,225,162 08	\$923,598 07

Department of Highways.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriat'd	Amount Counters'd.	Balances Merging.
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Highways, &c., for the year 1874, approved Dec. 31, 1873.....	\$1,246,113 00		
Additional, approved Feb. 6, 1874.....	480 00		
“ “ July 3, 1874.....	50,000 00		
“ “ Nov. 13, 1874	80,000 00		
Brought from books of 1873, resolution July 17, 1874.....	29,045 00		
Brought from books of 1873.....	5,900 00		
	<u>\$1,410,638 00</u>		
<i>Items.</i>			
1. Salaries of Chief Commissioner, two commissioners, license clerk, chief clerk, miscellaneous and two assistant clerks, messenger, four watchmen on Market Street Bridge, four watchmen on Pen- rose Ferry Bridge, two watchmen on Girard Avenue and two on the Wire Bridge, two on the Falls Bridge, and one on the Bridenburg Bridge.....	\$19,400 00		
Additional, approved Feb. 6, 1874	480 00		
	<u>\$19,880 00</u>	\$19,880 00	
2 Paving intersection of streets.....	125,000 00	124,966 44	\$33 56
3. Repairing paved streets, including repairing over water pipe.....	\$175,000 00		
Transfer from Item 29, resolution Dec. 12, 1874.....	18,900 00		
Transfer from Item 25, resolution Dec. 12, 1874.....	6,654 00		
Transfer from Item 15, resolution Dec. 31, 1874.....	1,500 00		
	<u>202,054 00</u>	202,051 92	2 08
4. Repaving and tramwaying streets. \$15,000 00			
Transfer to Item 17, reso- lution Dec. 31, 1874.....	\$1,150 00		
Transfer to Item 18, reso- lution Dec. 31, 1874.....	1,500 00		
	<u>2,650 00</u>	12,350 00	12,336 98
5. Repairing roads and unpaved streets.....	\$70,000 00		
Transfer from Item 28, resolution Oct. 8, 1874.....	5,000 00		
Transfer from Item 25, resolution Dec. 12, 1874.....	6,500 00		
	<u>\$1,500 00</u>	\$1,500 00	
6. Grading streets and roads.....	\$175,000 00		
Additional, approved July 3, 1874.	50,000 00		
“ “ Nov. 13, 1874	50,000 00		
Transfer from Item 26, resolution Dec. 31, 1874.....	1,163 00		
	<u>276,163 00</u>	275 992 96	170 04

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GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.		Amount Appropriat'd	Amount Counters'd.	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>				
7. Repairing and building bridges....	\$25,000 00			
Transfer from Item 29, resolution Oct. 8, 1874.....	1,080 00			
Transfer from Item 31, resolution Oct. 8, 1874.....	1,200 00			
Transfer from Item 32, resolution Oct. 8, 1874.....	1,200 00			
Transfer from Item 24, resolution Dec. 31, 1874.....	1,100 00			
Transfer from Item 26, resolution Dec. 31, 1874.....	224 47			
		\$29,804 47	\$29,804 47	
8. Repairing, extending and altering inlets and culverts.....	\$30,090 00			
Additional, approved Nov. 13, 1874	30,000 00			
Transfer from Item 24, resolution Dec. 31, 1874.....	7,700 00			
Transfer from Item 26, resolution Dec. 31, 1874.....	400 00			
		68,100 00	68,097 75	\$2 25
9. Printing, advertising and station- ery.....	\$5,000 00			
Transfer from Item 24, resolution Dec. 31, 1874.....	805 00			
Transfer from Item 26, resolution Dec. 31, 1874.....	204 00			
		6,009 00	6,009 00	
10. Insurance on bridges.....	\$2,500 00			
Transfer to Item 18, resolution Dec. 31, 1874.....	600 00			
		1,900 00	1,900 00	
11. Office and yard expenses.....	\$5,050 00			
Transfer from Item 24, resolution Dec. 31, 1874.....	500 00			
		5,550 00	5,549 07	93
12. Incidental expenses.....	\$2,500 00			
Transfer from Item 26, resolution Dec. 31, 1874.....	500 00			
		3,000 00	2,998 30	1 70
13. Index boards for streets.....		500 00	499 80	20
14. Repaving streets on which rail- way tracks are laid.....	\$5,000 00			
Transfer from Item 16, resolution Oct. 8, 1874.....	600 00			
		5,600 00	5,567 91	32 09
15. Salaries of supervisors.....	\$19,563 00			
Transfer to Item 3, resolut'n Dec. 31, 1874.	\$1,500 00			
Transfer to Item 18, resolut'n Dec. 31, 1874.	300 00			
	1,800 00			
		17,763 00	17,667 50	95 50

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GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.		Amount Appropriat'd	Amount Countersi'd.	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>				
16.	Grading and repairing footways... \$5,000 00			
	Transfer to Item 23, resolut'n Oct. 8, 1874.. \$2,000 00			
	Transfer to Item 14, resolut'n Oct. 8, 1874.. 600 00			
	Transfer to Item 18, resolut'n Dec. 31, 1874. 2,300 00			
	<u>4,900 00</u>	\$100 00	\$59 90	\$40 10
17	Repairing meadow banks..... \$500 00			
	Transfer from Item 4, resolution Dec. 31, 1874 1,150 00	1,650 00	1,650 00	
18.	Tramway, gutter and crossing stone..... \$30,000 00			
	Transfer from Item 4, resolution Dec. 31, 1874..... 1,500 00			
	Transfer from Item 10, resolution Dec. 31, 1874..... 600 00			
	Transfer from Item 15, resolution Dec. 31, 1874..... 300 00			
	Transfer from Item 16, resolution Dec. 31, 1874..... 2,300 00			
	Transfer from Item 24, resolution Dec. 31, 1874..... 7,900 00			
	Transfer from Item 25, resolution Dec. 31, 1874..... 400 00			
	Transfer from Item 26, resolution Dec. 31, 1874..... 2,000 00	45,000 00	44,977 09	22 91
19.	Completing the paving of Hamilton street, from Fifteenth to Seventeenth street, in the Fifteenth Ward, with Belgian blocks.....	4,000 00	4,000 00	
20	Constructing sewer on Chestnut street. Ordinance Oct. 24, 1871. \$5,000 00			
	Brought from books of 1873..... 5,000 00	10,000 00	10,000 00	
21.	Enclosing lot and building office for the use of the Department in the Twenty-seventh Ward.....	1,600 00	1,600 00	
22.	Constructing branch sewers.....	30,000 00	28,788 76	1,211 24
23.	Constructing new inlets..... \$30,000 00			
	Transfer from Item 16, resolution Oct. 8, 1874..... 2,000 00			
	Transfer from Item 28, resolution Oct. 8, 1874..... 7,000 00			
	Transfer from Item 24, resolution Dec. 31, 1874..... 5,000 00	44,000 00	44,000 00	

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GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.		Amount Appropriat'd	Amount Counters'd	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>				
24.	Opening, grading, bridging and culverting the State road, from Tacony to the Bucks county line	\$60,000 00		
	Transfer to Item 8, resolution Dec. 31, 1874...	\$7,700 00		
	Transfer to Item 11, resolution Dec. 31, 1874.	500 00		
	Transfer to Item 7, resolution Dec. 31, 1874...	1,100 00		
	Transfer to Item 9, resolution Dec. 31, 1874 ..	805 00		
	Transfer to Item 23, resolution Dec. 31, 1874	5,000 00		
	Transfer to Item 18, resolution Dec. 31, 1874	7,900 00		
		23,005 00		
		\$36,995 00	\$36,995 00	
25.	Grading, curbing and repaving Sixth street, from Somerset street to Alleghany avenue.....	\$30 00 00		
	Transfer to Item 3, resolution Dec. 12, 1874...	\$6,654 00		
	Transfer to Item 5, resolution Dec. 12, 1874...	6,500 00		
	Transfer to Item 18, resolution Dec. 31, 1874	400 00		
		13,554 00		
		16,446 00	16,354 98	\$91 02
26.	Grading Fifth street, from Indiana to Westmoreland street.....	\$15,600 00		
	Transfer to Item 7, resolution Dec. 31, 1874...	\$224 47		
	Transfer to Item 8, resolution Dec. 31, 1874...	400 00		
	Transfer to Item 9, resolution Dec. 31, 1874...	204 00		
	Transfer to Item 18, resolution Dec. 31, 1874	2,000 00		
	Transfer to Item 6, resolution Dec. 31, 1874 ..	1,163 00		
	Transfer to Item 12, resolution Dec. 31, 1874	500 00		
		4,491 47		
		10,508 53	7,364 39	3,144 14
27.	Opening, grading, bridging and culverting the new State road, from the southeast corner of Montgomery avenue, in Lower Merion township, Montgomery county, to Belmont avenue with a branch to Fairmont Park. Act of Assembly, 1873.....	30,000 00	25,868 18	4,131 82
28.	Repaving Callowhill street, from Twelfth street to Broad, with Belgian blocks.....	\$12,000 00		
	Transfer to Item 5, resolution Oct. 8, 1874.....	\$5,000 00		
	Transfer to Item 23, resolution Oct. 8, 1874.	7,000 00		
		12,000 00		

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GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated	Amount Counters'd.	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>			
29. Paving with Belgian blocks, upon plans and specifications of the Chief Commissioner of Highways, Market street, from Delaware river westward (\$75,000); Broad street, from Filbert street northward (\$90,000); Broad street, from Chestnut street southward (\$75,000); Dock street, westward from Delaware avenue (\$10,000); Chestnut street, eastward from Broad street, at the discretion of the Chief Commissioner of Highways (\$10,000).....	\$260,000 00		
Transfer to Item 7, resolution Oct. 8, 1874.....	\$1,080 00		
Transfer to Item 3, resolution Dec. 12, 1874....	18,900 00		
	19,980 00		
	\$240,020 00	\$239,978 85	\$41 15
30. Extending the bridge on Mill creek and Market street, or constructing a culvert in lieu thereof.....		12,000 00	12,000 00
31. Rebuilding, repairing and cleaning out the culvert at the foot of Market street and Delaware avenue	\$6,000 00		
Transfer to Item 7, resolution Oct. 8, 1874.....	1,200 00		
	4,800 00	4,767 83	32 17
32. Repaving Federal street, from Broad street to Eighteenth, with rubble stone	\$7,500 00		
Transfer to Item 7, resolution Oct. 8, 1874.....	1,200 00		
	6,300 00	6,095 94	204 06
33. To improve Broad street, from McKean street to League Island.....	15,000 00	15,000 00	
34. Constructing culvert at Mill creek and Woodland avenue or Darby road, in Twenty-seventh Ward.....	18,000 00	15,350 00	2,650 00
35. Building bridges over the Connecting Railroad, at Park avenue and Columbia avenue. Brought from books of 1873. Ordinance July 17, 1874.....	29,045 00	16,111 00	12,934 00
	\$1,410,638 00	\$1,385,784 02	\$24,853 98

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SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated	Amount Counters'd.	Balances Merging.
An Ordinance to provide for the improvement of the meadow banks along the rivers Delaware and Schuylkill, in the First, Twenty-sixth and Twenty-seventh Wards, passed March 9, 1871. Brought from books of 1873.....	\$35,000 00	\$5,600 00	\$30,000 00
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Highways, &c., to pay deficiency bills of 1872 and 1873, approved July 3, 1874.....	\$7,425 61		
McManus & O'Rourke, for paving intersections of Adams and Thompson streets.....	\$90 28	\$90 28	
Holstein & Ritter, for gravel.....	36 80	36 80	
W. J. Sloan, constructing sewer on Thirty-second and Market streets.....	666 30	666 30	
Peter Castor, for smithwork	62 06	61 86	\$ 20
Evening Telegraph, advertising.....	48 00	48 00	
J. M. Paynter, for constructing sewer on Dickerson street, from Eighth to Ninth	165 31	165 31	
J. M. Paynter, grading Ash street, from Dickerson to Tasker	200 00	200 00	
Joseph Parker, furnishing gravel.....	951 25	951 25	
Abdon Abbott, for hardware	10 30	10 30	
Samuel J. Creswell, for iron work.....	35 33	35 33	
Folby & Fox, for wheelwrighting.....	5 00	5 00	
Thomas Riddle, for smithwork.....	14 60	14 60	
Wilt & McClellan, furnishing gravel.....	317 50	317 25	25
J. M. Peters, for paving intersections.	103 26	103 26	
F. P. Murray, for constructing sewer on Spring Garden street, from Eighth to Tenth.....	327 75	327 75	
Wm. Armstrong, for constructing sewer on Nineteenth street, from Federal to Bainbridge, and on Bainbridge to Twentieth.....	2,633 08	2,633 08	
W. H. Wilson, for constructing sewer on York and Lawrence streets.....	218 36	218 36	
W. H. Wilson, for constructing sewer on Bodine street, from Oxford, 175 feet south.....	14 90	14 90	
J. F. Kennedy, for constructing sewer on Thirty-Fourth street, from Filbert to Bridge.....	740 08	740 08	
J. Deehan, for constructing sewer on Seventeenth street, from Columbia to Montgomery.....	71 65	71 65	
J. Deehan, for constructing sewer on Twenty-second, and on Fairfield street.	70 25	70 25	
J. Deehan, for constructing sewer on York street, from Tenth to Eleventh.....	428 16	428 16	
Field & Hardie, for hardware.....	108 69	108 69	
Wm. F. Murphy's Sons, stationery.	106 70	106 70	
	\$7,425 61	\$7,425 16	\$ 45
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay James Lake and Alexander Aikens' claims for damages, approved Nov. 28, 1874.....	\$445 00		
<i>Items.</i>			
1. To pay James Lake for damages to his horse, caused by a broken manhole cover on Chestnut street, east of Third	\$50 00	\$50 00	

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SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriat'd	Amount Counters'd.	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>			
2. To pay Alexander Aikens for damages to his horse and wagon, caused by the caving of sewer on Twenty-fourth street, north of Callowhill street, on Sunday, July 12, 1874	\$395 00	\$395 00	
	\$445 00	\$445 00	
An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the Department of Highways for the year 1874, approved Dec. 31, 1874	\$81,455 64		
S. P. Faunce, paving intersections.....	\$1,928 35	\$1,928 35	
G. Graham, paving intersections.....	61 00	61 00	
Richard King, paving intersections.....	57 76		\$57 76
McManus & O'Rourke, paving intersections.....	410 97	410 97	
Cunningham & Sloan, paving intersections.....	251 60	251 60	
John Murray, paving intersections.....	676 68	671 68	5 00
Joseph Johnson, paving intersections.....	1,486 64	1,486 64	
E. F. Shantz, paving intersections.....	298 00	298 00	
A. Gwin, paving intersections.....	647 30	323 65	323 65
Wm. Armstrong, paving intersections.....	322 50	322 50	
Joseph M. Paynter, paving intersections.....	2,240 24	2,240 24	
J. C. & J. Deehan, paving intersections.....	400 00	400 00	
Freeman & Dickinson, paving intersections.....	5,449 40	4,879 06	570 34
W. W. Dickinson, paving inte sections.....	7,789 91	7,683 39	106 52
W. F. Miskey, Jr, paving intersections.....	1,563 33	1,563 33	
George H. Miller, paving intersections.....	196 00	195 99	01
James Holgate, paving intersections.....	126 66	126 66	
Cunningham & McNichol, paving intersections.....	5,518 88	5,518 88	
Shelmire & Nester, paving intersections.....	1,534 80	1,534 80	
R. Cunningham, paving intersections.....	330 00	330 00	
Wm. J. Beine, paving intersections.....	371 10	371 10	
S. Johnson, paving intersections.....	898 50	898 50	
L. Horter, paving intersections.....	745 28	745 28	
M. O'Rourke, paving intersections.....	6,488 70	5,552 32	936 38
S. P. Faunce, grading.....	444 20	444 20	
Dickinson & Darragh, grading.....	4,233 25	4,233 25	
Smith & Kiker, grading.....	207 00		207 00
Wm. Armstrong, grading.....	600 00	600 00	
Emanuel Peters, grading.....	200 00	200 00	
Shantz & Thomas, grading.....	848 25	848 25	
D. C. Cleaver, grading.....	980 75	980 75	
Joseph M. Paynter, grading.....	712 76	712 76	
J. Deehan, grading.....	166 00	166 00	
M. O'Rourke, grading.....	936 40	936 40	
McManus & O'Rourke, grading.....	1,161 75	1,161 75	
J. Creighton, grading.....	3,300 70	3,300 70	
R. Cunningham, grading.....	2 00	200 00	
Cunningham & McNichol, grading.....	397 00	397 00	
J. D. Maull, grading.....	2,585 55	1,154 13	1,431 42
A. Freeman, grading.....	174 00	174 00	
H. McConnell, grading.....	1,784 25	946 07	838 18
J. P. Shelmire, grading.....	200 00	200 00	
J. M. Peters, grading.....	3,037 00	3,033 81	3 19
Abm. Ruth, repairing culvert.....	4,493 81	4,492 91	90
Wm. J. Gillingham, repairing culvert.....	4,809 90	4,809 90	
Bigelow Blue Stone Co., crossing stone.....	235 14	235 14	
Constructing branch sewers.....	8,015 93	8,015 93	
Wm. Charlton, grading.....	1,938 40	1,938 40	
Total	\$81,455 64	\$76,975 29	\$4,480 35

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SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriat'd	Amount Counters'd.	Balances Merging.
Bridge Loans.			
An Ordinance making an appropriation for the construction of the Fairmount Bridge, approved June 8, 1870. Loan authorized May 19, 1870.			
Brought from books of 1873.....	\$743,550 54	\$684,116 20	\$59,434 34
An Ordinance to make an appropriation for the construction of a bridge over the river Schuylkill, at Girard avenue, approved Jan. 10, and March 8, 1873. Loan created Oct. 14, 1872.			
Brought from books of 1873.....	\$613,019 00	\$611,808 40	\$1,210 60
RECAPITULATION.			
An Ordinance approved Dec. 31, 1873...\$1,246,113 00			
" " " Feb. 6, 1874.... 480 00			
" " " July 3, 1874 ... 50,000 00			
" " " Nov. 13, 1874. 80,000 00			
Brought from books of 1873..... 29,045 00			
" " " " " 5,000 00			
	\$1,410,638 00	\$1,385,784 02	\$24,853 98
An Ordinance approved March 9, 1871.....	35,000 00	5,000 00	30,000 00
" " " July 3, 1874.....	7,425 61	7,425 16	45
" " " Nov. 28, 1874.....	445 00	445 00	
" " " Dec. 31, 1874.....	81,455 64	76,975 29	4,480 35
" " " June 8, 1870.....	743,550 54	684,116 20	59,434 34
" " " Jan. 10, and March 8, 1873.	613,019 00	611,808 40	1,210 60
Grand Total.....	\$2,891,533 79	\$2,771,554 07	\$119,979 72

Department of Surveys.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriat'd	Amount Counters'd.	Balances Merging.
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Surveys for the year 1874, approved Dec. 31, 1873. \$231,334 58			
Additional, approved June 13, 1874..... 4,500 00			
<u>\$235,834 58</u>			
<i>Items.</i>			
1. Salaries of Chief Engineer and Surveyor, principal assistant engineer, recording clerk, draughtsman, and rodman in general office, registrar, two draughtsmen, and two clerks in registry bureau..... \$15,300 00			
Transfer to Item 35, resolution Dec. 19, 1874..... 166 67			
	\$15,133 33	\$15,133 33	
2. Stationery	500 00	500 00	
3. Record books and blanks	1,850 00	1,850 00	
4. Cleansing office, carriage hire, and incidentals..... 1,200 00			
Transfer from Item 20, resolution Dec. 19, 1874..... 250 00			
	1,450 00	1,450 00	
5. Salaries of thirteen district surveyors..... 6,500 00			\$500 00
6. For line regulations in the First Survey District, below South street, resolution March 24, 1866.. \$800 00			
Transfer to Item 35, resolution Dec. 19, 1874 ... 800 00			
7. For grade regulations upon plans Nos. 235, 236, 237, Second Survey District, resolution Nov. 30, 1872	500 00	500 00	
8. For line and grade regulations in the Third Survey District, between Vine and South streets, and river Delaware and river Schuylkill, resolution Nov. 27, 1869..... \$2,000 00			
Transfer to Item 35, resolution Dec. 19, 1874..... 2,000 00			
9. For revision of grades in the Third Survey District, between Market and Walnut streets, west of Twenty-third street, resolution February 10, 1872	250 00	133 00	117 00
10. For revision of grades in the vicinity of Thompson street and the Reading Railroad, Sixth Survey District, resolution April 7, 1873..... 350 00		290 00	60 00
11. For revision of lines and grades upon plan No. 72, resolution July 26, 1872..... 1,200 00		1,200 00	
12. For line and grade regulations between Wissahickon creek, Mermaid lane, County Line road, Chestnut Hill avenue and Thirty-fourth street, Ninth Survey District, resolution Nov. 29, 1873..... 2,000 00		2,000 00	
13. For line and grade regulations in the Tenth Survey District, between Frankford road and Bristol turnpike, river Delaware, Dark Run road, and Ashburner's lane, resolution Oct. 21, 1873	2,500 00	2,500 00	

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GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriat'd	Amount Counters'd.	Balances Merging
<i>Items.</i>			
14. For line and grade regulations in the Tenth Survey District, between Bristol and Bustleton turnpikes and Longshore street, and the streets of Holmesburg, resolution Dec. 13, 1873.....	\$3,000 00	\$3,000 00	
15. For revision of the line and grade regulations of so much of the Twenty-fourth Ward (Eleventh Survey District) as is affected by the location of Fairmount Park, resolution Feb. 16, 1869.....	1,500 00	1,500 00	
16. For revision of plan No. 106, Twenty-fourth Ward, resolution Dec. 13, 1873.....	250 00	250 00	
17. For grade regulations upon the Eleventh Section of the late Township of Blockley, in the Eleventh Survey District.....	\$1,100 00		
Transfer to Item 35, resolution Dec. 19, 1874.....	1,100 00		
18. For revision of plans Nos. 142 and 150, Eleventh Survey District, resolution Dec. 13, 1873.....	300 00	300 00	
19. For revision of the lines and grades in the Thirteenth Survey District, between Nicetown lane and Roberts' avenue, and Germantown avenue and Township line road, resolution July 11, 1871.....	\$800 00		
Transfer to Item 35, resolution Dec. 19, 1874.....	452 00		
20. For grade regulations in the Thirteenth Survey District, upon plan No. 163, resolution June 24, 1871..	\$250 00		
Transfer to Item 4, resolution Dec. 19, 1874.....	250 00		
21. For placing Nicetown lane upon the City plan, between Township line road and Ridge avenue, resolution June 24, 1873.....	800 00	800 00	
22. For plans of the widening of the footways on Broad street, from Poplar street to League Island, resolution May 19, 1873.....	850 00	641 00	\$209 00
23. For duplicating plan No. 251, on file in the Department of Surveys, for the use of the District Surveyors, resolution April 25, 1871.....	\$1,500 00		
Transfer to Item 35, resolution Dec. 19, 1874.....	68 00		
	1,432 00	1,432 00	
24. For preparing liens for municipal claims.....	800 00	800 00	
25. Landmarks.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	
26. For making plans and examination of sewers for record in office.....	2,500 00	950 50	1,549 50
27. For surveys of property for registry bureau ..	2,000 00	2,000 00	
28. Four temporary draughtsmen for registry bureau.....	4,000 00	4,000 00	
29. For new surveys and work that may be ordered by Councils during the year 1874.....	2,000 00	2,000 00	
30. For building bridges over the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad, at Fifth street.....	5,545 00	4,563 46	981 54
31. For surveys and plans of wharves and landings belonging to the City.....	500 00	500 00	

Department of Surveys—Continued.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriat'd	Amount Counterst'd.	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>			
32. To pay the American Dredging Company for rebuilding main sluice of the meadow drainage in the First Ward.....	\$6,709 58	\$6,709 58	
33. For the construction of fenders for the protection of the draw of the bridge over the river Schuylkill at South street.....	65,000 00	59,979 30	\$5,020 70
34. For building a bridge at the Reading Railroad, over Richmond street.....	96,000 00	96,000 00	
35. For grade and curb regulations.....	\$4,500 00		
Transfer from Item 1, resolution			
Dec. 19, 1874.....	166 67		
Transfer from Item 6, resolution			
Dec. 19, 1874.....	800 00		
Transfer from Item 8, resolution			
Dec. 19, 1874.....	2,000 00		
Transfer from Item 17, resolution			
Dec. 19, 1874.....	1,100 00		
Transfer from Item 19, resolution			
Dec. 19, 1874.....	452 00		
Transfer from Item 23, resolution			
Dec. 19, 1874.....	68 00		
	9,086 67	9,086 67	
Total.....	\$235,854 58	\$227,416 84	\$8,437 74
SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.			
An Ordinance relative to removing abutments and rebuilding railroad bridge over Ridge avenue, and to make an appropriation therefor, approved June 2, 1873.			
Brought from books of 1873.....	\$5,000 00	\$5,000 00	
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay for the completion of the bridge over the West Chester Railroad, at Darby road, approved June 8, 1874.....	\$6,881 45	\$6,881 45	
Sewer Loan.			
An Ordinance to appropriate the proceeds of loan for the construction and completion of Moore street, Clearfield street, Mantua creek, and Hart creek sewers, approved June 30, 1873. Loan created Oct. 14, 1872.			
Brought from books of 1873.....	\$369,792 00	\$104,408 74	\$265,383 26
RECAPITULATION.			
An Ordinance approved Dec. 31, 1873...	\$231,354 58		
Additional, approved June 13, 1874.....	4,500 00		
	\$235,854 58	\$227,416 84	\$8,437 74
An Ordinance approved June 2, 1873.....	5,000 00	5,000 00	
" " " June 8, 1874.....	6,881 45	6,881 45	
" " " June 30, 1873.....	369,792 00	104,408 74	265,383 26
Grand Total.....	\$617,528 03	\$343,707 03	\$273,821 00

Department of City Commissioners.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriat'd.	Amount Counters'd.	Balances Merging.
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the City Commissioners for the year 1874, approved Dec. 29, 1873.....	\$382,067 00		
Additional, approved Feb'y 6, 1874.....	2,000 00		
“ “ Feb'y 16, 1874.....	39,372 00		
“ “ Oct. 20, 1874	22,880 87		
“ “ Oct. 23, 1874.....	9,050 00		
	<u>\$455,369 87</u>		
<i>Items.</i>			
1. To pay seven officers of the Supreme Court.....	\$7 693 00	\$7,668 50	\$24 50
2. To pay jurors.....	5,000 00	4,485 04	514 96
3. To pay jurors for the years 1872 and 1873.....	500 00	496 12	3 88
4. To pay twelve officers of the District Court.....	\$13,188 00		
Additional, approved Oct. 20, 1874..	2,258 95		
	<u>15,446 95</u>	15,446 95	
5. To pay jurors.....	\$30,000 00		
Additional, approved Oct. 20, 1874..	5,000 00		
	<u>35,000 00</u>	30,156 62	4,843 38
6. To pay jurors for the years 1872 and 1873.....	1,000 00	897 36	102 64
7. To pay five officers of the Common Pleas.....	5,495 00	5,477 50	17 50
8. To pay jurors.....	\$8,000 00		
Transfer to Item 27, approved Dec. 12, 1874.....	1,500 00		
	<u>6,500 00</u>	4,020 61	2,479 39
9. To pay petit jurors for the years 1872 and 1873. 9½. To pay an auditor appointed by the court to audit the accounts of county officers.....	650 00	40 00	610 00
	<u>250 00</u>	250 00	
10. To pay twenty-one officers of the Court of Quarter Sessions.....	23,236 00	22,269 50	966 50
11. To pay jurors.....	30,000 00	29,884 36	115 64
12. To pay petit jurors for the years 1872 and 1873..	1,000 00	974 34	25 66
13. To pay grand jurors.....	\$11,000 00		
Additional, approved Oct. 20, 1874..	1,500 00		
	<u>12,500 00</u>	12,247 31	252 69
14. To pay road jurors.....	\$6,000 00		
Additional, approved Oct. 20, 1874..	1,500 00		
	<u>7,500 00</u>	7,498 00	2 00
15. To pay witness fees.....	1,000 00	996 23	3 77
16. To pay witness fees for the year 1873.....	100 00	93 00	7 00
17. To pay interpreter for the courts, jurors and the Mayor's office.....	1,500 00	1,500 00	
18. For meals for jurors	1,500 00	432 75	1,067 25
19. For clerk hire during the year 1874, for copying the records of the several road and street cases in the road dockets.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	
20. For fees of District Attorney.....	\$14,500 00		
Additional, approved Oct. 23, 1874..	5,600 00		
	<u>20,100 00</u>	20,100 00	
20½. For salaries of detectives for District Attor- ney	2,700 00	2,700 00	
21. For fees of the Clerk of Quarter Sessions.....	\$12,000 00		
Additional, approved Oct. 23, 1874..	2,300 00		
	<u>14,300 00</u>	14,300 00	
22. For fees of Sheriff.....	\$6,000 00		
Additional, approved Oct. 23, 1874..	1,150 00		
	<u>7,150 00</u>	7,149 00	1 00

Department of City Commissioners—Continued.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated	Amount Counters'd.	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>			
23. For fees of Coroner.....	\$12,000 00	\$12,000 00	
24. For salary of Coroner's clerk.....	1,500 00	1,500 00	
25. For salary of the clerk of Board of Jurors.....	1,400 00	1,400 00	
26. For coach hire for the grand jury	750 00	750 00	
27. Miscellaneous expenses of the several courts..... \$800 00 Transfer from Item 8, approved Dec 12, 1874.....	1,500 00		
	2,300 00	2,222 57	\$77 43
28. To pay Pennsylvania State Lunatic Hospital for board of persons placed there by order of the court.....	4,000 00	2,973 32	1,026 68
29. To pay Inspectors of the Eastern Penitentiary for the expenses of prisoners of Philadelphia..... \$18,000 00 Additional, approved Oct. 23, 1874..	5,581 92		
	23,581 92	23,581 92	
30. To pay the Managers of the House of Refuge....	35,000 00	35,000 00	
31. To the Northern Home for Friendless Chil- dren.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	
32. To the Union School and Children's Home.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	
33. To the St. Vincent's Home.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	
34. To the St. John's Orphan Asylum.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	
35. To the St. Joseph's Society for Educating and Maintaining Poor Orphan Children	500 00	500 00	
36. To the Western Provident Society and Chil- dren's Home, in West Philadelphia.....	500 00	500 00	
37. To the Jewish Foster Home.....	500 00	500 00	
37¼. To the Home for Destitute Colored Children at Maylandville, in the Twenty-seventh Ward.....	500 00	500 00	
37½. To the Rosine Association, in the Twenty- eighth Ward.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	
37¾. To the Penn Widow's Asylum, in Belgrade street, above Otis street, in the Eighteenth Ward	500 00	500 00	
37¾. To the Bedford Street Mis-ion.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	
38. To pay officers of the election for the year 1874 .. \$17,800 00 Additional, approved Feb'y 16, 1874, .. " " Oct. 20, 1874... ..	11,770 00 300 00		
	29,870 00	29,850 00	20 00
39. To pay return judges, clerks, and messengers for the election of 1874, .. \$375 00 Transfer to Items 40, 41, 50, 58, 59 and 60, approved Feb'y 16, 1874 ..	375 00		
40. For ballot boxes for election of 1874, .. \$400 00 Transfer from Items 39, 42, 47, 53, 55, 57 and 63, approved Feb'y 16, 1874.....	1,715 00		
Additional, approved Oct. 20, 1874, ..	1,000 00		
	3,115 00	3,115 00	
40½. To pay for preparing a new vault for ballot boxes, approved Feb'y 16, 1874	650 00	650 00	
41. For stationery, blanks and printing required by the officers of the elec- tions for the year 1874..... \$4,500 00 Transfer from Items 39, 42, 47, 53, 55, 57 and 63, approved Feb'y 16, 1874	5,000 00		
Additional, approved Oct. 20, 1874..	1,500 00		
	11,000 00	10,991 60	8 40

Department of City Commissioners—Continued.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriat'd	Amount Counters'd.	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>			
42. To pay eighty-five Aldermen, at three dollars per day each \$2,600 00 Transfer to Items 40, 41, 50, 58, 59 and 62, approved Feb'y 16, 1874.. 2,600 00			
43. To pay clerk of Board of Aldermen.....	\$600 00	\$600 00	
44. To pay assistant clerk of Board of Aldermen....	400 00	400 00	
45. To pay two messengers of the Board.....	600 00	600 00	
46. To pay for rent of office for Board.....	250 00	250 00	
47. To pay for advertising, books, blanks, postage, blank books, printing and stationery for the Board \$1,100 00 Transfer to Items 40, 41, 50, 58, 59 and 62, approved Feb'y 16, 1874. 1,100 00			
48. To pay canvassers.....	46,000 00	42,531 50	\$3,468 50
49. To pay for advertising, books, blanks, postage, blank books, printing and stationery for can- vassers.....	9,500 00	9,484 10	15 90
50. To pay for cancelling presses, at eight dollars each, and altering plates \$800 00 Transfer from Items 39, 42, 47, 53, 55, 57 and 63, approved Feb'y 16, 1874..... 300 00 Additional, approved Oct. 20, 1874.. 700 00			
51. To pay rent of rooms for holding extra assessments..... \$1,950 00 Additional, approved Feb'y 16, 1874, 1,190 00 " " Oct. 20, 1874, 40 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	
52. To pay for printing canvassers' division transcripts of qualified electors..... \$7,800 00 Additional, approved Feb'y 16, 1874, 14,742 00 " " Oct. 20, 1874, 200 00	3,180 00	2,805 00	375 00
53. To pay for printing canvassers' extra lists of qualified electors... \$3,900 00 Transfer to Items 40, 41, 50, 58, 59 and 62, approved Feb'y 16, 1874.. 3,900 00	22 742 00	22,737 00	5 00
54. To pay for posting canvassers' divi- sion transcripts..... \$500 00 Additional, approved Feb'y 16, 1874, 700 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	
55. To pay for posting canvassers' extra lists \$500 00 Transfer to Items 40, 41, 50, 58, 59 and 62, approved Feb'y 16, 1874.. 500 00			

Department of City Commissioners—Continued.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriat'd.	Amount Counterst'd.	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>			
56. To pay for making official copy and comparing vote of general election of 1873.....	\$60 00	.....	\$60 00
56½. To pay for copying assessors books, approved Feb'y 16, 1874.....	10,320 00	\$10,197 10	122 90
57. To pay for rent of rooms for use of canvassers..... \$1,950 00			
Transfer to Items 40, 41, 50, 58, 59 and 62, approved Feb'y 16, 1874..	1,950 00		
58. To pay for rent of rooms in which elections are held, at five dollars each..... \$1,950 00			
Transfer from Items 39, 42, 47, 53, 55, 57 and 63, approved Feb'y 16, 1874.....	3,830 00		
Additional, approved Oct. 20, 1874..	50 00		
	5,830 00	5,820 00	10 00
59. To pay for distributing ballot boxes for elections of 1874..... \$300 00			
Transfers from Items 39, 42, 47, 53, 55, 57 and 63, approved Feb'y 16, 1874.....	400 00		
	700 00	700 00	
60. To pay for advertising Sheriff's proclamation for election of 1874. \$700 00			
Additional, approved Feb'y 6, 1874. 2,000 00			
“ “ Oct. 20, 1874. 1,400 00			
	4,100 00	4,100 00	
61. To pay for printing and posting Sheriff's proclamation of 1874.... \$400 00			
Additional, approved Oct. 20, 1874, 1,600 00			
	2,000 00	2,000 00	
62. To pay for recording October elec- tion of 1874..... \$100 00			
Transfer from Items 39, 42, 47, 53, 55, 57 and 63, approved Feb'y 16, 1874.....	100 00		
	200 00	200 00	
63. To pay aldermen for administering affidavits to canvassers on divi- sion transcripts and extra assess- ment books..... \$1,170 00			
Transfer to Items 40, 41, 50, 58, 59 and 62, approved Feb'y 16, 1874..	920 00		
	250 00		250 00
64. To pay salaries of Commissioners.....	6,000 00	6,000 00	
65. To pay salaries of clerk and messenger.....	2,000 00	2,000 00	
66. For posting, advertising, and print- ing..... \$1,000 00			
Additional, approved Oct. 20, 1874, 250 00			
	1,250 00	1,243 82	6 18
67. For cleansing and office expenses.....	400 00	400 00	
68. For books and stationery for office.....	600 00	592 37	7 63
69. For miscellaneous expenses.....	400 00	384 69	15 31
Total.....	\$455,369 87	\$438,863 18	\$16,506 69

Department of City Commissioners—Continued.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriat'd	Amount Counters'd.	Balances Merging.
SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.			
An Ordinance to make an appropriation for the purpose of paying additional inspectors of election for the general election, held Tuesday, October 14th, 1874, appointed by the Court of Common Pleas in accordance with Section 1, Act of April 3, 1860, approved January 17, 1874.....	\$635 00	\$533 00	\$120 00
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay deficiencies for the year 1873, approved Feb'y 6, 1874.....	\$4,523 05		
<i>Items.</i>			
1. To pay jurors of Supreme Court.....	1,100 00	1,089 20	10 80
2. To pay jurors in Court of Quarter Sessions.....	400 00		400 00
3. To pay grand jurors.....	297 50	297 50	
4. To pay road jurors.....	2,000 00	1,860 00	140 00
5. To pay witness fees	200 00	158 70	41 30
6. To pay coach hire for grand jury.....	15 00	15 00	
7. To pay miscellaneous expenses of the courts...	230 00	193 20	56 80
8. To pay aldermen for meeting of the board.....	231 00	231 00	
9. To pay for posting and advertising for board...	10 00	10 00	
10. To pay Wm. Mann for stationery for Supreme Court	19 55	19 55	
Total.....	\$4,523 05	\$3,874 15	\$648 90
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay overseers for election of February 17, 1874, appointed by the Court of Common Pleas, in pursuance of section 4 of the act of January 30, 1874, approved March 28, 1874.....	\$5,280 00	\$4,975 00	\$305 00
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay watchers in the Twenty-second Ward, at election held in said Ward, October, 1871, approved April 15, 1872, balance from books of 1872.....	75 00	10 00	65 00
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay deficiencies for the year 1872, approved Jan. 17, 1873.			
<i>Item.</i>			
3. To pay road jurors for services prior to 1873. Balance from books of 1873.....	652 00	88 00	6104 0

Department of City Commissioners—Continued.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriat'd	Amount Counters'd.	Balances Merging.
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay John A. Loughridge, Prothonotary of the Court of Common Pleas, to pay for certificates of election officers of February election, 1874, approved June 29, 1874.....	\$1,136 10	\$1,136 10	
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay Joseph R. Rhoads, attorney, expenses attending Sheriff's sale of premises on west side of Passyunk avenue, approved Oct. 23, 1874.....	75 00	75 00	
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay for fitting up and furnishing building for the Orphans' Court, approved Nov. 14, 1874.....	4,000 00		\$4,000 00
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay the overseers of the November election, 1874, approved Dec. 12, 1874	6,360 00	5,675 00	685 00
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay John A. Loughridge, Prothonotary of the Court of Common Pleas, for certificates relative to the election of Nov. 3, 1874, approved Dec. 12, 1874...	772 10	772 10	
RECAPITULATION.			
Ordinance approved Dec. 29, 1873	\$382,067 00		
Additional, " Feb'y 6, 1874.....	2,000 00		
" " Feb'y 16, 1874.....	39,372 00		
" " Oct. 20, 1874.....	22,880 87		
" " Oct. 23, 1874.....	9,050 00		
	\$455,369 87	\$438,863 18	\$16,506 69
Ordinance approved Jan. 17, 1874.....	655 00	535 00	120 00
" " Feb'y 6, 1874.....	4,523 05	3,874 15	648 90
" " Mar. 28, 1874.....	5,280 00	4,975 00	305 00
" " April 15, 1872.....	75 00	10 00	65 00
" " Jan. 17, 1873	652 00	38 00	614 00
" " June 29, 1874	1,136 10	1,136 10	
" " Oct. 23, 1874.....	75 00	75 00	
" " Nov. 14, 1874.....	4,000 00		4,000 00
" " Dec. 12, 1874.....	6,360 00	5,675 00	685 00
" " Dec. 12, 1874.....	772 10	772 10	
Grand Total.....	\$478,898 12	\$455,953 53	\$22,944 59

Department of the Board of Health.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriat'd	Amount Counterst'd.	Balances Merging.
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Board of Health for the year 1874, approved Dec. 31, 1873	\$344,934 33		
<i>Items.</i>			
1. For salary of Health Officer.....	\$2,100 00	\$2,100 00	
2. For salary of chief clerk.....	1,800 00	1,800 00	
3. For salaries of three assistant clerks.....	3,000 00	3,000 00	
4. For salary of registration clerk.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	
5. For salaries of four assistant registration clerks, at \$850 each.....	3,400 00	3,400 00	
6. For salary of port physician.....	1,200 00	1,177 42	\$22 58
7. For salary of runner.....	500 00	500 00	
8. For salaries of chief inspector \$1000, and ten nuisance inspector and two messengers, a \$660 each.....	8,920 00	8,920 00	
9. For salaries of two night inspectors.....	1,320 00	1,320 00	
10. For salaries of two vessel inspectors, from June to October.....	360 00	360 00	
11. For pay of vaccine physicians..... \$5,000 00			
Transfer to Item 54, ap- proved Nov. 4, 1874..... \$800 00			
Transfer to Items 14, 46, approved Dec. 31, 1874.. 400 00			
	1,200 00		
12. For fuel, furniture, repairs, postage and inci- dentals	3,800 00	3,529 70	270 30
13. For printing, advertising, books, blanks, news- papers and stationery.....	1,000 00	951 39	48 61
14. For removal of nuisances..... \$20,000 00	1,000 00	956 60	43 40
Transfer from Item 38, ap- proved Nov. 2, 1874..... \$800 00			
Transfer from Item 39, ap- proved Nov. 2, 1874..... 1,200 00			
Transfer from Item 43, ap- proved Nov. 2, 1874..... 1,500 00			
Transfer from Item 46, ap- proved Nov. 46, 1874..... 1,500 00			
Transfer from Items 11, 31, 35, 37, 38, 39, 50 and 55, appro'd Dec. 31, 1874 3,800 00			
	8,800 00		
15. For carriage hire and railroad tickets for dis- trict committee.....	28,800 00	28,001 12	798 88
16. For carriage hire and railroad tickets for burial ground and poudrette committees, and for expenses incurred in executing the poudrette laws.....	800 00	761 00	39 00
17. For executing the registration act, and for ex- penses of office, also for books, stationery, blanks and advertising.....	400 00	375 00	25 00
18. For salary of Lazaretto physician.....	1,900 00	1,869 82	30 18
19. For salary of quarantine master.....	2,500 00	2,500 00	
20. For salary of steward.....	2,000 00	2,000 00	
21. For salary of gardener.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	
22. For salaries of bargemen or tugmen, and engi- neer	240 00	240 00	
	3,160 00	3,160 00	
23. For salaries of male nurses.....	150 00	90 00	60 00
24. For salaries of female nurses.....	200 00	25 00	175 00
25. For salary of watchman.....	100 00	100 00	

Department of Board of Health—Continued.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated	Amount Counters'd.	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>			
26. For washing, bedding brushes, furniture, soap, cleansing, and incidentals.....	\$500 00	\$567 30	\$232 70
27. For medicine, lime, coffins, and burial expenses.....	300 00	152 19	147 81
28. For coal, oil, paints, fluid, flags, boats, and repairs.....	600 00	363 37	236 63
29. For carriage hire and railroad tickets for Lazzaretto committee.....	200 00	137 50	62 50
30. For board and washing the clothing of bargemen, tugmen, nurses, patients and officers....	1,200 00	883 65	316 35
31. For general repairs to buildings, grounds and appurtenances, and for taxes and insurance.....	\$2,500 00		
Transfer to Items 14 and 46, approved Dec. 31, 1874.....	500 00		
	2,000 00	1,545 32	454 68
32. For outside channel visits and taking vessels to quarantine, and for quarters for boats, bargemen, including the maintenance of a steam tug boat.....	\$3,500 00		
Transfer to Item 48, approved July 6, 1874.....	1,000 00		
	2,500 00	2,183 83	316 17
33. For carrying mails, portorage and postage.....	300 00	247 06	62 94
34. For ice and filling ice house.....	300 00	232 00	48 00
35. For medical attendance.....	\$2,000 00		
Transfer to Items 14 and 46, approved Dec. 31, 1874.....	800 00		
	1,200 00	1,200 00	
36. For salary of steward and stewardess.....	1,500 00	1,000 00	500 00
37. For salaries of laundresses.....	\$1,100 00		
Transfer to Items 14 and 46, approved Dec. 31, 1874.....	800 00		
	300 00	240 00	60 00
38. For salaries of male nurses.....	\$2,000 00		
Transfer to Item 14, approved Nov. 2, 1874.....	\$800 00		
Transfer to Items 14 and 46, approved Dec. 31, 1874.....	200 00		
	1,000 00		
	1,000 00	960 00	40 00
39. For salaries of female nurses.....	\$2,000 00		
Transfer to Item 14, approved Nov. 2, 1874.....	\$1,200 00		
Transfer to Item 14 and 46, approved Dec. 31, 1874.....	300 00		
	1,500 00		
	500 00	476 97	23 03
40. For salary of fireman.....	300 00	300 00	
41. For salary of watchman.....	300 00	240 00	60 00
42. For salaries of two gardeners.....	500 00	420 00	80 00
43. For board and washing for patients, nurses and officers.....	\$3,000 00		
Transfer to Item 14, approved Nov. 2, 1874.....	1,500 00		
	1,500 00	1,468 61	31 39

Department of Board of Health—Continued.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.		Amount Appropriat'd	Amount Counters'd.	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>				
44. For clothing, bedding, furniture, repairs and incidentals.....		\$500 00	\$407 49	\$92 51
45. For fuel, lights, brushes, soap, cleansing, and incidental supplies.....		1,000 00	928 12	71 88
46. For medicines, coffins, and burial expenses of removing bodies from small pox burying ground necessitated by the opening of Lehigh avenue	\$2,000 00			
Transfer to Item 14, approved Nov. 2, 1874.....	1,500 00			
	\$500 00			
Transfer from Items 11, 31, 35, 37, 38, 39, 50 and 55, approved Dec. 31, 1874.....	500 00	1,000 00	546 51	453 49
47. For carriage hire, railroad tickets, conveyance of patients, tolls, portorage and postage.....		500 00	493 81	6 19
48. For general expenses of the Sanitary Committee, printing, blanks and stationery.....	\$300 00			
Transfer from Item 32, approved July 6, 1874.....	1,000 00	1,300 00	1,267 87	52 13
49. For purchase of horses, vehicles and harness, and for the keep of and repairs to the same...		1,000 00	685 96	314 04
50. For insurance and general improvements, and repairs to buildings, grounds, and appurtenances, including the maintenance of the telegraph	\$1,000 00			
Transfer to Items 14 and 46, approved Dec. 31, 1874.....	300 00	700 00	553 79	146 21
51. For pay of contractors for cleansing streets and markets and removing the ashes, dead animals and garbage therefrom.....		210,219 00	209,355 87	863 13
52. For stationery and printing.....		2,000 00	1,977 17	22 83
53. For salaries.....		4,400 00	4,380 00	20 00
54. For incidentals.....	\$1,000 00			
Transfer from Item 11, approved Nov. 2, 1874	800 00	1,800 00	1,732 00	68 00
55. For the removal of kitchen garbage and offal.....	\$35,165 33			
Transfer to Items 14 and 46, approved Dec. 31, 1874.....	1,000 00	34,165 33	32,965 31	1,200 02
Total.		\$344,934 33	\$337,468 75	\$7,465 58

Department of Guardians of the Poor.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriat'd	Amount Counters'd.	Balances Merging.
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Guardians of the Poor for the year 1874, approved Dec. 31, 1873.....	\$493,350 47		
Additional, approved Dec. 28, 1874.....	40,843 10		
	<u>\$534,193 57</u>		
Hospital Department.			
<i>Items.</i>			
1. Drugs and medicines.....	\$10,000 00		
Transfer to Item 22, resolution Nov. 2, 1874.....	2,000 00		
	<u>\$8,000 00</u>		
Additional, approved Dec. 28, 1874...	205 40		
	<u>\$8,205 40</u>	\$8,202 60	\$2 80
2. Sugar, butter, lard, oat and cake meal	\$1,200 00		
Additional, approved Dec. 28, 1874..	71 60		
	<u>1,271 60</u>	1,262 52	9 08
3. Brandy, wine, whiskey and porter... \$1,500 00			
Additional, approved Dec. 28, 1874..	511 25		
	<u>5,011 25</u>	4,959 28	51 97
4. Surgical instruments, leeches and leeching	\$2,500 00		
Transfer to Item 22, resolution Nov. 2, 1874.....	500 00		
	<u>2,000 00</u>	1,978 30	21 70
5. Books and binding for medical library, and preservation of patho- logical specimens	\$300 00		
Transfer to Item 22, resolution Nov. 2, 1874.....	200 00		
	<u>100 00</u>	57 88	42 12
6. Marketing for hospital and nurses' tables.....	\$12,000 00		
Transfer from Item 21, resolution Nov. 2, 1874.....	1,300 00		
	<u>13,300 00</u>	13,300 00	
7. Salaries of apothecary, assistant, and recording clerk.....	2,350 00	2,350 00	
8. Wages on pay roll.....	7,400 00	7,399 97	03
9. Board of resident physicians.....	2,620 00	2,607 17	12 83
10. Salary of warden.....	\$1,000 00		
Transfer to Item 22, resolution Nov. 2, 1874.....	150 00		
	<u>850 00</u>	833 33	16 67
11. Incidental expenses.....	\$300 00		
Transfer from Item 21, resolution Nov. 2, 1874.....	30 00		
	<u>330 00</u>	327 09	2 91

Department of Poor—Continued.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriat'd	Amount Counters'd.	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>			
11½. Purchasing two ambulances and for telegraph..... \$2,000 00 Transfer to Item 22, resolution Nov. 2, 1874..... 159 50	\$1,840 50	\$1,840 50	
Insane Department.			
12. Marketing for Insane Department.... \$4,000 00 Transfer from Item 23, resolution Nov. 2, 1874..... 650 00	4,650 00	4,650 00	
13. Salaries of superintendent and physician in chief, assistant resident physician, and board of two assistant resident physicians.....	3,620 00	3,620 00	
14. Wages on pay roll, chargeable to Insane Asylum.....	12,650 00	12,636 00	\$14 00
15. Incidental expenses..... \$500 00 Transfer to Item 22, resolution Nov. 2, 1874..... 200 00	300 00	288 75	11 25
Children's Asylum.			
16. Marketing and supplies for matron's and nurses' tables..... \$1,200 00 Transfer from Item 23, resolution Nov. 2, 1874..... 650 00	1,850 00	1,850 00	
17. Wages on pay roll, chargeable to Children's Asylum.....	800 00	771 00	29 00
18. Salaries of matron and teacher, and assistant matron.....	800 00	800 00	
19. Incidental expenses..... \$300 00 Transfer to Item 22, resolution Nov. 2, 1874..... 120 00	180 00	177 37	2 63
House Generally.			
20. Flour, corn, and corn meal..... \$50,000 00 Transfer to Item 31, resolu- tion Nov. 2, 1874..... \$310 00 Transfer to Item 32, resolu- tion Nov. 2, 1874..... 800 00 Transfer to Item 34, resolu- tion Nov. 2, 1874..... 4,115 00 Transfer to Item 37, resolu- tion Nov. 2, 1874..... 4,775 00	10,000 00		
Additional, approved Dec 28, 1874..	\$40,000 00		
	2,535 25	42,531 32	93
	42,535 25		

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.

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Items.

21. Beef, mutton, veal, pork and bacon..\$42,500 00

Beer, malted, yeast, pork and bacon..	
Transfer to Item 6, resolution	
Nov. 2, 1874.....	\$1,300 00

Transfer to Item 11, resolution Nov. 2, 1874.....	30 00
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Transfer to Item 31, resolution Nov. 2, 1874.....	190 00
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Transfer to Item 57, resolution Nov. 2, 1874.....	480 00
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2,000 00

\$40,500 00

	\$40,500 00
Additional, approved Dec. 28, 1874..	2,188 53

\$42,688 53

\$42,594 62

893 91

22. Codfish, butter, lard, rice, corn, hominy, barley, salt, and pepper.....\$15,000 00

Transfer from Item 1, resolution	
Nov. 2, 1874.....	2,000 00

Nov. 2, 1874.....	2,000 00
Transfer from Item 4, resolution	
Nov. 2, 1874.....	500 00

Transfer from Item 5, resolution Nov. 2, 1874	200 00
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Transfer from Item 10, resolution Nov. 2, 1874	150 00
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Nov. 2, 1874.....	150 00
Transfer from Item 11½, resolution Nov. 2, 1874.....	159 50

Transfer from Item 15, resolution Nov. 2, 1874.....	200 00
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Transfer from Item 19, resolution	
Nov. 2, 1874.....	120 00

Nov. 2, 1874.....	120 00
Transfer from Item 46, resolution	
Nov. 2, 1874.....	500 00

Transfer from Item 47, resolution Nov. 2, 1874.....	300 00
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Additional, approved Dec. 28, 1874...	5,127 48
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24,256 98

24,193 72

63 26

23. Tea, coffee, rye, sugar, and molasses. \$28,000 00

Transfer to Item 12, resolution Nov. 2, 1874.....	\$650 00
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Transfer to Item 16, resolution Nov. 2, 1874	650 00
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Transfer to Item 24, resolution Nov. 2, 1874.....	396 22
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Transfer to Item 57, resolution Nov. 2, 1874.....	1,303 78
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3,000 00

\$25,000 00

	\$25,000 00
Additional, approved Dec. 28, 1874..	5,951 68

30,951 68

30,947 46

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GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.		Amount Appropriat'd	Amount Counters'd.	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>				
24. Potatoes, beans and other vegetables.	\$7,000 00			
Transfer from Item 23, resolution				
Nov. 2, 1874.....	396 22			
Transfer from Item 23, resolution				
Nov. 2, 1874.....	200 00			
Transfer from Item 30, resolution				
Nov. 2, 1874.....	1,000 00			
Transfer from Item 40, resolution				
Nov. 2, 1874.....	218 75			
Transfer from Item 38, resolution				
Nov. 2, 1874.....	100 00			
Transfer from Item 42, resolution				
Nov. 2, 1874.....	100 00			
Transfer from Item 44, resolution				
Nov. 2, 1874.....	100 00			
Transfer from Item 45, resolution				
Nov. 2, 1874.....	100 00			
Transfer from Item 50, resolution				
Nov. 2, 1874.....	300 00			
Transfer from Item 54, resolution				
Nov. 2, 1874.....	200 00			
Transfer from Item 53, resolution				
Nov. 2, 1874.....	200 00			
Transfer from Item 59, resolution				
Nov. 2, 1874.....	500 00			
Transfer from Item 63, resolution				
Nov. 2, 1874.....	300 00			
Transfer from Item 64, resolution				
Nov. 2, 1874.....	200 00			
Transfer from Item 66, resolution				
Nov. 2, 1874.....	200 00			
Transfer from Item 71, resolution				
Nov. 2, 1874.....	200 00			
Transfer from Item 75, resolution				
Nov. 2, 1874.....	720 00			
Transfer from Item 77, resolution				
Nov. 2, 1874.....	300 00			
Transfer from Item 79, resolution				
Nov. 2, 1874.....	165 03			
Additional, approved Dec. 28, 1874..	5,238 59	\$17,738 59	\$17,736 75	\$1 84
25. Crackers, hops, malt, vinegar and pickles.....	\$2,300 00			
Transfer to Item 24, resolution Nov. 2, 1874.....	200 00	2,100 00	2,044 22	55 78
26. Marketing for Old Women's Asylum.....		1,200 00	1,200 00	
27. Marketing for Almshouse.....		1,200 00	1,200 00	
28. Dry goods.....	\$20,000 00			
Additional, approved Dec. 28, 1874..	8,800 68	28,800 68	28,738 13	62 55
29. Boots, shoes, hats and caps.....	\$3,500 00			
Additional, approved Dec. 28, 1874..	1,257 90	4,757 90	4,722 14	35 76

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GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriat'd	Amount Counterst'd	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>			
30. Hosiery, yarn, thread, cotton, combs, needles, and trimmings,..... \$3,500 00 Additional, approved Dec. 28, 1874.. 517 65	\$4,017 65	\$4,017 17	\$ 48
31. Tobacco, soap, lime, starch and sal soda \$5,000 00 Transfer from Item 20, resolution Nov. 2, 1874..... 310 00 Transfer from Item 21, resolution Nov. 2, 1874..... 190 00 Additional, approved Dec. 28, 1874... 834 52	6,334 52	6,307 99	26 53
32. Hardware, crockery, tin, and wooden ware, brushes and brooms..... \$4,600 00 Transfer from Item 20, resolution Nov. 2, 1874..... 800 00 Additional, approved Dec. 28, 1874... 688 05	6,068 05	6,045 15	22 90
33. Purchase and repairs of stoves, castings and cooking apparatus.....	1,000 00	999 64	36
34. General repairs to house, plumbing, gas fitting, and materials therefor \$13,000 00 Transfer from Item 20, resolution Nov. 2, 1874..... 4,115 00 Additional, approved Dec. 28, 1874.. 2,762 50	19,877 50	19,872 30	5 20
35. Fuel	22,200 00	22,199 14	86
36. Gas and oil..... \$9,100 00 Transfer to Item 24, resolution Nov. 2, 1874..... 1,000 00	8,100 00	7,615 63	484 37
37. Furniture and straw..... \$6,000 00 Transfer from Item 20, resolution Nov. 2, 1874..... 4,775 00	10,775 00	10,557 72	217 28
38. Cleaning sinks and chimneys..... \$100 00 Transfer to Item 24, resolution Nov. 2, 1874..... 100 00			
39. Salaries of steward, clerk, and storekeeper, house agent, matron, and steward's clerk...	6,700 00	6,700 00	
40. Salaries of door-keeper, engineer, as- sistant engineer, plumber and gas- fitter, baker, general watchman, and police officer..... \$4,080 00 Transfer to Item 24, resolution Nov. 2, 1874..... 218 75	3,861 25	3,861 25	
41. Wages on pay roll, chargeable to house gener- ally.....	4,750 00	4,743 00	7 00

Department of Poor—Continued.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.		Amount Appropriat'd	Amount Counters'd.	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>				
42. Hose and repairs to same.....	\$400 00			
Transfer to Item 24, resolution Nov. 2, 1874.....	100 00	\$300 00	\$279 45	\$20 55
43. Incidental expenses.....	\$400 00			
Transfer from Item 80, resolution Nov. 2, 1874.....	8 50	408 50	407 83	61
Manufacturing Department.				
44. Leather, lasts, and shoe-findings.....	\$1,000 00			
Transfer to Item 24, resolution Nov. 2, 1874.....	100 00	3,900 00	3,797 41	102 59
45. Tallow, caustic alkali, and materials for making soap	\$2,000 00			
Transfer to Item 24, resolution Nov. 2, 1874.....	100 00	1,900 00	1,787 19	112 81
46. Chain, filling, and weaving materials.	\$7,500 00			
Transfer to Item 22, resolution Nov. 2, 1874.	500 00	7,000 00	6,494 96	505 04
47. Blacksmith's coal, iron and steel.....	\$1,100 00			
Transfer to Item 22, resolution Nov. 2, 1874.....	300 00	800 00	667 77	132 23
48. Tin, glass, paint, varnish, oil, glue, brushes, wire, zinc and sheet iron.	\$2,000 00			
Additional, approved Dec. 28, 1874..	488 79	2,488 79	2,455 24	33 55
49. Lumber		2,000 00	1,868 52	131 48
50. Hardware and tools.....	\$1,700 00			
Transfer to Item 24, resolution Nov. 2, 1874.....	300 00			
	\$1,400 00			
Additional, approved Dec. 28, 1874..	104 38	1,504 38	1,255 25	249 13
51. Salary of superintendent.....		800 00	800 00	
52. Wages on pay roll, chargeable to the manu- factory and overwork.....		800 00	757 27	42 73
53. Incidental expenses.....	\$300 00			
Transfer from Item 80, resolution Nov. 2, 1874.....	25 07	325 07	322 67	2 40

Department of Poor—Continued.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.		Amount Appropriat'd	Amount Counters'd.	Balances Merging.
Farm and Blockley Estate.				
<i>Items.</i>				
54. Lumber and repairs.....	\$800 00			
Transfer to Item 24, resolution Nov.				
2, 1874.....	200 00	\$600 00	\$389 35	\$210 65
55. Lime, sand, and masonry.....	\$200 00			
Transfer to Item 24, resolution Nov.				
2, 1874.....	200 00			
56. Repairing wharf, pumping engine, and meadow bank		200 00	200 00	
57. Straw and feed for horses and cows, and for purchase of milk	\$8,500 00			
Transfer from Item 21, resolution				
N v 2, 1874.....	480 00			
Transfer from Item 23, resolution				
Nov. 2, 1874.....	1,303 78			
Additional, approved Dec. 28, 1874...	1,919 71	12,203 49	12,143 95	59 54
58. Seeds, manure, and farming utensils.	\$700 00			
Transfer from Item 79, resolution				
Nov. 2, 1874.....	34 97			
Transfer from Item 80, resolution				
Nov. 2, 1874.....	116 43	851 40	767 25	84 15
59. Purchase of horses, cows, wagons, &c.	\$1,000 00			
Transfer to Item 24, resolution Nov.				
2, 1874.....	500 00	500 00	423 93	76 07
60. Iron and blacksmith work.....	\$950 00			
Additional, approved Dec. 28, 1874...	363 20	1,313 20	1,056 58	226 62
61. Salaries of farmer and gardeners.....		1,630 00	1,615 00	15
62. Wages on pay roll, chargeable to farm and garden		200 00	173 00	27
63. Insurance on buildings and contents.	\$500 00			
Transfer to Item 24, resolution Nov.				
2, 1874.....	300 00	200 00	160 00	40 00
64. Incidental expenses.....	\$300 00			
Transfer to Item 24, resolution Nov.				
2, 1874.....	200 00	100 00	95 63	4 37
Out-door expenses.				
65. Salaries of secretary, out-door agent, wagon driver, visitor of children, and messenger....		4,500 00	4,500 00	

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GENERAL APPROPRIATION.		Amount Appropriat'd	Amount Counters'd.	Balance Merging.
<i>Items.</i>				
66. Travelling expenses of house agent and support of non-residents.....	\$600 00			
Transfer to Item 24, resolution Nov. 2, 1874.....	200 00	\$400 00	\$392 97	\$7 03
67. Ground rent of city office.....		180 00	180 00	
68. Repairs to city office, gas, water rent, and inci- dental office expenses.....		300 00	298 08	1 92
69. Expenses of support and bastardy cases.....		20,500 00	19,445 07	1,054 93
70. Costs of serving processes and removal of non- residents.....		2,000 00	1,999 98	02
71. Cupping, leeching, and burial cases..	\$600 00			
Transfer to Item 24, resolution Nov. 2, 1874.....	200 00	400 00	397 60	2 40
72. Rent of visitors' offices		1,740 00	1,662 53	77 47
73. Salaries of out-door visitors.....		7,900 00	6,999 96	04
74. Salaries of out-door physicians and apothec- aries.....		2,820 00	2,820 00	
75. Maintaining and educating two deaf mutes in the Deaf and Dumb Asy- lum in the City.....	\$720 00			
Transfer to Item 24, resolution Nov. 2, 1874.....	720 00			
76. Support of twelve feeble-minded children, in the Pennsylvania Training School, at Media.		3,600 00	3,600 00	
77. Printing, stationery and advertising. \$3,200 00				
Transfer to Item 24, resolution Nov. 2, 1874.....	300 00	2,900 00	2,899 12	88
78. Railroad tickets for Guardians and Medical Board		800 00	800 00	
79. Provisions for small pox patients.....	\$200 00			
Transfer to Item 24, resolu- tion Nov. 27, 1874.....	\$165 03			
Transfer to Item 58, resolu- tion Nov. 27, 1874.....	34 97			
	200 00			
80. Incidental expenses.....	\$200 00			
Transfer to Item 43, resolu- tion Nov. 2, 1874.....	\$8 50			
Transfer to Item 53, resolu- tion Nov. 2, 1874.....	25 07			
Transfer to Item 58, resolu- tion Nov. 2, 1874.....	116 43			
	150 00	50 00	50 00	

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GENERAL APPROPRIATION.	Amount Appropriat'd	Amount Appropriat'd	Balance Merging.
<i>Items.</i>			
Relief of out-door Poor.			
81. First Poor District.....	\$8,000 00	\$7,996 52	\$3 48
82. Second Poor District.....	8,000 00	7,990 58	9 42
83. Third Poor District.....	9,500 00	9,499 59	41
84. Fourth Poor District.....	8,700 00	8,699 08	92
85. Fifth Poor District.....	6,000 00	5,995 46	4 54
86. Sixth Poor District.....	4,000 00	3,987 24	12 76
87. Seventh Poor District.....	7,600 00	7,599 20	80
88. Eighth Poor District.....	7,000 00	6,932 02	67 98
89. Ninth Poor District.....	4,000 00	3,993 87	6 13
90. Tenth Poor District.....	4,000 00	3,999 72	28
91. Eleventh Poor District.....	3,000 00	2,998 00	2 00
92 Twelfth Poor District.....	4,500 00	4,452 13	47 87
93. Increasing and repairing water closets in in- sane department, plumbing and fixtures for the same.....	3,000 00	2,997 71	2 29
94. Tin roof for hospital..... \$1,200 00 Transfer to Item 94½, resolution Nov. 2, 1874..... 1,200 00			
94½. Gravel roof on hospital and insane depart- ment. Transfer from Item 94, resolution Nov. 2, 1874.	1,200 00	1,200 00	
95. Paving and curbing Spruce street and Thirty- seventh street, to Thirty-sixth street, and Thirty-fourth street, from Walnut to Spruce.	6,242 85	6,242 85	
96. Bill of sewers in 1873.....	672 62	672 62	
97. Laying water pipe in 1873.. ..	225 00	225 00	
98. Paving and curbing done on east side of Thirty- fourth street, southward from Locust street, and paving of intersection of Thirty-fourth street.....	1,295 94	1,295 94	
Total	\$534,193 57	\$529,513 26	\$4,680 31

Fire Department.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriat'd	Amount Counters'd.	Balance Merging.
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Board of Fire Commissioners for the year 1874, approved December 31, 1873.....	\$536,490 00		
<i>Items.</i>			
1. Salary of Chief Engineer.....	\$2,500 00	\$2,500 00	
2. Salaries of five assistant engineers.....	6,000 00	6,000 00	
3. Salary of secretary.....	1,500 00	1,500 00	
4. Salary of clerk at store house.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	
5. Salary of messenger.....	800 00	800 00	
6. Salary of driver of supply wagon.. \$600 00		600 00	
Transfer to Items 16 and 34, resolution December 12, 1874.....	61 00		
7. Salaries of thirty-two foremen..... \$32,000 00		539 00	\$ 29
Transfer to Items 16, and 34, resolution December 12, 1874.....	23 00		
8. Salaries of twenty-seven engineers..... \$27,000 00		31,977 00	50
Transfer to Items 16 and 34, resolution December 12, 1874.....	27 00		
9. Salaries of twenty-seven firemen... \$21,600 00		26,973 00	41 28
Transfer to Items 16, and 34, resolution December 12, 1874.....	24 00		
10. Salaries of thirty-two drivers..... \$24,000 00		21,576 00	38
Transfer to Items 16, and 34, resolution December 12, 1874.....	63 00		
11. Salaries of five tillermen.....	23,937 00	23,936 76	24
12. Salaries of two hundred and forty-six permanent hose and ladder-men..... \$184,500 00	3,750 00	3,750 00	
Transfer to Items 16 and 34, resolution December 12, 1874.....	550 00		
13. Salaries of twenty hose and ladder-men..... \$7,200 00	183,950 00	183,949 27	73
Transfer to Items 16 and 34, resolution December 12, 1874....	50 00		
14. Salaries of four hosemen for band engines.....	7,150 00	7,140 00	10 00
15. Maintenance of horses..... \$32,000 00	2,400 00	2,400 00	
Transfer to Items 16, 18, 22, 23, 25, 29, 30, 33, resolution November 27, 1874.....	3,000 00		
	\$29,000 00		
Transfer to Items 16 and 34, resolution December 12, 1874.....	4,500 00		
16. Repairs to apparatus..... \$30,000 00	4500 00	23,940 29	559 71
Transfer from Items 15, 17, 20, 21, 26, resolution November 27, 1874	1,500 00		
Transfer from Items 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 12, 13, 15, 17, 21, 23, 24, 25, 27, 28, 30, 32, 33, 26, resolution December 12, 1874.....	1,444 53		
	32,944 53	32,919 65	24 85

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GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.		Amount Appropriat'd	Amount Counter's'd.	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>				
17. Supplies for engines, houses and stables.....	\$6,400 00			
Transfer to Items 16, 18, 22, 23, 25, 29, 30, 33, resolution November 27, 1874.....	1,000 00			
	\$5,400 00			
Transfer to Items 16 and 34, reso- lution December 12, 1874.....	400 00	\$5,000 00	\$4,937 78	\$62 22
18. Printing, stationery and advertis- ing.....	\$1,500 00			
Transfer from Items 15, 17, 20, 21, 26, resolution November 27, 1874.....	800 00			
		2,300 00	2,276 52	23 48
19. Fuel and gas for houses.....		9,000 00	8,972 59	27 41
20. Fuel for engines.....	\$4,000 00			
Transfer to Items 16, 18, 22, 23, 25, 29, 30, 33, resolution November 27, 1874.....	1,000 00			
		3,000 00	2,999 79	21
21. Rent of houses.....	\$23,000 00			
Transfer to Items 16, 18, 22, 23, 25, 29, 30, 33, resolution November 27, 1874.....	2,500 00			
	\$22,500 00			
Transfer to Items 16 and 34, reso- lution December 12, 1874.....	917 00	21,583 00	21,582 09	91
22. Purchase of forcing hose.....	\$24,500 00			
Transfer from Items 15, 17, 20, 21, 26, resolution November 27, 1874.....	1,500 00			
	\$26,000 00			
Transfer to Items 16 and 34, reso- lution December 12, 1874.....	5,811 00	20,189 00	20,188 67	83
23. Purchase of horses.....	\$10,000 00			
Transfer from Items 15, 17, 20, 21, 26, resolution November 27, 1874.....	2,000 00			
	\$12,000 00			
Transfer to Items 16 and 34, reso- lution December 12, 1874.....	1,825 00	10,175 00	10,175 00	
24. Purchase of and repairs to harness. Transfer to Items 16 and 34, reso- lution December 12, 1874.....	\$4,000 00 250 00	3,750 00	3,734 61	15 39
25. Purchase of furniture and bed- ding.....	\$2,500 00			
Transfers from Items 15, 17, 20, 21, 26, resolution November 27, 1874.....	8,00 00			
	\$3,300 00			
Transfer to Items 16 and 34, reso- lution December 12, 1874.....	300 00	3,000 00	2,997 34	2 66

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GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.		Amount Appropriat'd	Amount Counters'd.	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>				
26.	Purchase of apparatus.....	\$15,000 00		
	Transfer to Items 16, 18, 22, 23, 25, 29, 30, 33, resolution November 27, 1874.....	5,000 00		
		\$10,000 00		
	Transfer to Items 16 and 34, reso- lution December 12, 1874.....	580 00		
		\$9,420 00	\$9,319 00	\$101 00
27.	Veterinary surgeon and medicine.	\$1,000 00		
	Transfer to Items 16 and 34, reso- lution December 12, 1874.....	174 00		
		826 00	825 41	59
27½.	William Birch, for services as Veterinary Surgeon in 1872.....		240 00	240 00
28.	Cleaning bunk rooms and offices...	\$5,000 00		
	Transfer to Items 16 and 34, reso- lution December 12, 1874.....	600 00		
		4,400 00	4,376 25	23 75
29.	Repairs and alterations to houses	\$7,000 00		
	Transfer from Items 15, 17, 20, 21, 26, resolution November 27, 1874.....	3,500 00		
		10,500 00	10,495 90	4 10
30.	Repairing hose.....	\$1,500 00		
	Transfer from Items 15, 17, 20, 21, 26, resolution November 27, 1874.....	500 00		
		\$2,000 00		
	Transfer to Items 16 and 34, reso- lution December 12, 1874.....	250 00		
		1,750 00	1,743 89	6 11
31.	Incidentals and office expenses.....		2,000 00	1,977 37
32.	For furnishing uniforms to em- ployees.....	\$16,000 00		
	Transfer to Items 16 and 34, reso- lution December 12, 1874.....	298 00		
		15,702 00	15,701 66	34
33.	For alterations and additions to Arsenal building, and fitting up repair shops.....	\$25,000 00		
	Transfer from Items 15, 17, 20, 21, 26, resolution November 27, 1874.....	1,900 00		
		\$26,900 00		
	Transfer to Items 16 and 34, reso- lution December 12, 1874.....	1,700 00		
		25,200 00	25,200 00	

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GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriat'd	Amount Counters'd.	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>			
34. To pay claims against the department, for deficiencies for the year 1873, as follows:			
Transfer from Items 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 12, 13, 15, 17, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 30, 32, 33, resolution December 12, 1874.			
Johnson, Hess & Co., repairs to apparatus.....	\$5,084 83	\$5,084 83	
C. Schanz, repairs to apparatus	3,911 08	3,911 08	
Philadelphia Hydraulic Works, repairs to apparatus.....	2,090 00	2,090 00	
J. L. Travis, brass work and repairs.....	329 65	329 65	
Ketterer & Scherer, repairs to apparatus.....	224 38	224 38	
New Haven Wheel Co., for wheels.....	590 00	590 00	
Lowry & Lynch, stoves and repairing.....	397 86	397 86	
Shaw & Son, wood.....	363 50	363 50	
J. W. Callahan, harness and repairs.....	227 35	227 35	
D. Drislane, horse shoeing.....	117 83	117 83	
Antrim & English, horse shoeing.....	108 12	108 12	
T. H. Aurocker, locks, keys and repairing.....	53 74	53 74	
A. D. Bacon, horse shoeing.....	98 38	98 38	
R. J. O'Neill, altering and repairing hose couplings for suction.....	583 00	583 00	
J. P. Wood & Co., repairs to steam heating apparatus	945 63	945 63	
Good Intent Fire Co., for gas consumed.....	61 18	61 18	
S. Y. Greer, hose pipes and nozzles.....	282 00	282 00	
J. B. Hancock, for coal.....	201 50	201 50	
T. M. Holmes, rep'rs to lamps.....	31 27	31 27	
Kiem, Kennedy & Co., horse blankets.....	420 00	420 00	
C. R. Jamison, horse shoeing.....	108 07	108 07	
William Gillen, repairing harness.....	20 60	20 60	
D. P. Dieterick, gum supplies and hose.....	708 50	708 50	
Total.....	\$536,490 00	\$535,560 89	\$929 11
FIRE LOAN.			
SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.			
An Ordinance to approve the award of the contract for the erection of a fire station house on the north side of Pleasant street, above Tenth street, and approval of the contract and sureties, and to make an appropriation therefor. Approved October 27, 1873.			
Brought from books of 1873.....	\$9,550 00	\$9,550 00	
An Ordinance to authorize the purchase of a lot of ground with the buildings thereon erected, situated on the north side of Evelina street, east of Third street, for a fire station, and to make an appropriation therefor. Approved June 28, 1873. Supplement passed January 3, 1874.			
Brought from books of 1873.....	8,000 00	8,000 00	
An Ordinance to authorize the purchase of a lot of ground on the southwest side of Montgomery avenue, southeast of Girard avenue, for a fire station, and to make an appropriation therefor. Approved November 22, 1873.....	2,000 00	2,000 00	
An Ordinance to authorize the purchase of two lots of ground situate on the south side of Morris street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, in the First Ward, for a fire station, and to make an appropriation therefor. Approved November 22, 1874.	2,933 00	2,933 00	

Fire Department—Continued.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated	Amount Counters'd.	Balances Merging.
An Ordinance to authorize the purchase of a lot of ground with the buildings thereon erected, situate at the corner of Putnam and Howard streets, belonging to the Taylor Hose Company. Approved March 7, 1874.....	\$9,800 00	\$9,800 00	
An Ordinance to authorize the purchase of a lot of ground and buildings thereon erected, situate on the west side of New Market street, below Poplar, for a fire station, and to make an appropriation therefor. Approved April 6, 1874.....	5,400 00	5,400 00	
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay Henry B. Leskie, for extra foundation and digging at the fire station house, Pleasant street, above Tenth street. Approved July 17, 1874.....	992 00	992 00	
An Ordinance to approve the award of contract for the erection of a fire station house on the west side of N. w Market street, below Poplar, and to make an appropriation therefor. Approved October 8, 1874.....	12,030 00	7,066 80	\$4,963 20
An Ordinance to approve the award of contract for the erection of a fire station house on the south side of Morris street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, and to make an appropriation therefor. Approved October 8, 1874.....	11,040 00	8,400 00	2,640 00
An Ordinance to authorize the purchase of the fire engine house and lot of ground on the north side of Callowhill street, west of Nineteenth, and to make an appropriation therefor. Approved October 8, 1874.....	8,000 00	8,000 00	
An Ordinance to authorize the purchase of a lot of ground with the buildings thereon erected, situate southwest side of Church street (Frankford), Twenty-third Ward, belonging to the Decatur Fire Company, and to make an appropriation therefor. Approved December 2, 1874.....	6,000 00	6,000 00	
An Ordinance to approve the award of contract for the erection of a fire station house on the southwest side of Montgomery avenue, southeast of Girard avenue, and to make an appropriation therefor. Approved December 15, 1874.....	8,717 00	.....	8,717 00
RECAPITULATION.			
An Ordinance approved December 31, 1873.....	\$536,490 00	\$535,560 89	\$929 11
" " " " October 27, 1873.....	9,550 00	9,550 00	
" " " " June 28, 1873.....	8,000 00	8,000 00	
" " " " November 22, 1873.....	2,000 00	2,000 00	
" " " " November 22, 1873.....	2,933 00	2,933 00	
" " " " March 7, 1874.....	9,800 00	9,800 00	
" " " " April 6, 1874.....	5,400 00	5,400 00	
" " " " July 17, 1874.....	992 00	992 00	
" " " " October 8, 1874.....	12,030 00	7,066 80	4,963 20
" " " " October 8, 1874.....	11,040 00	8,400 00	2,640 00
" " " " October 8, 1874.....	8,000 00	8,000 00	
" " " " December 2, 1874.....	6,000 00	6,000 00	
" " " " December 15, 1874.....	8,717 00	.....	8,717 00
Grand total.....	\$620,952 00	\$603,702 89	\$17,249 31

Department of Clerks of Councils.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriat'd	Amount Counters'd.	Balances Merging.
An Ordinance making an appropriation to the Clerks of Councils for the year 1874, approved December 17, 1873.....\$39,496 00 Additional, approved Dec. 18, 1874..... 15,950 00 Additional, approved Dec. 18, 1874 10,000 00 \$65,446 00			
<i>Items.</i>			
1. For salaries of Clerks and Messengers.....	\$8,500 00	\$8,500 00	
2. For printing journals and other docu- ments .....\$15,000 00 Additional, approved Dec. 18, 1874... 10,350 00	25,350 00	25,311 15	\$38 85
Resolution approved July 3, 1874.			
3. For binding journals and other documents..... \$3,000 00 Transfer to Item 5..... \$254 44 Transfer to Item 7..... 245 56 500 00	2,500 00	2,500 00	
4. For advertising Ordinances, resolu- tions, and notices \$6,000 00 Additional, approved December 18, 1874..... 2,250 00	8,250 00	8,200 00	50 00
5. For stationery \$1,500 00 Transfer from Item 3, approved July 3, 1874..... 254 44 Additional, approved December 18, 1874..... 1,450 00	3,204 44	3,139 68	64 76
6. For carriage hire..... \$1,000 00 Additional, approved Dec. 18, 1874... 1,900 00	2,900 00	2,440 00	460 00
7. For incidentals \$3,000 00 Additional, approved Dec. 18, 1874 .. 10,000 00 Transfer from Item 3, approved July 3, 1874..... 245 56	13,245 56	13,222 67	22 89
8. For compensation of two Door-keepers, two cleaners, two Pages, and for making fires....	893 00	\$60 00	36 00
9. For printing a manual for the use of mem- bers.....	600 00	600 00	
Total.....	\$65,446 00	\$64,773 50	\$672 50
 SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.			
An Ordinance making an appropriation to the Clerks, Messengers, Pages, and Door-keepers for extra services, approved Dec. 12, 1874.....	\$800 00	\$800 00	
 RECAPITULATION.			
Ordinance, approved Dec. 17, 1873.....\$39,496 00 Additional, approved Dec. 18, 1874..... 15,950 00 Additional, approved Dec. 18, 1874..... 10,000 00 65,446 00	64,773 50	\$672 50	
Ordinance, approved Dec. 12, 1874.....	800 00		
Grand total.....	\$66,246 00	\$65,573 50	\$672 50

Department of Board of Revision.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated.	Amount Countersign'd.	Balances Merging.
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Board of Revision for the year 1874, app'd Dec. 17, 1873. \$97,525 00			
<i>Items.</i>			
1. Salaries of the members of the Board of Revision.....	\$12,000 00	\$12,000 00	
2. Printing and advertising notices of appeal to taxpayers.....	400 00	400 00	
3. Printing forms, stationery, &c.....	300 00	300 00	
4. Salary of chief clerk.....	1,500 00	1,500 00	
5. Salary of assistant clerk.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	
6. Salary of messenger.....	850 00	850 00	
7. Cleaning office.....	200 00	200 00	
8. Incidentals	250 00	250 00	
9. Books and stationery incident to making out and completing thirty-one tax duplicates and thirty-one tax triplicates.....	850 00	850 00	
10. Salaries of thirty assessors.....	60,000 00	60,000 00	
11. Books, stationery and printing blanks for the use of assessors in making the annual and extra assessments, and re-binding the assessors' books for 1874.	3,000 00	3,000 00	
12. Indexing assessors' books.....	2,000 00	2,000 00	
13. Comparing assessors' books, tax duplicates and tax triplicates, and all matters connected therewith..	1,500 00	1,500 00	
14. Making out and indexing thirty-one tax duplicates and thirty-one tax triplicates for the year 1874, including calculations, &c	8,525 00	8,525 00	
15. Additions to maps in the office of Board of Revision of Taxes.....	150 00	150 00	
16. Additional clerk hire, and salaries of assistants to revise new assessments under the control of the Board of Revision of Taxes.....	5,000 00	5,000 00	
Total	\$97,525 00	\$97,525 00	

Department of Police and Fire-Alarm Telegraph.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated	Amount Countersign'd.	Balances Merging.
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the department of Police and Fire-Alarm Telegraph for the year 1874, approved December 31, 1873.....	\$85,550 00		
<i>Items.</i>			
1. For salaries of superintendent and assistant superintendent.....	\$3,500 00	\$3,499 99	\$ 01
2. For salaries of fifty-nine operators, two battery and one repair man, at \$900 each.....	55,800 00	55,800 00	
3. For repairs.....	4,500 00	4,494 16	5 84
4. For keep of horse and wagon	450 00	450 00	
5. For batteries and acids.....	4,500 00	4,500 00	
6. For stationery.....	700 00	699 97	03
7. For incidentals.....	800 00	788 17	11 83
8. For painting telegraph poles.....	600 00	596 56	3 44
9. For poles, wires, instruments, &c., for new station houses	1,000 00	986 04	13 06
10. For extending telegraph to new engine houses.....	1,000 00	966 75	33 25
11. For fuel.....	200 00	200 00	
12. To connect the several offices of the Water Department with telegraph,	12,500 00	12,499 71	29
Total	\$85,550 00	\$85,482 25	\$67 75

Department of House of Correction.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated.	Amount Countersign'd.	Balances Merging.
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Board of Managers of the House of Correction for the year 1874, approved December 29, 1873.....	\$314,808 50		
Balance from appropriation approved December 28, 1872, to be taken from loan 57..	8,775 00		
	<u>\$323,583 50</u>		
<i>Items.</i>			
1. For salaries of superintendent, assistant superintendent, secretary, visiting physician, apothecary, book keeper, engineer, first engineer, assistant, second engineer, assistant, messenger, male instructor, teacher, cook, baker, chief farmer, wagon driver, store keeper, captain of the guards, twelve guards, thirty-eight guards from July 1, 1874, male nurse, matron, four assistant matrons, and female nurse	\$42,730 00		
Transfer to Items 28, 38 and 39½, per Ordinance approved Dec. 28, 1874..	5,000 00		
	<u>\$37,730 00</u>	\$33,848 18	\$3,881 82
2. For wheat, rye, and corn flour. \$12,000 00			
For six wings, from July 1, 1874....	18,000 00		
	<u>\$30,000 00</u>		
Transfer to Item 33, per Ordinance October 26, 1874.....	10,000 00		
	<u>20,000 00</u>	14,074 48	5,925 52

Department of House of Correction—Continued.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated.	Amount Countersigned	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>			
3. For beef, mutton and pork..\$20,000 00 For six wings, from July 1, 1874.... 30,000 00 -----\$50,000 00			
Transfer to Items 28, 38 and 39½, per Ordinance Dec. 28, 1874... 14,736 00			
4. For sugar, molasses, coffee, tea, and other provisions.\$10,000 00 For six wings, from July 1, 1874.... 15,000 00 -----\$25,000 00	\$35,264 00	\$16,038 96	\$19,225 04
Transfer to Item 40, per Ordinance Oct. 26, 1874.. \$3,500 00			
Transfer to Item 41, per Ordinance Oct. 26, 1874... 2,000 00			
Transfer to Item 42, per Ordinance Oct. 26, 1874... 2,500 00			
Transfer to Item 28, 38 and 39½, per Ordinance Dec. 28, 1874.. 3,000 00 ----- 11,000 00	14,000 00	12,055 40	1,944 60
5. For oil, soap, tobacco and starch..... \$1,800 00 For six wings, from July 1, 1874..... 2,700 00 -----	4,500 00	4,412 35	87 65
6. For potatoes and vegetables \$2,000 00 For six wings, from July 1, 1874..... 3,000 00 -----	5,000 00	4,216 15	783 85

Department of House of Correction—Continued.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated.	Amount Countersigned	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>			
7. For drugs, medicines and surgical instruments.....	\$1,000 00	\$999 84	\$ 16
8. For milk and ice.....	600 00	426 05	173 95
9. For hay, feed and straw.....	2,000 00	1,952 00	48 00
10. For hops, malt and buckets..	500 00	345 30	154 70
11. For car fare.....	400 00	393 80	6 20
12. For transportation of prisoners in accordance with law..... \$1,500 00 Transfer from Item 30, per Ordinance Oct. 26, 1874..... 1,000 00	2,500 00	2,381 27	118 73
13. For fitting up hospital.....	1,000 00	285 00	715 90
14. For fitting and furnishing apothecary shop.....	1,000 00	.....	1,000 00
15. For stationery.....	2,000 00	2,000 00	
16. For brushes, brooms and combs..... \$500 00 For six wings, from July 1, 1874..... 1,000 00	1,500 00	1,446 88	53 12
17. For lumber, paint and glass.....	5,000 00	5,000 00	
18. For fire hose.....	500 00	352 16	147 84
19. For iron and blacksmith work.....	1,000 00	796 63	203 37
20. For horses, wagons, carts, harness and swine.....	2,500 00	2,472 70	27 30
21. For farming utensils, manure and seeds.....	500 00	498 49	1 51
22. For wheelbarrows, shovels, picks, axes and carpenters' tools.	1,000 00	993 39	6 61
23. For rent of City office, fuel, &c....	600 00	374 00	226 00
24. For iron bedsteads... .. \$9,792 00 Transfer to Item 36, per Ordinance Oct. 26, 1874... \$2,500 00 Transfer to Item 43, per Ordinance Oct. 26, 1874... 1,000 00 3,500 00	6,292 00	4,935 59	1,356 41
25. For purchase of coal and lime for gas works.....	3,000 00		
26. For fuel for buildings.....	12,000 00	7,944 12	4,055 88

Department of House of Correction—Continued.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated.	Amount Countersign'd.	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>			
27. For clothing.....\$35,000 00 Transfer to Item 45, per Ordinance Oct. 26, 1874... \$3,000 00 Transfer to Item 46, per Ordinance Oct. 26, 1874... 7,000 00 10,000 00	\$25,000 00	\$18,129 64	\$6,870 36
28. For furniture and miscellaneous expenses.. \$20,666 50 Transfer from Items 1, 3 and 4, per Ordinance Dec. 28, 1874.. 3,000 00	23,666 50	23,457 05	209 45
29. For hardware, cooking and tinware.	5,000 00	4,838 54	161 46
30. For machinery required for the employment of inmates..... \$10,000 00 Transfer to Item 44, per Ordinance Oct. 26, 1874... \$5,000 00 Transfer to Item 12, per Ordinance Oct. 26, 1874... 1,000 00 6,000 00	4,000 00	4,000 00	
31. For arms and ammunition for guards.	1,000 00	966 98	33 02
32. For bed clothing and bedding.....	14,020 00	10,926 69	3,093 31
33. For yarn, thread, cotton, needles, &c.	1,000 00	998 79	1 21
34. For leather, lasts and shoe findings.	2,000 00	1,998 62	1 38
35. For permanent improvements, barn, wharf, piggery, outbuildings and fence.....	10,000 00	9,999 74	26
36. For incidentals \$3,500 00 Transfer from Item 24, per Ordinance Oct. 26, 1874..... 2,500 00	6,000 00	5,771 47	228 53
37. For construction of telegraph.....	3,000 00	2,675 00	325 00

Department of House of Correction—Continued.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated	Amount Countersigned	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>			
38. For completion of gas works \$5,000 00 Balance from appropriation approved Decem- ber 28, 1872..... 8,775 00 Transfer from Items 1, 3 and 4, Ordinance Dec. 28, 1874,..... 3,000 00	\$16,775 50	\$12,878 47	\$3,896 53
To be taken from loan 57.			
39. For painting cells : Transfer from Item 2, Ordinance October 26, 1874.....	10,000 00	8,940 44	1,0 9 56
40. For materials for building carpen- ter shop : Transfer from Item 4, per Ordi- nance October 26, 1874.....	3,500 00	3,500 00	
41. For building blacksmith shop : Transfer from Item 44, Ordinance October 26, 1874.	2,000 00	2,000 00	
42. For materials for fence : Transfer from Item 4, Ordinance October 26, 1874.....	2,500 00	2,450 76	49 24
43. For plastering and flooring base- ment : Transfer from Item 4, Ordinance October 26, 1874.	1,000 00	1,000 00	
44. For laundry and machine shop : Transfer from Item 30, Ordinance October 26, 1874.	5,000 00	1,186 21	3,813 79
45. For water pipes to river Delaware : Transfer from Item 27, Ordinance October 26, 1874.	3,000 00	1,730 64	1,269 36
46. For construction of wharf : Transfer from Item 27, Ordinance October 26, 1874.	7,000 00	.....	7,000 00
39½. To pay R. J. Dobbins in full of his contract price for building House of Correction : Transfer from Items 1, 3 and 4, Ordinance Dec. 28, 1874.....	16,736 00	16,736 00	
Total.. ..	\$323,583 50	\$254,690 31	\$68,893 19

Board of Public Education.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated.	Amount Countersign'd.	Balances Merging.
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Board of Public Education for the year 1874, approved December 23, 1873.....	\$1,611,713 16		
Brought from books of 1873.....	28,098 73		
	<u>\$1,639,811 89</u>		
High School.			
<i>Items.</i>			
1. Salaries of teachers.....	\$34,324 50	\$34,324 50	
2. Rent of hall for commencement, and rent of cabinet of natural history and apparatus.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	
3. Furnaces and stoves.....	300 00	300 00	
4. For cleansing.....	1,560 00	1,560 00	
5. Philosophical apparatus and chemicals, and for gas.....	1,560 00	1,560 00	
6. Repairs.....	400 00	399 97	03
7. For furniture.....	400 00	399 03	97
8. Printing, removal of ashes, and petty expenses.....	800 00	795 40	4 60
Girls' Normal School.			
9. Salaries of teachers.....	10,353 00	10,353 00	
10. Repairs.....	300 00	298 92	1 08
11. Furnaces and stoves.....	100 00	92 30	7 70
12. For cleansing.....	700 00	700 00	
13. Furniture.....	200 00	199 02	98
14. Printing, removal of ashes, and petty expenses.....	600 00	599 17	83
15. Philosophical apparatus, chemicals, and rent of hall for commencement.....	1,500 00	1,489 12	10 88
First Section.			
16. Salaries of teachers.....	36,128 50	36,128 50	
17. Rent of school houses.....	994 00	994 00	
18. Repairs.....	600 00	600 00	
19. Furnaces and stoves.....	500 00	500 00	
20. Salaries of house cleaners.....	3,650 00	3,650 00	
21. Clerk hire.....	100 00	100 00	
22. Furniture.....	300 00	298 60	1 40
23. Printing, removal of ashes, and petty expenses.....	350 00	349 87	13

Board of Public Education—Continued.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated.	Amount Countersign'd.	Balances Merging.
Second Section.			
<i>Items.</i>			
24. Salaries of teachers.....	\$37,216 50	\$37,216 50	
25. Rent of school houses.....	1,700 00	1,700 00	
26. Repairs.....	400 00	349 85	\$ 15
27. Furnaces and stoves.....	350 00	349 76	24
28. Salaries of house cleaners.....	3,400 00	3,400 00	
29. Clerk hire.....	100 00	100 00	
30. Furniture.....	250 00	249 95	05
31. Printing, removal of ashes, and petty expenses.....	350 00	349 97	03
Third Section.			
32. Salaries of teachers.....	35,833 50	35,766 98	66 52
33. Rent of school houses.....	4,800 00	4,800 00	
34. Repairs.....	500 00	500 00	
35. Furnaces and stoves.....	400 00	400 00	
36. Salaries of house cleaners.. ..	3,800 00	3,625 00	175 00
37. Clerk hire.....	100 00	100 00	
38. Furniture.....	300 00	300 00	
39. Printing, removal of ashes, and petty expenses.....	350 00	350 00	
Fourth Section.			
40. Salaries of teachers.....	29,697 50	29,697 50	
41. Rent of school houses.....	1,950 00	1,950 00	
42. Repairs.....	500 00	500 00	
43. Furnaces and stoves.....	450 00	449 40	60
44. Salaries of house cleaners.....	2,900 00	2,900 00	
45. Clerk hire.....	100 00	100 00	
46. Furniture.....	300 00	300 00	
47. Printing, removal of ashes, and petty expenses.....	350 00	350 00	
Fifth Section.			
48. Salaries of teachers.	29,355 00	29,282 50	72 50
49. Rent of school houses.....	1,446 00	1,196 00	250 00
50. Repairs.....\$500 00			
By transfer from Items 51 and 54, Ordinance ap- proved December 28, 1874. 158 51			
-----	658 51	658 37	14
51. Furnaces and stoves.....\$450 00			
To transfer to Items 50 and 55, Ordinance approved December 28, 1874..... 26 76			
-----	423 24	423 24	

Board of Public Education—Continued.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated.	Amount Countersign'd.	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>			
52. Salaries of house cleaners.....	\$2,550 00	\$2,500 00	\$50 00
53. Clerk hire.....	100 00	100 00	
54. Furniture.....\$300 00			
To transfer to Items 50 and 55, Ordinance approved December 28, 1874.....	236 00		
	64 00	64 00	
55. Printing, removal of ashes, and petty expenses.....\$350 00			
By transfer from Items 51 and 54, Ordinance ap- proved December 28, 1874.	104 25		
	454 25	454 25	
Sixth Section.			
56. Salaries of teachers.....	19,096 50	19,096 50	
57. Repairs	500 00	492 97	7 03
58. Furnaces and stoves.....	300 00	299 42	58
59. Salaries of house cleaners.....	1,800 00	1,800 00	
60. Clerk hire.....	100 00	100 00	
61. Furniture.....	300 00	300 00	
62. Printing, removal of ashes, and petty expenses.....	350 00	340 41	9 59
Seventh Section.			
63. Salaries of teachers.....	31,146 50	31,146 50	
64. Rent of school houses.....	500 00	500 00	
65. Repairs.....	500 00	500 00	
66. Furnaces and stoves.....\$450 00			
By transfer from Item 492, Ordinance approved Dec- ember 28, 1874.....	200 00		
	650 00	650 00	
67. Salaries of house cleaners.....	3,050 00	3,050 00	
68. Clerk hire.....	100 00	100 00	
69. Furniture.....	300 00	300 00	
70. Printing, removal of ashes, and petty expenses.....	350 00	350 00	
Eighth Section.			
71. Salaries of teachers.....	19,226 50	19,105 73	120 77
72. Rent of school houses.....	1,225 00	1,225 00	
73. Repairs.....	475 00	474 95	05
74. Furnaces and stoves.....	370 00	370 00	
75. Salaries of house cleaners.....	1,750 00	1,750 00	
76. Clerk hire.....	100 00	100 00	
77. Furniture.....	300 00	299 73	27

Board of Public Education—Continued.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated.	Amount Countersigned.	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>			
78. Printing, removal of ashes, and petty expenses	\$350 00	\$349 78	\$ 22
Ninth Section.			
79. Salaries of teachers	20,552 50	18,733 98	1,818 53
80. Repairs	500 00	500 00	
81. Furnaces and stoves	400 00	389 54	10 46
82. Salaries of house cleaners	1,900 00	1,400 00	
83. Clerk hire	100 00	100 00	
84. Furniture	100 00	297 13	2 87
85. Printing, removal of ashes, and petty expenses	350 00	347 28	2 72
Tenth Section.			
86. Salaries of teachers	29,685 50	29,129 98	555 52
87. Repairs ..	500 00	500 00	
88. Furnaces and stoves	400 00	400 00	
89. Salaries of house cleaners	2,700 00	2,700 00	
90. Clerk hire	100 00	100 00	
91. Furniture	300 00	300 00	
92. Printing, removal of ashes, and petty expenses	350 00	350 00	
Eleventh Section.			
93. Salaries of teachers	25,046 50	25,046 50	
94. Repairs	500 00	500 00	
95. Furnaces and stoves	300 00	299 99	01
96. Salaries of house cleaners	2,300 00	2,300 00	
97. Clerk hire	100 00	100 00	
98. Furniture	300 00	300 00	
99. Printing, removal of ashes, and petty expenses	350 00	349 95	05
Twelfth Section.			
100. Salaries of teachers	24,448 00	24,352 17	95 83
101. Rent of school houses	1,800 00	1,800 00	
102. Repairs	500 00	484 48	15 52
103. Furnaces and stoves	400 00	389 55	10 45
104. Salaries of house cleaners	2,600 00	2,600 00	
105. Clerk hire	100 00	100 00	
106. Furniture	300 00	283 16	16 84
107. Printing, removal of ashes, and petty expenses	350 00	338 35	11 65
Thirteenth Section.			
108. Salaries of teachers	23,382 50	23,309 98	72 52
109. Repairs	600 00	596 60	3 40

Board of Public Education—Continued.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated.	Amount Countersigned	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>			
110. Furnaces and stoves.....	\$400 00	\$398 61	\$1 39
111. Salaries of house cleaners.....	2,000 00	2,000 00	
112. Clerk hire.....	100 00	100 00	
113. Furniture.....	400 00	399 06	94
114. Printing, removal of ashes, and petty expenses.....	350 00	348 76	1 24
Fourteenth Section.			
115. Salaries of teachers.....	41,514 00	41,514 00	
116. Rent of school houses.....	1,000 00	499 99	500 01
117. Repairs.....	850 00	849 80	20
118. Furnaces and stoves.....	500 00	498 90	1 10
119. Salaries of house cleaners.....	3,700 00	3,600 00	100 00
120. Clerk hire.....	100 00	100 00	
121. Furniture.....	400 00	399 79	21
122. Printing, removal of ashes, and petty expenses.....	300 00	299 57	43
Fifteenth Section.			
123. Salaries of teachers.....	44,255 50	44,255 50	
124. Rent of school houses.....	1,550 00	1,550 00	
125. Repairs.....	800 00	799 93	07
126. Furnaces and stoves.....	550 00	549 43	57
127. Salaries of house cleaners.....	4,400 00	4,308 33	91 67
128. Clerk hire.....	100 00	100 00	
129. Furniture.....	400 00	399 89	11
130. Printing, removal of ashes, and petty expenses.....	350 00	349 68	32
Sixteenth Section.			
131. Salaries of teachers.....	27,221 50	26,689 98	531 52
132. Repairs.....	500 00	500 00	
133. Furnaces and stoves.....	300 00	300 00	
134. Salaries of house cleaners.....	2,350 00	2,350 00	
135. Clerk hire.....	100 00	100 00	
136. Furniture.....	300 00	300 00	
137. Printing, removal of ashes, and petty expenses.....	350 00	350 00	
Seventeenth Section.			
<i>Items.</i>			
138. Salaries of teachers.....	24,032 50	24,032 50	
139. Repairs.....	400 00	400 00	
140. Furnaces and stoves.....	300 00	300 00	
141. Salaries of house cleaners.....	2,200 00	2,200 00	
142. Clerk hire.....	100 00	100 00	
143. Furniture.....	300 00	300 00	
144. Printing, removal of ashes, and petty expenses.....	350 00	349 15	85

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Eighteenth Section.			
<i>Items.</i>			
145. Salaries of teachers.....	\$41,532 50	\$41,532 50	
146. Rent of school houses.....	1,600 00	1,600 00	
147. Repairs.....	600 00	589 33	\$10 67
148. Furnaces and stoves.....	400 00	394 46	5 54
149. Salaries of house cleaners.....	4,100 00	4,100 00	
150. Clerk hire.....	100 00	100 00	
151. Furniture.....	350 00	342 38	7 62
152. Printing, removal of ashes, and petty expenses.....	350 00	349 67	33
Nineteenth Section.			
153. Salaries of teachers.....	58,428 50	58,406 70	21 80
154. Rent of school houses.....	4,750 00	4,750 00	
155. Repairs.....	650 00	646 35	3 65
156. Furnaces and stoves.....	600 00	599 90	10
157. Salaries of house cleaners.....	6,200 00	5,658 34	541 66
158. Clerk hire.....	100 00	100 00	
159. Furniture.....	400 00	399 70	30
160. Printing, removal of ashes, and petty expenses.....	350 00	349 96	04
Twentieth Section.			
161. Salaries of teachers.....	43,470 00	43,470 00	
162. Rent of school houses.....	3,525 00	3,475 00	50 00
163. Repairs.....	600 00	600 00	
164. Furnaces and stoves.....	500 00	500 00	
165. Salaries of house cleaners.....	3,950 00	3,950 00	
166. Clerk hire.....	100 00	100 00	
167. Furniture.....	350 00	350 00	
168. Printing, removal of ashes, and petty expenses.....	350 00	350 00	
Twenty-first Section.			
169. Salaries of teachers.....	23,256 50	23,256 50	
170. Rent of school houses.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	
171. Repairs.....	600 00	595 21	4 79
172. Furnaces and stoves.....	400 00	400 00	
173. Salaries of house cleaners.....	2,300 00	2,300 00	
174. Clerk hire.....	100 00	100 00	
175. Furniture.....	300 00	275 61	24 39
176. Printing, removal of ashes, and petty expenses.....	350 00	350 00	
Twenty-second Section.			
177. Salaries of teachers.....	34,838 50	34,820 41	18 09
178. Rent of school houses.....	380 00	380 00	
179. Repairs.....	600 00	593 83	1 17

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<i>Items.</i>			
180. Furnaces and stoves.....	\$500 00	\$499 62	\$ 38
181. Salaries of house cleaners.....	3,750 00	3,270 81	479 19
182. Clerk hire.....	100 00	100 00	
183. Furniture.....	450 00	449 92	08
184. Printing, removal of ashes, and petty expenses.....	350 00	349 91	09
Twenty-third Section.			
185. Salaries of teachers.....	39,330 50	39,230 48	100 02
186. Rent of school houses.....	625 00	506 25	118 75
187. Repairs.....	1,000 00	812 88	187 12
188. Furnaces and stoves.....	600 00	321 66	278 34
189. Salaries of house cleaners.....	4,900 00	4,037 50	862 50
190. Clerk hire.....	100 00	100 00	
191. Furniture.....	500 00	417 17	82 83
192. Printing, removal of ashes, and petty expenses.....	400 00	356 15	43 85
Twenty-fourth Section.			
193. Salaries of teachers.....	40,849 50	40,849 50	
194. Rent of school houses.....	2,280 00	2,280 00	
195. Repairs.....	700 00	698 95	1 05
196. Furnaces and stoves.....	600 00	597 70	2 30
197. Salaries of house cleaners.....	4,600 00	4,595 82	4 18
198. Clerk hire.....	100 00	100 00	
199. Furniture.....	400 00	396 93	3 07
200. Printing, removal of ashes, and petty expenses.....	350 00	350 00	
Twenty-fifth Section.			
201. Salaries of teachers.....	40,035 50	40,035 50	
202. Rent of school houses.....	1,358 00	1,358 00	
203. Repairs.....	700 00	700 00	
204. Furnaces and stoves.....	500 00	497 77	2 23
205. Salaries of house cleaners.....	4,660 00	4,660 00	
206. Clerk hire.....	100 00	100 00	
207. Furniture.....	400 00	399 00	1 00
208. Printing, removal of ashes, and petty expenses.....	350 00	350 00	
Twenty-sixth Section.			
209. Salaries of teachers.....	49,516 50	49,516 50	
210. Rent of school houses.....	1,550 00	1,550 00	
211. Repairs.....	750 00	749 94	06
212. Furnaces and stoves.....	400 00	398 17	1 83
213. Salaries of house cleaners.....	4,850 00	4,683 33	166 67
214. Clerk hire.....	100 00	100 00	
215. Furniture.....	400 00	400 00	

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<i>Items.</i>			
216. Printing, removal of ashes, and petty expenses.....	\$350 00	[\$349 15	\$ 85
Twenty-seventh Section.			
217. Salaries of teachers.....	25,801 50	25,801 50	
218. Rent of school houses.....	950 00	950 00	
219. Repairs.....	500 00	497 86	2 14
220. Furnaces and stoves.....	400 00	398 72	1 28
221. Salaries of house cleaners.....	3,350 00	3,350 00	
222. Clerk hire.....	100 00	100 00	
223. Furniture.....	300 00	299 59	41
224. Printing, removal of ashes, and petty expenses.....	350 00	347 38	2 62
Twenty-eighth Section.			
225. Salaries of teachers.....	18,710 00	18,770 00	
226. Rent of school houses.....	1 500 00	1,469 99	30 01
227. Repairs.....	375 00	375 00	
228. Furnaces and stoves.....	175 00	174 59	41
229. Salaries of house cleaners.....	2,050 00	1,799 99	250 01
230. Clerk hire.....	100 00	100 00	
231. Furniture.....	275 00	275 00	
232. Printing, removal of ashes, and petty expenses.....	350 00	350 00	
Twenty-ninth Section.			
233. Salaries of teachers.....	26,603 50	26,603 50	
234. Rent of school houses.....	1,600 00	1,600 00	
235. Repairs.....	600 00	599 04	96
236. Furnaces and stoves.....	400 00	397 00	2 94
237. Salaries of house cleaners.....	2,700 00	2,700 00	
238. Clerk hire.....	100 00	100 00	
239. Furniture.....	300 00	293 89	6 11
240. Printing, removal of ashes, and petty expenses.....	350 00	349 27	73
SPECIAL ITEMS.			
High School.			
241. Pointing east end of building.....	200 00	200 00	
242. Painting inside of building.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	
243. For four urinals.....	240 00	240 00	
244. New steps for stairs.....	300 00	300 00	
245. For new desks.....	240 00	240 00	
246. For two divisions furniture.....	275 00	275 00	
247. For philosophical apparatus Arti- san's Night School.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	

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GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated.	Amount Countersign'd.	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>			
248. For painting and varnishing principal's room.....	\$100 00	\$100 00	
First Section.			
249. For new tin roof, Morris School...	600 00	598 74	\$1 26
250. For new tin roof, Tasker School...	600 00	593 13	6 87
251. For painting tin roof, Grammar School.....	75 00	50 00	25 00
252. For three divisions furniture, Henry Clay Primary	300 00	300 00	
253. For ten blackboards, five for Tasker and five for Morris Schools	150 00	150 00	
254. For completing the graining in Morris School.....	190 00	190 00	
255. For building a privy at Buck Lane School.....	40 00	15 00	25 00
255½. For constructing a well at the school house, Tenth and Snyder avenue	150 00	80 00	70 00
Second Section.			
256. For painting inside and outside G. W. Nebinger School	750 00	750 00	
257. For new heater, G. W. Nebinger School.	150 00	150 00	
258. New heaters, Wharton School.....	400 00	400 00	
259. Repairing roof, and rebuilding chimneys, Wharton School.....	130 00	130 00	
260. New floor, first story, Watson School.	150 00	150 00	
261. Four teachers' desks, Primary No. 10	69 00	69 00	
262. Three teachers' desks, Primary No. 11	52 00	52 00	
263. For handrails to staircase, Wharton School	75 00	75 00	
264. For painting hall and stairway, Wharton School.....	300 00	300 00	
265. Papering directors' room	50 00	50 00	
266. Teacher's desk, Primary, No. 3...	70 00	70 00	
Third Section.			
267. Two divisions furniture, Lyons Primary.....	250 00	250 00	
268. For principal's desk.....	25 00	25 00	
269. For three book closets	105 00	105 00	
270. For graining, wainscoting, Lyons School.....	150 00	150 00	

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GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated.	Amount Countersign'd	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>			
271. Plastering walls, Fletcher School..	\$450 00	\$450 00	
272. For lowering registers.	60 00	60 00	
273. For finishing directors' room.....	300 00	300 00	
Fourth Section.			
274. Tin roof, Ringgold School	650 00	650 00	
275. For paving and grading yard, Ringgold School.....	150 00	150 00	
276. Furniture, directors' room	300 00	300 00	
277. New roof, Fagen School.....	800 00	800 00	
278. For paving cellar, Fagen School...	450 00	450 00	
279. For tile drainage in cellar, Fagen School.....	100 00	100 00	
280. For straightening partitions, and re- plastering Fagen School.....	200 00	200 00	
Fifth Section.			
281. Two portable heaters, G. W. Whar- ton School.....	300 00	300 00	
282. Painting outside of back building, Forten School..	125 00	119 00	\$6 00
283. New fence, repairing party fence, and painting same, Forten School	225 00	223 00	2 00
Sixth Section.			
284. Underdrain for yard, Grammar School.....	250 00	250 00	
Seventh Section.			
285. Altering doors, Boys' Grammar School.....	225 00	225 00	
286. New roof, Boys' Grammar School.	1,000 00	1,000 00	
287. Painting inside, and tin roof at school house, Nineteenth and Addison streets.....	600 00	600 00	
288. New steps, Nineteenth and Addi- son streets.	75 00	75 00	
289. Four divisions furniture, Nine- teenth and Addison streets.....	400 00	399 98	02
Eighth Section.			
290. Altering sash partitions, Twelfth and Locust streets.....	200 00	200 00	
291. Furniture, directors' room	300 00	300 00	

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<i>Items.</i>				
Ninth Section.				
292. Painting outside Keystone School..		\$400 00	\$394 00	\$6 00
293. One division furniture, Primary No. 3.....		100 00	100 00	
294. One division furniture, Primary No. 3.....		100 00	100 00	
295. One division furniture, Secondary No. 3.....		125 00	123 40	1 60
296 Paving cellar, Keystone School....		500 00	500 00	
Tenth Section.				
297. For partition door, and screens around water closet, North West School		50 00	50 00	
298. Painting, and repairing roof, John Agnew School		50 00	50 00	
299. Extending sash, North West School.....		200 00	200 00	
300. Putting gas pipe, North West School		100 00	100 00	
301. Putting gas fixtures in North West School		200 00	199 90	10
302. One division furniture, North West Secondary.....		115 00	110 50	4 50
303. For teachers' room, Secondary No. 1.....		350 00	340 00	10 00
304. For two windows, North West School.....		100 00	100 00	
305. Painting outside Shippen School...		200 00	199 00	1 00
306. Repairing roof, enclosing cupola, and painting tin work, Shippen School		100 00	92 00	8 00
307. Two urinals, school house Cherry street, above Fifteenth		120 00	117 90	2 10
Eleventh Section.				
308. Four teachers' desks, Boys' Gram- mar School.....		69 00	69 00	
309. Repairing inside Northern Liberty School.....		150 00	150 00	
310. Varnishing desks, Northern Lib- erty School.....		100 00	100 00	
311. Painting, and repairing tin roof, Northern Liberty School.....		75 00	75 00	
312. New heater, Madison School.....		150 00	150 00	
313. Varnishing and repairing desks, Madison School.....		100 00	100 00	
314. Repairing, and plastering wall, Madison School....		100 00	100 00	

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<i>Items.</i>			
315. For new water and waste pipe, and stands	\$150 00	\$150 00	
316. Two new book cases, and thirteen chairs, directors' room.....	200 00	200 00	
317. Two divisions furniture, Shunk Primary	250 00	250 00	
318. For inside blinds, Shunk School ..	300 00	300 00	
319. For inside blinds, Beideman School.	300 00	300 00	
320. Painting tin roof, Beideman School.	50 00	50 00	
321. Painting tin roof, Shunk School...	50 00	50 00	
322. Six blackboards, Madison School..	150 00	150 00	
323. Two new heaters, Shunk School..	300 00	300 00	
Twelfth Section. .			
324. New roof, Mifflin School.....	800 00	800 00	
325. New roof, Saunders School	600 00	600 00	
326. New roof, Rovoudt Street School..	600 00	600 00	
327. Painting outside Rovoudt Street School.....	250 00	250 00	
328. Painting roof, E. M. Paxson School.....	50 00	50 00	
329. Blackboards, Mifflin School.	150 00	149 80	\$ 20
Thirteenth Section.			
330. Water closets, third story, Wyoming School... ..	100 00	100 00	
331. Painting roof, tin spouts, and repairing roof, Wyoming, Warner and John Quincy Adams Schools.	250 00	250 00	
332. New fences, and renewing wooden cornices J. Q. Adams School....	175 00	175 00	
333. Enlarging class room, first story John Quincy Adams School.....	300 00	300 00	
334. For renewing ceiling, second story, Wyoming School.....	150 00	150 00	
335. Two divisions furniture, Warner Primary	200 00	200 00	
336. Two divisions furniture, J. Q. Adams Primary.....	200 00	200 00	
337. New furnace, Wyoming School....	200 00	200 00	
338. New furnace, Warner School.....	200 00	200 00	
339. For paving, iron fencing, removal of old building, flagging footways, and fixing lot, Fairmount avenue and Marshall street.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	
Fourteenth Section.			
340. New fence, Hancock School.....	75 00	73 90	1 10
341. Painting outside Hancock School..	500 00	325 00	175 00

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GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated.	Amount Countersign'd.	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>			
342. Painting inside north end, Hancock School	\$250 00	.....	\$20 00
343. Furniture, Hancock Girls' Grammar School.....	150 00	\$150 00	
344. Painting, papering, water closet, wash stand, and partition door, first floor, to make teachers' dressing room	150 00	149 61	39
345. Four sets inside doors, and shades, R. T. Conrad School.....	230 00	229 84	16
346. New tin roof, R. T. Conrad School.	650 00	650 00	
347. Paving walks and sodding yard, R. T. Conrad School.....	150 00	145 00	5 00
Fifteenth Section.			
348. Lining ceilings, cloroing walls, and repairing plaster, Lincoln School.	1,000 00	1,000 00	
249. Varnishing inside Lincoln School..	300 00	300 00	
350. New furnace, Lincoln School.....	200 00	200 00	
351. Painting stairway, hall and committee room, A. D. Bache School.	250 00	250 00	
352. Painting outside building and fences, A. D. Bache School.....	350 00	350 00	
353. Repairing sashes, stairways and floors, Hoffman School.....	600 00	600 00	
354. Drainage, Hoffman School.....	200 00	197 50	2 50
355. Bookcases, Lincoln Girls' Grammar School	125 00	125 00	
356. Removing furniture, Thaddeus Stevens School.....	280 96	280 96	
Sixteenth Section.			
357. For altering registers and flues, Landenberger School.....	200 00	174 25	25 75
358. For altering partitions, second story, G. Wolf School....	400 00	400 00	
359. Rebuilding privies, north side Jefferson School.....	150 00	150 00	
360. For inserting gas in cellars of Wm. A. Lee and Jefferson Schools....	100 00	100 00	
361. Furniture, directors' room.....	300 00	300 00	
362. New floors and stairways, Jefferson School	1,625 00	1, 25 00	
363. Blackboards, Jefferson School. ...	150 00	147 65	2 35
Seventeenth Section.			
364. For iron railing, and paving yard, Harrison School.....	75 00	75 00	
365. New floor, Harrison School.....	300 00	300 00	
366. One division furniture, Harrison Girls' Secondary.....	125 00	123 35	1 65

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GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated	Amount Countersign'd.	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>			
367. New steps on east side Harrison School.	\$100 00	\$100 00	
368. Two divisions furniture, Webster Primary.....	200 00	200 00	
369. Iron railing, Ludlow School.....	75 00	75 00	
370. Painting outside window sills, and new steps at doors, Ludlow School.....	100 00	100 00	
371. New heaters and flues, Ludlow School.....	500 00	500 00	
Eighteenth Section.			
372. Wainscoting class rooms, Vaughn School.....	650 00	650 00	
373. One division furniture, Morris Secondary.....	125 00	125 00	
374. One division furniture, Shackamaxon Secondary.....	125 00	125 00	
375. Rebuilding privies, Kensington Secondary.....	300 00	300 00	
376. Repairing drains, Kensington Secondary.....	100 00	100 00	
377. Pointing and capping foundation walls, Kensington Secondary....	150 00	150 00	
378. One division furniture, Primary No. 5.....	100 00	100 00	
379. Painting inside Belgrade and Otis Streets School.....	100 00	100 00	
380. One division furniture, Primary No. 8.....	100 00	100 00	
381. Repairing roof, Douglass School..	250 00	244 00	\$6 00
382. New floors, first story, Douglass School.....	300 00	300 00	
383. Repairing plaster, Douglass School.	50 00	50 00	
384. Paving and repairing yard, Douglass School.....	125 00	125 00	
Nineteenth Section.			
385. Repairing roof, Price School.....	200 00	200 00	
386. Painting inside and outside, Price School.....	600 00	600 00	
387. Digging well in cellar, Price School.....	75 00	75 00	
388. New tin roof, Cohocksink School..	850 00	850 00	
389. Paving cellar and digging well, Cohocksink School.....	600 00	600 00	
390. Painting outside Cohocksink School.....	400 00	400 00	
391. Two divisions furniture, Secondary No. 2.....	250 00	250 00	

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GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated.	Amount Countersign'd.	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>			
392. Blackboards, Secondary No. 2.....	\$50 00	\$49 35	\$ 65
393. For well and privy, Price School..	250 00	250 00	
Twentieth Section.			
394. New roof, Park Avenue School ...	800 00	799 96	04
395. Repairing yard and steps, Park Avenue School.....	100 00	100 00	
396. Building base wall, and repairing fence, Dan'l Webster School	300 00	300 00	
397. Building privy, Mervine Street School.....	200 00	200 00	
398. Painting outside Mervine Street School.	250 00	250 00	
399. For urinal, Park Avenue School...	60 00	60 00	
400. New tin roof, Mervine Street School.....	600 00	598 92	1 08
Twenty-first Section.			
401. Building wall and iron fence, Washington School....	2,600 00	2,600 00	
402. Grading lot, Washington School..	200 00	200 00	
403. Removing privy, Washington School.....	150 00	150 00	
404. Putting in water, Washington School.....	250 00	250 00	
405. Two new furnaces, Washington School.....	300 00	300 00	
406. One division furniture Manatawna School.....	125 00	122 15	2 85
407. Repairing roof, Roxborough School.	100 00	100 00	
408. Repairing floors and steps.....	150 00	150 00	
409. One division furniture, Roxborough School.....	150 00	146 15	3 85
Twenty-second Section.			
410. Heaters in Rittenhouse School....	200 00	175 00	25 00
411. Changing partitions, third floor, Rittenhouse School.....	150 00	150 00	
412. Grading and paving, Rittenhouse School.....	150 00	150 00	
413. For paving and grading, Central Station.....	250 00	250 00	
414. Renewing and repairing fences, Bringham School.....	150 00	150 00	
415. Repairing roof, Bringham School.	100 00	100 00	
416. Iron fence, Bringham School.....	250 00	247 00	3 00
417. Two divisions furniture, Bring- hurst School.....	200 00	188 90	11 10
418. Grading lot, and new fence, Mt. Airy School.....	150 00	150 00	

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<i>Items.</i>			
419. One division furniture, Ellwood School	\$125 00	\$110 50	\$14 50
420. One division furniture, colored school.	125 00	116 75	8 25
Twenty-third Section.			
421. New roof, Godfrey School.....	150 00	150 00	
422. New ceiling, Godfrey School	65 00	38 12	26 88
423. Repairing wall and fence, Fayette School.	300 00	300 00	
424. New ceiling, and repairing roof, Montgomery School.....	150 00	149 99	01
425. New roof, and sinking well, Mechanicsville.	250 00	248 64	1 36
426. Painting outside Columbia School..	500 00	234 25	65 75
427. New roof, repairing ceiling, and wainscoting stairway, Columbia School.....	600 00	506 98	93 02
428. New furnace, Decatur School.....	150 00	.....	150 00
Twenty-fourth Section.			
429. Grading yard, Heston School.....	150 00	150 00	
430. Iron railing in front Heston School.	600 00	600 00	
431. Altering privy, Heston School	100 00	100 00	
432. Repairing roof, and new fence, Hestonville School.....	250 00	250 00	
433. For partitions in entry, and book shelves, Belmont School.....	100 00	100 00	
434. Paving cellar, Belmont School.....	600 00	600 00	
435. For iron railing on Forty-first street.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	
436. For drain, Mantua School	75 00	75 00	
437. For drain, and filling up lot, Warren School	500 00	500 00	
438. Retaining wall, Warren School ...	600 00	600 00	
439. Four clothes closets, second story Warren School.....	200 00	200 00	
440. For privies, Haddington School...	300 00	300 00	
Twenty-fifth Section.			
441. New conductors, Halliwell School.	100 00	100 00	
442. Five blackboards	100 00	100 00	
443. Painting and graining, Halliwell School.....	150 00	150 00	
444. For stoves, Barton School.....	100 00	100 00	
445. Two divisions furniture, Barton School.....	250 00	250 00	
446. Repairing fence, Barton School...	75 00	75 00	

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<i>Items.</i>			
447. Repairing roof, and extending chimneys, Carroll School.....	\$50 00	\$50 00	
448. Painting wall, Carroll School	50 00	50 00	
449. Plastering second and third stories, Carroll School.....	125 00	125 00	
450. For new privies, Carroll School...	150 00	150 00	
451. Painting ins de Carroll School....	250 00	250 00	
452. Repairing roof, and plastering inside McClellan School	125 00	125 00	
453. Wainscoting, and painting six rooms, McClellan School.....	450 00	450 00	
454. Drainage, Bayard Taylor School...	200 00	200 00	
455. Painting, and repairing roof, Sherman School.....	100 00	100 00	
456. Repairing yard, Sherman School..	100 00	100 00	
457. Teachers' closets, Sherman School.	50 00	50 00	
458. Retaining wall, Irving School....	600 00	600 00	
459. For mortaring and paving cellar..	100 00	100 00	
Twenty-sixth Section.			
460. Two portable heaters, Stanton School.....	200 00	200 00	
461. Repairing and painting railings, Curtin School.....	200 00	200 00	
462. Raising and repairing yard, Pollock School.....	400 00	400 00	
463. Twenty-one inside blinds, Jackson School	375 00	375 00	
464. Three divisions furniture, Pollock School.....	300 00	300 00	
465. Painting outside Jackson School..	300 00	300 00	
466. Three box entries, Jackson School.	150 00	150 00	
Twenty-seventh Section.			
467. Painting, and plastering outside, and front fences, Newton Secondary	800 00	800 00	
468. Furnishing teachers' room, Newton Secondary.....	100 00	100 00	
469. Repairing fence, and putting up new fence, Davidson School....	200 00	200 00	
470. Painting roof and fence, repairing fence and pavement, Newton Grammar.....	400 00	400 00	
471. New coal house, water closet, and laying walk, Bannaker School...	150 00	150 00	
472. Stat onary partition, Ludlow Street School.....	400 00	400 00	
473. For new wall, grading and paving sidewalks, Davidson School.....	300 00	300 00	

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<i>Items.</i>			
474. For wall around yard, to retain pavement, Ludlow Street School.	\$1,200 00	\$1,200 00	
475. Painting outside Greenway School.	100 00	100 00	
Twenty-eighth Section.			
476. Two new heaters, Forrest School..	300 00	300 00	
477. Drain pipes, Forrest School.....	150 00	150 00	
478. For new heaters, Kenderton School.	300 00	300 00	
479. One portable heater, Glenwood School.....	100 00	100 00	
480. Removing front fence, and paving, Glenwood School.....	225 00	225 00	
481. Repairing and painting roof, Glen- wood School.....	100 00	100 00	
482. Painting inside first story, Glen- wood School.....	75 00	75 00	
Twenty-ninth Section.			
483. New partitions, second and third floors, Reynolds School.....	800 00	761 88	\$38 12
484. Painting roof, Edward Gratz School.....	75 00	75 00	
• 485. Painting railings, Edward Gratz School.....	50 00	50 00	
486. For cellarway, Gratz School.....	50 00	50 00	
487. For heaters, flues and registers, school house, Twenty-sixth and Thompson.....	800 00	800 00	
GENERAL EXPENSES.			
488. Furniture for new school houses...	50,000 00	49,993 99	01
489. Furnaces and stoves for new school houses.....	24,000 00	23,995 94	4 06
490. For accidental and extraordinary repairs.....	3,000 00	2,980 95	19 05
491. For cleaning cesspools... \$500 00 By transfer from Item 492, Ordinance ap- proved Nov. 27, 1874.. 300 00	800 00	704 47	95 53

Board of Public Education—Continued.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated.	Amount Countersigned	Balances Merging.
<i>Item.</i>			
492. For ground rents, and this item shall not merge Dec. 31, 1874...\$44,000 00 Balance from books of 1873.....28,097 37			
	\$72,097 37		
To transfer to Items 491, 493, 504, 506, 507 and 510, Ord. appro'd Nov. 27, 1874.....\$15,250 00			
To transfer to Item 66, Or- dinance ap- proved De- cember 28, 1874.....200 00			
	15,450 00		
	\$56,647 37	\$33,891 24	\$22,756 13
493. For fuel, of which all coal used shall be obtained from miners and ship- pers only, after adver- tisement in the daily papers. ....\$50,000 00			
By transfer from Item 492, Ordinance app'd November 27, 1874....5,000 00			
	55,000 00	54,995 11	4 89
494. Books and stationery	100 000 00	99,999 83	17
495. Employment of additional teachers.	10,000 00	10,000 00	
496. Employment of additional house- keepers	1,500 00	1,399 16	100 84
497. For rent of additional buildings, and furniture for same.....	6,000 00	5,947 46	52 54
498. Insurance on school buildings....	5,000 00	5,000 00	
499. For expenses of Committee on qualification of teachers.....	200 00	200 00	
500. Expenses of Committee on Prop- erty, Grammar, Secondary, and Primary Schools, estimates, and supplies, each \$150.....	600 00	600 00	
501. Rent of office	1,500 00	1,500 00	
502. Printing annual reports, and print- ing all blanks and reports for the schools.....	6,000 00	6,000 00	
503. Salaries of officers.....	6,800 00	6,800 00	

Board of Public Education—Continued.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Countersigned.	Amount Appropriated.	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>			
504. For advertising..... \$3,000 00 By transfer from Item 492, Ordinance ap- proved November 27, 1874..... 500 00	\$3,500 00 100 00	\$3,499 90 100 00	\$ 10
505. For cleansing office and hall...			
506. Carriage hire..... \$1,000 00 By transfer from Item 492, Ordinance ap- proved November 27, 1874..... 450 00	1,450 00	1,450 00	
507. Gas for night schools, and incidentals.... \$3,500 00 By transfer from Item 492, Ordinance ap- proved November 27, 1874..... 3,000 00	6,500 00	6,499 80	20
508. Portorage on books: <i>Provided</i> , That proposals shall be in- vited, and the contract given to the lowest bidder.....	500 00	500 00	
509. Postage stamps.....	300 00	300 00	
510. Curbing, grading, pav- ing, culverts, &c.... \$6,000 00 By transfer from Item 492, Ordinance ap- proved November 27, 1874..... 6,000 00	12,000 00	11,999 91	09
511. Night schools, and this item shall not merge Dec. 31, 1874. \$30,000 00 Balance Dec. 31, 1873. 1 36	30,001 36	30,000 59	77
512. Salary of superintendent of buildings and repairs.....	3,000 00	3,000 00	
513. Drawing materials, horse hire and other expenses of super- intendent.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	
514. Putting wire screens on win- dows of the several school houses.....	2,500 00	2,497 50	2 50
515. Philosophical apparatus for Grammar Schools	3,000 00	3,000 00	
516. Salary, superintendent of music.	1,815 00	1,815 00	
Grand Total.....	\$1,639 811 89	\$1,607,736 81	\$32,075 08

Board of Public Education—Continued.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated.	Amount Countersign'd.	Balances Merging.
School Loan No. 2.			
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Board of Public Education for the purpose of the erection, extension and completion of buildings for school purposes, approved December 1, 1864.			
Unexpended balances Jan. 1, 1874.			
<i>Items.</i>			
1. Second Section	\$30 94	.....	\$30 94
" Fourth Section	19 81	.....	19 81
" Fifth Section	784 00	.....	784 00
" Seventh Section	168 00	.....	168 00
" Twelfth Section	179 50	.....	179 50
" Sixteenth Section, by transfer from Seventeenth Section, Ord. appro'd. May 24, 1873.....	6,280 00	\$6,280 00	
" Nineteenth Section, by transfer from Seventeenth Section, Ordinance approved May 24, 1873.....	2,172 00	2,172 00	
2. To re-imburse the City Treasurer for appropriations already made to the loan.....	173 56	.....	173 56
3. For contingencies, resolution approved October 5, 1866.....	28 10	.....	28 10
	\$9,835 91	\$8,452 55	\$1,383 91
School Loan No. 3.			
An Ordinance to authorize a loan for school purposes, appro'd May 18, 1870.			
Unexpended balances Jan. 1, 1874.			
<i>Item.</i>			
1. First Section	\$28 48	.....	\$28 48
" Tenth Section	155 00	.....	155 00
" Twelfth Section	1,818 83	.....	1,818 83
" Fourteenth Section	607 75	.....	607 75
" Fifteenth Section	8,800 00	\$8,800 00	
" Nineteenth Section, by transfer from Ninth Section, Ord. approved May 24, 1873.....	2,570 55	2,570 55	
" Twentieth Section	1,126 00	.....	1,126 00
" Twenty-second Section	195 00	.....	195 00
" Twenty-fourth Section	207 50	.....	207 50
" Twenty-seventh Section	163 00	.....	163 00
	\$15,672 11	\$11,370 55	\$4,301 56
School Loan No. 4.			
An Ordinance to authorize a loan for school purposes.			
<i>Item.</i>			
1. First Section	\$28,653 33		
" Third Section	23,408 00	\$22,138 00	
" Fourth Section	25,290 00	23,248 00	

Board of Public Education—Continued.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated.	Amount Countersign'd.	Balance Merging.
<i>Item.</i>			
1. Fifth Section.....	\$20,000 00	\$9,900 00	
" Seventh Section.....	3,250 00		
" Fourteenth Section.....	6,750 00	6,050 00	
" Fifteenth Section.....	14,424 00	14,424 00	
" Sixteenth Section.....	3,224 00	3,152 00	
" Eighteenth Section.....	4,717 80	688 00	
" Nineteenth Section.....	29,846 00	29,436 00	
" Twentieth Section.....	482 11		
" Twenty-second Section.....	33,695 00	7,228 00	
" Twenty-third Section.....	21,915 00	21,915 00	
" Twenty-fourth Section.....	300 00		
" Twenty-sixth Section.....	47,099 67	16,183 00	
" Twenty-eighth Section.....	55,193 00	33,790 00	
" Twenty-ninth Section.....	51,000 00		
" Normal School.....	63,086 00		
	<u>\$431,338 91</u>	<u>\$188,252 00</u>	<u>\$243,086 91</u>
School Loan No. 5.			
<i>Items.</i>			
1. First Section.....	\$28,000 00	\$18,088 00	\$9,912 00
" Third Section.....	42,000 00		42,000 00
" Seventh Section.....	32,800 00		32,800 00
" Eighth Section.....	23,000 00	22,959 50	40 50
" Twelfth Section.....	44,500 00		44,500 00
" Thirteenth Section.....	37,200 00		37,200 00
" Fourteenth Section.... \$28,000 00			
By transfer from Twenty-eighth Sec- tion, Ordinance ap- proved May 1, 1874.. 10,000 00			
	<u>\$38,000 00</u>	<u>\$16,500 00</u>	<u>\$21,500 00</u>
" Fifteenth Section.....	18,600 00		18,600 00
" Nineteenth Section.....	102,500 00		102,500 00
" Twentieth Section.....	70,000 00		70,000 00
" Twenty-first Section.....	37,200 00	3,410 00	33,790 00
" Twenty-second Section.....	56,000 00	20,130 00	35,870 00
" Twenty-third Section.....	9,250 00	3,210 50	6,039 50
" Twenty-fourth Section.....	93,000 00	41,936 00	51,064 00
" Twenty-fifth Section.....	28,000 00	6,800 00	21,200 00
" Twenty-sixth Section.....	42,000 00	23,625 00	18,375 00
" Twenty-seventh Section.....	70,000 00	7,380 00	62,620 00
" Twenty-eighth Section.. \$84,000 00			
To transfer to Four- teenth Section, Ord. app'd May 1, 1874.... 10,000 00			
	<u>74,000 00</u>		<u>74,000 00</u>
" Twenty-ninth Section.....	70,000 00	36,528 00	33,472 00
2. For the erection of a Normal School building.....	83,970 00		83,950 00
	<u>\$1,000,000 00</u>	<u>\$200,567 00</u>	<u>\$799,433 00</u>

Department of Lighting the City.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated	Amount Countersig'd.	Balances Merging.
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department for Lighting the City approved Dec. 17, 1873....\$565,405 00			
<i>Items.</i>			
1. For furnishing gas to and lighting all night, extinguishing, cleansing and repairing nine thousand four hundred and sixty lamps, at fifty-five dollars and fifty cents each.....	\$525,030 00	\$525,030 00	
2. For furnishing gas to and lighting all night, extinguishing, cleansing, and repairing five hundred new lamps, to be erected during the year, at twenty-seven dollars and seventy-five cents.....\$13,875 00			
To transfer to Item 4, Ordinance Dec. 19, 1874... 1,000 00			
	12,875 00	7,975 16	\$4,899 84
3. For the erection of five hundred new lamps during the year, at thirty-one dollars.....	15,500 00	13,828 05	1,671 95
4. For repairs and renewals during the year.....\$11,000 00			
By transfer from Item 2, Dec. 19, 1874..... 1,000 00			
	12,000 00	11,389 15	610 85
	\$565,405 00	\$558,222 36	\$7,182 64

Department of Markets and City Property.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated.	Amount Countersigned	Balances Merging.
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Markets and City Property for the year 1874, approved Dec. 31, 1873.....	\$174,045 78		
Add'l, app'd July 3, 1874. 3,250 00			
<u>\$177,295 78</u>			
<i>Items.</i>			
1. Salaries of commissioner, office clerk, and messenger.....	\$4,200 00	\$4,200 00	
2. Salaries of clerks of markets....	8,415 00	8,415 00	
3. Printing, blank books, stationery, advertising, scales and weights, and regulating the same, coal, making fires, cleaning office, posting bills, &c.....	\$1,400 00		
Transfer from Item 19, res. Oct. 12, 1874.....	200 00		
	<u>1,600 00</u>	<u>1,600 00</u>	
4. Ordinary repairs to market houses....	\$5,500 00		
Transfer from Item 5, res. Oct. 12, 1874..	500 00		
	<u>6,000 00</u>	<u>5,991 91</u>	\$8 09
5. Cleaning docks.....	\$10,000 00		
Transfer to Item 18, res. Oct. 12, 1874..	\$1,200 00		
Transfer to Item 4, res. Oct. 12, 1874..	500 00		
Transfer to Item 54, res. Oct. 12, 1874..	1,000 00		
Transfer to Item 42, res. Oct. 12, 1874..	250 00		
Transfer to Item 56, res. Oct. 12, 1874..	630 00		
<u>3,580 00</u>	<u>6,420 00</u>	<u>6,389 00</u>	31 00

Department of Markets and City Property—Continued.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated.	Amount Countersigned.	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>			
6. Repairs to wharves and landings..... \$6,000 00 Transfer from Item 20, res. October 12, 1874..... 400 00	\$6,400 00	\$6,400 00	
7. Repaving wharves .. \$500 00 Transfer to Item 22, res. October 12, 1874..... 500 00			
8. Ground rents on wharf property, and for wharfage and dockage at South street wharf, Dela- ware.....	476 87	384 45	92 42
9. Fees of auctioneer.....	500 00	500 00	
10. Rent of office	800 00	800 00	
11. Painting market houses.....	700 00	595 00	105 00
12. Whitewashing market houses...	1,000 00	1,000 00	
13. Salaries of superintendents of Independence, Germantown and West Philadelphia Halls, and for cleaning and lighting Spring Garden Hall, and the janitor of the grand and petit jury rooms and janitor of building No. 723 Arch street..	3,700 00	3,175 00	525 00
14. Salaries of superin- tendents of State House, assistant superintendent, janitress, and por- ter, three janitors of State House, five cleaners of courts, and fireman of heaters at new Court House..... \$6,336 00 Transfer from Item 17, res. March 7, 1874 535 00 Transfer from Item 33, res. March 7, 1874..... 359 00	7,230 00	7,230 00	

Department of Markets and City Property—Continued.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.		Amount. Appropriated.	Amount Countersign'd.	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>				
15. Salaries of the superintendents of the Independence, Franklin, Washington, Rittenhouse, Lo- gan, Jefferson, Norris and Pas- syunk Squares, and superin- tendent of City Burial Ground.		\$6,500 00	\$6,320 55	\$179 45
16. Salaries of keepers and regu- lators of public clocks.....		500 00	500 00	
17. Salaries of house cleaners, and other expenses incurred in keeping public halls and urinals clean.....	\$1,500 00			
Transfer to Item 14, res. March 7, 1874..	535 00			
		965 00	810 55	154 45
18. Labor and other ex- penses incurred at public squares.....	\$7,000 00			
Transfer from Item 5, res. October 12, 1874.....	1,200 00			
		8,200 00	8,200 00	
19. Manuring and sod- ding.....	\$500 00			
Transfer to Item 29, res. Oct. 12, 1874..	\$300 00			
Transfer to Item 3, res. Oct. 12, 1874..	200 00			
	500 00			
20. Cleaning cesspools..	\$600 00			
Transfer to Item 6, res. Oct. 12, 1874..	\$400 00			
Transfer to Item 33, res. Oct. 12, 1874..	100 00			
	500 00	100 00	10 00	90 00

Department of Markets and City Property—Continued.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated.	Amount Countersigned	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>			
21. Cleaning and repairing public clocks.....	\$400 00	\$359 50	\$40 50
22. Paving in front of City property..... \$1,200 00 Transfer from Item 7, res. Oct 12, 1874..... 500 00	1,700 00	1,492 75	207 25
23. Coal, kindling wood, and fuel..	3,800 00	3,783 25	16 75
24. Rent of offices in Philadelphia Bank, Girard Bank, Law Building, building belonging to the American Philo- sophical Society, rent of office of Survey Depart- ment, 226 South Fifth street, and office No. 723 Arch street .....\$37,250 00 Additional, approved July 3, 1874..... 3,250 00	40,500 00	33,250 00	7,250 00
25. Ground rents and interest.....	3,500 00	2,738 24	761 76
26. Expenses of gas for public halls, offices, and squares.....	7,500 00	7,497 41	2 59
27. Repairs and other expenses at West Philadelphia Hall.....	100 00	.....	100 00
28. Repairs and other expenses at Spring Garden Hall.....	1,000 00	901 97	98 03
29. Removing snow and ice from the pave- ments in front of State House, pub- lic squares, and halls..... \$1,300 00 Transfer from Item 19, res. October 12, 1874..... 300 00	1,500 00	1,018 14	481 86
30. Repairs and other expenses at Germantown Hall.....	800 00	798 65	1 35

Department of Markets and City Property—Continued.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated.	Amount Countersign'd.	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>			
31. Supplying ice to the different courts.....	\$275 00	\$275 00	
32. Bedding, and other accommodations for jurors required by the courts.....	500 00	500 00	
33. Repairs to and cleaning court rooms, offices, District Attorney's rooms, jury rooms, and repairs to and new furniture for the same \$5,500 00 Transfer to Item 14, res. March 7, 1874. 359 00	\$5,141 00		
Transfer from Item 20, res. October 12, 1874..... 100 00	100 00		
Transfer from Item 47, res. October 12, 1874..... 225 00	225 00		
	5,466 00	5,460 70	\$5 30
✓ 34. Tools for the several public squares, and repairs to the same.....	200 00	192 94	7 06
✓ 35. New lamps, and repairs to lamps in public squares.....	500 00	471 35	28 65
36. General repairs to roof of State House, &c., exclusive of lower floors	600 00	130 63	469 37
37. Salaries of the superintendent of Morgue, and assistant.....	1,300 00	1,100 00	200 00
38. Railroad tickets for Commissioner	50 00	50 00	
39. New flag, balliards, &c., for State House and public squares.....	650 00	645 50	4 50
40. Refitting public offices, extra shelving, &c., State House row and other buildings.....	600 00	588 04	11 96
41. Brick paving in front of City wharf property.....	300 00	300 00	

Department of Markets and City Property—Continued.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated.	Amount Countersigned.	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>			
42. Iron settees for public squares, repairs and painting same. \$400 00 Transfer from Item 5, res. Oct. 12, 1874.. 250 00	\$650 00	\$650 00	
43. Removing obstructions from the rivers Schuylkill and Dela- ware.....	500 00	500 00	
44. Repairs to tobacco warehouse, and other properties belong- ing to the City.....	1,000 00	999 80	\$ 20
45. Whitewashing the interior of State House steeple.....	125 00	125 00	
46. Coal, stationery, gas, repairs, and other expenses at the Morgue.....	500 00	498 51	1 49
47. New heaters under public buildings... \$500 00 Transfer to Item 33, res. October 12, 1874..... 225 00	275 00	251 00	24 00
48. Replacing trees in and around the public squares, and enclos- ing the same.....	500 00	10 00	490 00
49. Improvement of Independence Square with flag pavement, centre walks, drainage and re-sodding, not to be expended until a general plan therefor is approved by Councils, and this item shall not merge De- cember 31, 1874.....	7,500 00	.....	7,500 00
50. New pavements in Sections 39 and 40 Girard Avenue Mar- ket, and Section 35 Spring Garden Market.....	4,000 00	2,809 68	1,190 33
51. Grading Fairhill Square.....	600 00	508 00	2 00
52. Improving Fairhill Square.....	800 00	795 15	4 85
53. Setting back fence on two sides of the City Burial Ground....	500 00	500 00	

Department of Markets and City Property—Continued.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated.	Amount Countersign'd.	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>			
54. Further improvement of Passynk Square. \$5,000 00 Transfer from Item 5, res. October 12, 1874 1,000 00	\$6,000 00	\$6,000 00	
55. Restoration, &c., of Indepen- dence Chamber and Museum, under the supervision of the Committee on Restoration...	2,500 00	2,486 16	\$13 84
56. Repairs to State House and other buildings on Chestnut street, between Fifth and Sixth streets. \$1,000 00 Transfer from Item 5, res. October 12, 1874..... 630 00	1,630 00	1,629 92	08
57. Repairs, &c., on building 723 Arch street.....	300 00	297 25	2 75
58. Grading, paving and curbing around Fairhill Square.....	2,225 25	2,225 25	
59. For furniture in use at the Re- ceiver of Taxes office, No. 723 Arch street.....	385 00	385 00	
59½. Curbing, grading and paving Town Hall lot, on Adams street, Germantown, Twenty- second Ward.....	480 00	.....	480 00
60. To pay the following bills, to wit: bill for water pipe on north side of Spruce street, east of Thirty-sixth (ordered by the Water Department)...	175 45	175 45	
Bill for water pipe on east and west sides of Twenty-seventh street, between Master and Jefferson (ordered by the Water Department).....	605 73	605 73	
h Bill for macadamizing in front of City property, northwest side of Mill street, German- town (ordered by Board of Superintendents).....	54 11	54 11	

Department of Markets and City Property—Continued.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated.	Amount Countersigned.	Balances Merging.
Grading and paving footways on south side of Parrish street, between Corinthian avenue and Twenty-second street (ordered by Highway Depart- ment)	\$1,005 83	\$1,005 83	
Paving footways, &c., on west side of Front street, between Dock and Spruce (ordered by Highway Department).....	278 80	278 80	
For sewer south side of Bridge street and west of Thirty- ninth street (ordered by the Survey Department).....	67 84	67 84	
Re-setting curb in front of City armory, east side of Broad, below Race (ordered by Highway Department).....	18 56	18 56	
Paving footways with flag stone in front of City Armory, Broad street below Race (ordered by Highway Department).....	499 45	438 52	\$60 93
Repaving footways on South side of Race street, between Broad and Juniper (ordered by the Highway Department).	282 02	.....	282 02
Girard estate for increase of rent, for quarter ending De- cember 31, 1873.....	625 00	625 00	
C. S. Close, for plan, stakes, &c., in laying out Passyunk Square.	150 00	150 00	
B. F. Dutton, for sewer on Girard avenue, between Sec- ond and Hancock, and east of Hancock street (ordered by the Survey Department).....	483 00	483 00	
Excelsior Press Brick Manufac- turing Company, for sewer on Girard avenue, between Thir- teenth and Ontario (ordered by the Survey Department)...	392 00	392 00	
Sewer on Fifth street, between Walnut and Library streets (ordered by the Survey De- partment)	369 82	369 82	
Sewer on Spring Garden street, from Eighth to Tenth (ordered by the Survey Department)...	748 50	748 50	
Storage on City ammunition at State powder magazine	102 90	102 90	
Joseph Johnson, balance due for grading done at Fairhill Square, Nineteenth Ward....	442 28	442 28	

Department of Markets and City Property—Continued.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated.	Amount Countersign'd.	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>			
Bill to fill up and fully round up Fairhill Square (per Survey- or's certificate).....	\$1,944 00	\$1,701 00	\$243 00
Bill for paving footways back of the Constitutional Convention building.....	102 95	102 95	
To pay for shelving, &c., ordered by Mr. Wm. B. R. Selby, Prothonotary of Dis- trict Court.....	338 60	338 60	
To pay for altering, &c., in Highway Department, (ordered by the Commissioner of Highways).....	1,694 07	1,694 07	
For fitting up water closet, &c., in the office of Prothonotary of District Court.....	320 75	320 75	
61. Special officer for State House building.....	800 00	800 00	
62. To pay John Patterson, night watchman at Constitutional building.....	175 00	175 00	
To pay James Craig, day watch- man at Constitutional build- ing.....	150 00	150 00	
To pay for services rendered by John Maharg, deceased, in 1870.....	51 00	51 00	
Total	\$177,295 78	\$156,127 96	\$21,167 82
 SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.			
An Ordinance to make an appropri- ation to pay for fitting up room in the Philadelphia National Bank, for City purposes, approved Febru- ary 14, 1874.....	\$2,200 00	\$1,991 55	\$208 45
An Ordinance to make an appropri- ation to pay for fitting up two rooms in the Philadelphia National Bank for City purposes, approved April 4, 1874.....	\$1,400 00	\$1,399 00	\$1 00

Department of Markets and City Property—Continued.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated.	Amount Countersign'd.	Balances Merging.
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay certain bills, for building sewers, laying water pipe, and granite curb, approved June 29, 1874. \$1,749 99			
Bill of Thomas Fair, for sewer on west side of Fifth street, south from Chestnut.....	\$220 00	\$220 00	
Bill of Thomas Fair, for sewer on south side of Chestnut, west from Fifth.....	316 56	316 56	
Bills for water pipe on west side of Fourth street, from Lehigh avenue to Huntingdon, and west side of Twenty-fourth street, two hundred and two feet north of Vine.....	437 75	437 75	
Shelmire & Darrah, for granite curb around tobacco warehouse on Dock street and Front street..	775 68	775 68	
Total	\$1,749 99	\$1,749 99	
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Markets and City Property for the year 1874, to pay bills for work done in front of City property, ordered by the Highway and other departments, during the year 1874, approved December 31, 1874..... \$7,727 27			
To pay bill for grading, and paving, and curbing at Meadow and Mulberry streets, Twenty-third Ward, and Meadow and Margaretta streets, Twenty-third Ward, (ordered by Highway Department).	\$863 35	\$863 35	
To pay for curbing and cartway paving on the north side of Huntingdon street, from Fourth to Lawrence street, and on the west side of Fourth street, from Lehigh avenue to Huntingdon street (ordered by the Highway Department).....	1,989 14	1,989 14	

Department of Markets and City Property—Continued.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated.	Amount Countersign'd	Balances Merging.
To pay bill for laying water pipe on the north side of Huntingdon street, from Laurence to Fourth street, and on the east side of Lawrence street, from Lehigh avenue to Huntingdon street (ordered by the Water Department).....	\$610 00	\$610 00	
To pay bill for sewer on Seventh street, from Market street south (ordered by the Survey Department)	184 00	184 00	
To pay bill for water rent on property No. 507 North Front street, for the years 1872, 1873, 1874....	51 75	51 75	
To pay Consumers' Ice Company balance due for supplying the different courts with ice for the year 1874	95 37	95 37	
To pay bill of M. Thomas & Sons for auctioneers' fees.....	88 15	88 15	
To pay bill of Charles Scattergood, for hauling from the public squares.	278 75	273 75	
To pay bill of John Murray, for cartway paving and curbing on the north side of Master street, east of Twenty-sixth street, to Twenty-seventh street, and on the south side of Master street, east from Twenty-seventh.....	3,566 76	3,566 76	
	\$7,727 27	\$7,727 27	
RECAPITULATION.			
An Ordinance approved December 31, 1873....	\$174,045 78		
Additional, approved July 3, 1874.....	3,250 00		
	\$177,295 78	\$156,127 96	\$21,167 82
An Ordinance app'd Feb. 14, 1874....	2,200 00	1,991 55	208 45
" " " April 4, 1874....	1,400 00	1,399 00	1 00
" " " June 29, 1874...	1,749 99	1,749 99	
" " " Dec. 31, 1874...	7,727 27	7,727 27	
Grand Total.....	\$190,373 04	\$168,995 77	\$21,377 27

Department of City Solicitor.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated.	Amount Countersign'd.	Balances Merging.
An Ordinance making an appropriation to the Law Department for the year 1874, approved December 30, 1873.....	\$76,350 00		
Additional, approved July 6, 1874.....	80,000 00		
Additional, approved December 12, 1874.....	" 1,300 00		
Additional approved December 18, 1874.....	13,000 00		
	<u>\$170,650 00</u>		
<i>Items.</i>			
1. For salaries of City Solicitor, first assistant, assistant solicitor, two assistant solicitors, assistant City Solicitor, clerk and messenger.....	\$14,650 00	\$14,650 00	
2. For prothonotary's costs..	\$2,000 00		
Additional, approved December 12, 1874.....	1,300 00		
	<u>3,300 00</u>	<u>2,019 85</u>	<u>\$380 15</u>
3. For sheriff's costs.....	400 00	325 00	75 00
4. For blank books and stationery...	500 00	443 22	56 78
5. For paper, books and blanks.....	1,000 00	854 47	145 53
6. For service of subpoenas, notices, and copying.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	
7. For fees of witnesses, certified copies of plans and papers, and for description of properties for sheriff's sales.....	200 00	21 50	178 50
8. For care and cleaning of offices, and for office furniture.....	400 00	380 56	19 44
9. For miscellaneous expenses.....	400 00	399 29	71
10. For advertising and posting notices of plans of survey.....	1,000 00	891 44	108 56
11. For law books.....	500 00	500 00	
12. For copies of law.....	100 00	37 50	62 50
13. For aldermen's costs.....	100 00	100 00	
14. For conveyancing and road juries..	1,500 00	1,033 91	466 09
15. For pay of experts as witnesses, and witness fees.....	600 00	343 43	256 57
16. For plans for the opening of streets, and for services of notices of assessments on property owners...	1,500 00	1,446 88	53 12

Department of City Solicitor—Continued.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated.	Amount Countersign'd.	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>			
17. For descriptions of property for fil- ing liens against properties bene- fited by the opening of streets...	\$200 00	\$7 00	\$193 00
18. For railroad fares	100 00	21 80	78 20
19. For the payment of dama- ges for the opening of streets and roads, when ascertained and final- ly determined by the Court of Quarter Ses- sions, to be payable by the City of Philadel- phia.....	\$50,000 00		
Additional, approved July 6, 1874.....	80,000 00		
Additional, approved December 18, 1874....	13,000 00		
	143,000 00	136,560 94	6,439 06
Total.....	\$170,650 00	\$162,136 79	\$8,513 21
 SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.			
An Ordinance making an ap- propriation to pay certain ex- penses of the commission to build a bridge over the river Schuylkill, at South street, approved Jan. 12, 1870. Bal- ance from books of 1873..	\$63 85		
<i>Item.</i>			
7. For clerk hire and postage.....	\$63 85	\$63 85	
Total.....	\$63 85	\$63 85	
 An Ordinance making an appropriation to pay damages caused by the opening of Savery street, opening and widen- ing Montgomery street, and the wi- dening of Baltimore avenue, approved February 17, 1872. Balance from books of 1873.....	\$850 00		\$850 00

Department of City Solicitor—Continued.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated.	Amount Countersign'd.	Balances Merging.
An Ordinance making an appropriation to pay damages caused by the opening of Filbert and Cambria streets, and Haverford avenue, approved July 19, 1873. Balance from books of 1873.....	\$600 00	.....	\$600 00
An Ordinance making an appropriation to pay damages caused by the opening of Vine and Forty-second streets, approved October 13, 1873. Balance from books of 1873.....	804 00	\$420 00	384 00
An Ordinance making an appropriation to pay damages caused by the opening of Twenty-fifth and Paschall streets, approved December 6, 1873. Balance from books of 1873.....	500 00	500 00	
An Ordinance making an appropriation to pay damages caused by the opening of Franklin street, approved December 29, 1873. Balance from books of 1873.....	1,985 00	1,985 00	
An Ordinance making an appropriation to pay damages caused by the opening of Tulip street, approved December 29, 1873. Balance from books of 1873.....	354 00	354 00	
An Ordinance making an appropriation to pay damages caused by the opening of Thirty-fourth street, approved January 17, 1874.....	40,983 33	31,983 33	9,000 00
An Ordinance making an appropriation to reimburse D. M. Hess and Montgomery Chambers purchase-money, paid by them for certain property belonging to the City, approved January 17, 1874.....	186 40	186 40	
An Ordinance to provide for the acceptance of "Fox Square," in the Twenty-fifth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, and for vesting the title of the same in the City, in fee, and making an appropriation therefor, approved January 23, 1874.....	1,210 37	1,210 37	
An Ordinance making an appropriation to pay damages caused by the widening of Thirty-seventh street, north of Bridge street, approved March 30, 1874.....	22,639 48	22,184 74	454 74
An Ordinance making an appropriation to pay damages caused by the widening of Ridge avenue, approved May 13, 1874.....	\$12,000 00	\$12,000 00	

Department of City Solicitor—Continued.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated.	Amount Countersigned.	Balances Merging.
An Ordinance making an appropriation to pay damages caused by the opening of Twenty-seventh street, from Pennsylvania avenue to Brown street, approved May 13, 1874.....	\$7,750 00	\$7,750 00	
An Ordinance making an appropriation for the payment of claims of the Perseverance Hose Company, James West and F. Schwarm, approved May 13, 1874.....	\$891 67		
<i>Items.</i>			
1. To the Perseverance Hose Company, or their attorney, in full for rent of premises No. 316 Race street, lately occupied by the Fire Department	\$14 56	\$14 56	
2. To James West, for expenses incurred in conveying to the City two lots of ground for public purposes.....	55 00	55 00	
3. To F. Schwarm, amount of municipal claim paid by him in mistake.	22 11	.....	\$22 11
Total	\$891 67	\$869 56	\$22 11
 An Ordinance making an appropriation for the payment of counsel fees in the will case of Amy Doughton, deceased, in Delaware, approved June 8, 1874.....	200 00	200 00	
A Supplement to an Ordinance making an appropriation for the settlement and compromise of certain claims of the Schuylkill Navigation Company and others against the City of Philadelphia, approved November 21, 1873, and for the payment of fees of counsel employed by the City to defend the suits of the Schuylkill Navigation Company and others against said City, approved June 20, 1874.....	5,000 00	5,000 00	
An Ordinance making an appropriation to pay for stationery for the courts and dockets and record books for the courts, approved July 2, 1874.....	6,170 36	6,170 36	
An Ordinance making an appropriation to pay for record books and stationery furnished the Register of Wills' office, approved November 7, 1874.....	\$919 62	\$919 62	

Department of City Solicitor—Continued.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated.	Amount Countersign'd.	Balances Merging.
An Ordinance making an appropriation to pay for record books for county offices, and stationery for the courts, approved December 11, 1874.....	\$6,869 46	\$6,869 46	\$20 00
An Ordinance making an appropriation to pay the expenses of the South Street Bridge Commission, approved December 12, 1874.....	1,000 00	325 00	605 00
An Ordinance making an appropriation to pay damages caused by the widening of Grape street, between Thirty-sixth and Thirty-seventh streets, approved December 31, 1874.....	7,388 93	7,288 93	100 00
RECAPITULATION.			
An Ordinance approved Dec. 30, 1873.	\$76,350 00		
Additional, approved July 6, 1874.....	80,000 00		
Additional, approved Dec. 12, 1874.....	1,300 00		
Additional, approved Dec. 18, 1874.....	13,000 00		
	\$170,650 00	\$162,136 79	\$8,513 21
An Ordinance approved Jan. 12, 1870..	63 85	63 85	
" " " Feb. 17, 1872..	850 00		850 00
" " " July 19, 1872..	600 00		600 00
" " " Oct. 13, 1873..	804 00	420 00	384 00
" " " Dec. 6, 1873..	500 00	500 00	
" " " Dec. 29, 1873..	1,985 00	1,985 00	
" " " Dec. 29, 1873..	354 00	354 00	
" " " Jan. 17, 1874..	40,983 33	31,983 33	9,000 00
" " " Jan. 17, 1874..	186 40	186 40	
" " " Jan. 23, 1874..	1,210 37	1,210 37	
" " " Mar. 30, 1874..	22,639 48	22,184 74	454 74
" " " May 13, 1874..	12,000 00	12,000 00	
" " " May 13, 1874..	7,750 00	7,750 00	
" " " May 13, 1874..	891 67	869 56	22 11
" " " June 8, 1874..	200 00	200 00	
" " " June 20, 1874..	5,000 00	5,000 00	
" " " July 2, 1874..	6,170 36	6,170 36	
" " " Nov. 7, 1874..	919 62	919 62	
" " " Dec. 11, 1874..	6,889 46	6,869 46	20 00
" " " Dec. 12, 1874..	1,000 00	395 00	605 00
" " " Dec. 31, 1874..	7,388 93	7,288 93	100 00
Grand Total.....	\$289,036 47	\$268,487 41	\$20,549 06

Department of City Controller.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated	Amount Countersigned.	Balances Merging.
An Ordinance making an appropriation to the Department of City Controller for the year 1874, approved Dec. 20, 1873	\$33,450 00		
<i>Items.</i>			
1. For salaries of Controller and chief clerk.....	\$5,500 00	\$5,500 00	
2. For salaries of eighteen assistant clerks, lien clerk, and messenger.	23,900 00	23,885 40	\$14 60
3. For books and stationery	1,700 00	1,689 20	10 80
4. For printing the annual statement for the Controller for the year 1873, and preparing and printing the annual statement of the Finance Committee.....	650 00	650 00	
5. For cleansing and care of office....	200 00	200 00	
6. For incidental expenses and fuel....	450 00	445 49	4 51
7. For preparing register of delinquent taxes,	1,050 00	1,050 00	
Total.....	\$33,450 00	\$33,420 09	\$29 91
 SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.			
An Ordinance making an appropriation to enclose the space at the end of the entry, gas fixtures, fitting up and furnishing the same for the accommodation of the registry clerk, approved May 1, 1874.....	\$200 00	\$196 51	\$3 49
 RECAPITULATION.			
An Ordinance approved Dec. 20, 1873...	\$33,450 00	\$33,420 09	\$29 91
“ “ “ May 1, 1874...	200 00	196 51	3 49
Grand Total.....	\$33,650 00	\$33,616 60	\$33 40

Department of City Treasurer.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated	Amount Countersig'd.	Balances Merging.
An Ordinance making an appropriation to the Department of City Treasurer for the year 1874, approved December 20, 1873 .....\$27,700 00			
<i>Items.</i>			
1. For salary of City Treasurer.....	\$2,500 00	\$2 500 00	
2. For salaries of chief clerk, two clerks at \$1,500 each, paying teller, stock clerk, transfer clerk, and warrant clerk.....	9,800 00	9,800 00	
3. For salaries of license clerk, seven miscellaneous clerks and messenger.....	8,800 00	8,800 00	
4. For books, printing, and stationery...	3,500 00	3,463 65	\$36 35
5. For advertising.....	600 00	323 51	276 49
6. For fuel, stamps required by act of Congress, office and other expenses.	2,500 00	2,499 46	54
Total.....	\$27,700 00	\$27,386 62	\$313 58

Department of Receiver of Taxes.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated	Amount Countersig'd.	Balances Merging.
An Ordinance to make an ap- propriation to the Department of Receiver of Taxes for the year 1874, approved Decem- ber 20, 1873.....\$43,600 00			
<i>Items.</i>			
1. For salary of Receiver of Taxes.....	\$2,500 00	\$2,500 00	
2. For salary of chief clerk.....	2,000 00	2,000 00	
3. For salaries of assistant clerk, chief search clerk, three assistant search clerks, condensing clerk, fifteen re- ceiving clerks, messenger and watchman	25,800 00	25,800 00	
4. For advertising delinquent taxpayers .....\$2,000 00 To transfer to Item 6, ap- proved Dec. 12, 1874..... 559 85	1,440 15	1,440 15	
5. For blank books and stationery.....	3,000 00	3,000 00	
6. For printing bills, notices and advertising .....\$3,000 00 By transfer from Item 4, ap- proved Dec. 12, 1874..... 559 85	3,559 85	3,559 85	
7. For incidental expenses.	1,300 00	1,300 00	
8. For compensation of Receiver of Taxes in the Twenty-third Ward..	4,000 00	4,000 00	
Total.....	\$43,600 00	\$43,600 00	

Department of Steam Boiler Inspectors.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated.	Amount Countersigned.	Balances Merging.
An Ordinance making an appropriation to the Department of Steam Engine and Boiler for the year 1874, approved Dec. 30, 1873....\$14,300 00			
<i>Items.</i>			
1. For salary of Chief Inspector.....	\$2,000 00	\$2,000 00	
2. For salaries of assistants.....	3,600 00	3,600 00	
3. For salary of clerk....	1,200 00	1,200 00	
4. For salary of messenger.....	700 00	700 00	
5. For transportation, draughtsman, and keep of horses.	3,000 00	2,457 25	\$542 75
6. For rent of offices and extra labor..	2,200 00	2,017,92	182 08
7. For instruments and pumps.	300 00	300 00	
8. For stationery, books, &c.....	500 00	500 00	
9. For furniture and incidentals.....	300 00	300 00	
10. For horse and wagon.....	500 00	234 00	266 00
	<u>\$14,300 00</u>	<u>\$13,309 17</u>	<u>\$990 83</u>

Department of Port Wardens.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated.	Amount Countersign'd.	Balances Merging.
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Board of Port Wardens for the year 1874, approved December 17, 1873.....	\$2,500 00		
<i>Items.</i>			
1. For rent of office.....	\$550 00	\$550 00	
2. For salary of clerk.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	
3. For salary of messenger.	250 00	250 00	
4. For fuel and incidentals.....	350 00	350 00	
5. For printing and stationery.....	150 00	150 00	
Total.....	\$2,500 00	\$2,500 00	

Department of Commissioners of Sinking Funds.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated.	Amount Countersign'd.	Balances Merging.
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Commissioners of the Sinking Funds for the year 1874.			
Items 58 and 59.....	\$450 00		
<i>Items.</i>			
58. For salary of secretary.....	\$400 00	\$400 00	
59. For stationery and incidentals.....	50 00	22 00	\$28 00
Total.....	\$450 00	\$422 00	\$28 00

Department of City Railroad.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated.	Amount Countersigned.	Balances Merging.
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of City Railroad for the year 1874, approved December 17, 1873.....	\$10,350 00		
<i>Items.</i>			
1. Salary of Superintendent.....	\$1,250 00	\$1,250 00	
2. Rent of office, stationery and incidentals.	600 00	598 38	\$1 62
3. Wages of repair gang.....	2,400 00	2,373 13	126 87
4. Purchase of new material.....	6,000 00	5,993 53	6 47
Total.....	\$10,350 00	\$10,215 04	\$134 96

South Street Bridge Commission.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATION.	Amount Appropriated.	Amount Countersigned.	Balances Merging.
An Act to authorize the erection of a bridge over the river Schuylkill, at South street, approved March 23, 1870. Loan authorized May 19, 1870.			
Brought from books of 1873.....	\$327,795 94	\$201,331 54	\$126,464 40

Department of Park Commission.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated.	Amount Countersigned	Balances Merging.
An Ordinance making an appropriation to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park for the year 1874, approved Dec. 20, 1873.....	\$200,000 00		
<i>Items.</i>			
1. For salary of solicitor	\$2,500 00	\$2,500 00	
2. For keeping Fairmount Park in repair and good order, and for the current expenses of the Park Commission	190,000 00	189,995 84	\$4 16
3. For keeping Hunting Park in repair and good order, and for the improvement thereof.....	7,500 00	7,498 93	1 08
Total.....	\$200,000 00	\$199,994 76	\$5 24
 SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.			
An Ordinance making an appropriation to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park for a sum of money now in the City Treasury as a special fund for Park purposes: For music, &c., approved April 12, 1873. Balance from books of 1873.	\$3,341 82	\$3,326 36	\$15 46
An Ordinance making an appropriation to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park of a sum of money now in the City Treasury as a special fund for Park purposes: For music or afternoon concerts, and other Park purposes, approved May 1, 1874.....	19,917 54	19,703 63	214 91
 RECAPITULATION.			
An Ordinance approved Dec. 20, 1873.	\$200,000 00	\$199,994 76	\$5 24
“ “ “ Apr. 12, 1873.	3,341 82	3,326 36	15 46
“ “ “ May 1, 1874.	19,917 54	19,703 63	214 91
Grand Total.....	\$223,259 36	\$223,023 75	\$235 61

Department of Park Commission Loan.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated.	Amount Countersigned	Balances Merging.
An Ordinance making an appropriation to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park, ap- proved Oct. 21, 1872. Bal. from books of 1873....\$33,010 40 Additional, approved Feb. 14, 1874... 600,000 00 \$633,010 40			
<i>Items.</i>			
1. For the payment of damages for ground rent and property taken for said Park, including the ex- penses thereof.....\$30,935 61 Additional, approved Feb. 14, 1874.....600,000 00 \$630,935 61	\$630,935 61	\$72,231 58	\$558,674 03
2. For the laying out and con- struction of said Park for public use, and for the per- manent care and improvement thereto.....2,074 79	2,074 79	2,074 79	
Total.....\$633,010 40	\$633,010 40	\$74,336 37	\$558,674 03

Department of City Ice Boats.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS	Amount Appropriated.	Amount Countersigned.	Balances Merging.
An Ordinance making an appropriation to the Trustees of City Ice Boats for the year 1874, approved December 17, 1873.....	\$74,000 00		
<i>Items.</i>			
1. For repairs to and equipment of boats and machinery	\$18,000 00	\$11,781 84	\$6,218 16
2. For fuel.....	28,000 00	7,109 25	20,890 75
3. For wages.....	17,500 00	11,157 02	6,342 98
4. For provisions.....	6,000 00	2,482 94	3,517 06
5. For insurance, office rent, wharfage, stationery and incidentals, and advertising	4,500 00	3,267 91	1,232 09
Total	\$74,000 00	\$35,798 96	\$38,201 04
 SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.			
An Ordinance making an appropriation for the construction and equipping of an ice boat, approved June 2, 1873.			
Balance from books of 1873.....	\$44,855 00		
<i>Items.</i>			
1. For the construction and equipment of an ice boat.....	\$43,000 00	\$43,000 00	
2. For salary of superintending engineer, at the rate of one per centum contract price.....	205 00	205 00	
3. For incidentals.....	1,650 00	882 60	\$767 40
Total	\$44,855 00	\$44,087 60	\$767 40
 RECAPITULATION.			
Ordinance approved Dec. 17, 1873.....	\$74,000 00	\$35,798 96	\$38,201 04
“ “ June 2, 1873.....	44,855 00	44,087 60	767 40
Grand Total.....	\$118,855 00	\$79,886 56	\$38,968 44

Department of Public Buildings.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.	Amount Appropriated.	Amount Countersigned.	Balances Merging.
An Ordinance making an appropriation to the Commissioners for the erection of the Public Buildings for the year 1874, approved December 20, 1873.....	\$1,457,450 00		
Balance from books of 1873.....	454,142 26		
	<u>\$1,911,592 26</u>		
<i>Items.</i>			
1. For salary of architect.	\$6,000 00	\$6,000 00	
2. For salaries of assistants of architect.....	4,500 00	4,500 00	
3. For salary of superintendent.....	\$2,500 00		
Balance from books of 1873.....	01		
	<u>2,500 01</u>	2,499 96	\$ 05
4. For salaries of assistants of superintendent.....	\$1,500 00		
Balance from books of 1873.....	1,500 00		
	<u>3,000 00</u>	.....	3,000 00
5. For salary of secretary.....	1,500 00	1,500 00	
6. For salary of messenger.....	750 00	750 00	
7. For salary of watchman	\$600 00		
Balance from books of 1873.....	83 34		
	<u>683 34</u>	600 00	83 34
8. For rent of office.....	\$1,100 00		
Balance from books of 1873.....	166 67		
	<u>1,266 67</u>	1,100 00	166 67
9. For clerk hire.....	1,000 00	.....	1,000 00
10. For legal expenses and fees.....	\$1,000 00		
Balance from books of 1873	425 60		
	<u>1,425 60</u>	1,000 00	425 60
11. For advertising, material and labor, per estimate of architect..	\$3,000 00		
Balance from books of 1873	1,645 52		
Balance from books of 1873, for 1870, 1871	102 92		
	<u>4,748 44</u>	902 35	3,846 09

Department of Public Buildings—Continued.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.		Amount Appropriated.	Amount Countersigned.	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>				
12. For excavations.	\$10,000 00			
Balance from books of 1873.....	15,999 00			
		\$25,999 00	\$20,725 66	\$5,273 34
13. For masonry work and foundation stone....	\$30,000 00			
Balance from books of 1873.....	25,885 08			
Transfer from Item 27, approved December 12, 1874.....	25,000 00			
		80,885 08	78,283 74	2,601 34
14. For bricks and brick- work.....	\$240,000 00			
Balance from books of 1873.....	97,450 50			
		337,450 50	171,426 97	166,023 53
15. For granite as per con- tract	\$450,000 00			
Balance from books of 1873.....	194,182 30			
		644,182 30	283,845 62	360,336 68
16. For iron beams now for on the south side.....	contracted 18,000 00		17,475 00	525 00
17. For iron beams now for on the north side.....	contracted 25,000 00		24,745 50	254 50
18. For blacksmith work.....	1,500 00		461 49	1,038 51
19. For cast iron, includ- ing door frames....	\$25,000 00			
Balance from books of 1873.....	14,319 10			
		39,319 10	9,152 68	30,166 42
20. For carpen- ter work, lumber, and nails, \$5,000 00				
Balance from books of 1873.....	10,779 35			
	\$15,779 35			
Transfer to Item 24, approved July 3, 1874.....	\$4,000 00			
Transfer to Item 25, approved July 3, 1874.....	1,000 00			
	5,000 00			
		10,779 35	5,758 80	5,020 55

Department of Public Buildings—Continued.

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS.		Amount Appropriated	Amount Consign'd.	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>				
21. For labor.....	\$5,000 00			
Transfer from Item				
29, approved De-				
cember 12, 1874...	1,500 00			
		\$6,500 00	\$4,771 50	\$1,728 50
22. For cement and				
concrete.....	\$3,500 00			
Transfer from Item				
33, approved July				
3, 1874.	7,500 00			
		11,000 00	7,623 27	3,376 73
23. For dressed stone for				
foundation laid				
complete.....	\$60,000 00			
Transfer from Item				
27, approved De-				
cember 12, 1874...	25,000 00			
		\$85,000 00	69,911 12	15,088 88
24. For lumber.....	\$8,000 00			
Transfer				
from Item				
20, ap-				
proved				
July 3,				
1874....	\$4,000 00			
Transfer				
from Item				
29, ap-				
proved				
Dec. 12,				
1874....	1,800 00			
	5,800 00			
		13,800 00	10,916 03	2,883 97
25. For hardware, nails,				
&c.....	\$500 00			
Transfer from Item				
20, approved July				
3, 1874.....	1,000 00			
		1,500 00	576 55	923 45
		2,500 00	713 25	1,786 75
26. For painting.....				
27. For marble, rough				
and dressed.....	\$500,000 00			
Transfer to				
Item 13,				
approved				
Dec. 12,				
1874....	\$25,000 00			
Transfer to				
Item 23,				
approved				
Dec. 12,				
1874....	25,000 00			
	50,000 00			
		450,000 00	218,406 25	231,593 75

Department of Public Buildings—Continued.

GENERAL APPROPRIATION.	Amount Appropriated.	Amount Countersign'd.	Balances Merging.
<i>Items.</i>			
23. For dressed stone for inside finish	\$50,000 00	\$23,674 94	\$26,325 06
29. For stationery and incidentals, Balance f r o m books of 1873, Item 9.....	\$3,676 03	69 711	
Balance f r o m books of 1873, Item 19.....	24,614 72		
	28,290 74		
Transfer to Item 24, approved Dec. 12, 1874	\$1,800 00		
Transfer to Item 21, approved Dec. 12, 1874....	1,500 00		
	3,300 00		
30. For furniture Balance from books of 1873.....	916 12	465 31	450 81
31. For sewerage. Balance from books of 1873.	82 44	66 70	15 74
32. For changing gas pipe. Balance from books of 1873.....	66 78	.....	66 78
33. Iron beams and setting. Balance from books of 1873	\$62 246 79		
Transfer to Item 22, approved July 3, 1874.....	7,500 00		
	54,746 79	26,534 22	28,212 57
Total.....	\$1,911,592 26	\$1,006,809 23	\$904,783 03

City Debt Account.

	5 per cent.	6 per cent.		
1875.				
Philadelphia City Loan, due Jan. 1, 1875.....		\$2,000 00		
Consolidated City Loan, due Jan. 1, 1875.....	\$1,100 00	\$1,800 00		
		\$83,800 00	\$84,900 00	
Consolidated City Loan, due July 1, 1875.....		\$7,900 00		
Southwark Loan, due in 1875.....	\$11,400 00			
Philadelphia County, due in 1875.....		1,790 70		
		\$9,690 70	21,090 70	105,990 70
1876.				
Consolidated City Loan, due Jan. 1, 1876.....	\$8,400 00	\$33,300 00	\$41,700 00	
Philadelphia City Loan, due July 1, 1876.....		\$68,800 00		
Consolidated City Loan, due July 1, 1876.....		228,970 00		
Spring Garden Loan, due in 1876.....		23,800 00		
Kensington Loan, due in 1876.....		27,180 00		
Southwark Loan, due in 1875.....	\$400 00			
District of Penn Loan, due in 1876.....		15,361 56		
		\$364,111 56	364,511 56	406,211 56
1877.				
Consolidated City Loan, due Jan. 1, 1877.....	\$2,000 00	\$40,780 00	\$42,780 00	
Philadelphia City Loan, due July 1, 1877.....		\$55,600 00		
Consolidated City Loan, due July 1, 1877.....		92,250 00		
Kensington Loan, due in 1877.....		3,770 00		
		\$151,620 00	151,620 00	194,400 0
1878.				
Consolidated City Loan, due Jan. 1, 1878.....	\$2,000 00	\$43,600 00	\$45,600 00	
Philadelphia City Loan, due July 1, 1878.....		\$27,700 00		
Consolidated City Loan, due July 1, 1878.....		124,700 00		
Kensington Loan, due in 1878.....		15,500 00		
Southwark Loan due in 1878.....		6,200 00		
Northern Liberties Loan, due in 1878.....		1,000 00		
		\$175,100 00	175,100 00	220,700 0

City Debt Account—Continued.

	5 per cent.	6 per cent.		
1879.				
Consolidated City Loan, due Jan. 1,				
1879.....	\$2,000 00	\$21,500 00	\$23,500 00	
Philadelphia City Loan, due July 1,				
1879.....		\$21,900 00		
Consolidated City Loan, due July 1,				
1879.....		164,900 00		
Kensington Loan, due in 1879.....		4,300 00		
		\$191,100 00	191,100 00	\$214,600 00
1880.				
Philadelphia City Loan, due Jan. 1,				
1880.....		\$55,500 00		
Consolidated City Loan, due Jan. 1,				
1880.....	\$37,473 25	203,316 00		
		\$258,816 00	\$296,289 25	
Philadelphia City Loan, due July 1,				
1880.....		\$48,800 00		
Consolidated City Loan, due July 1,				
1880.....		138,900 00		
Philadelphia County Loan, due in				
1880.....	\$14,872 69			
Spring Garden Loan, due in 1880 and				
1881.....		24,400 00		
Kensington Loan, due in 1880.....		10,521 54		
Southwark Loan, due in 1880.....	13,500 00	10,600 00		
Northern Liberties Loan, due in 1880.		800 00		
	\$28,372 69	\$234,021 54	262,394 23	558,683 48
1881.				
Philadelphia City Loan, due Jan. 1,				
1881.....		\$22,900 00		
Consolidated City Loan, due Jan. 1,				
1881.....	\$10,600 00	191,784 00		
		\$214,684 00	\$225,284 00	
Philadelphia City Loan, due July 1,				
1881.....		\$58,300 00		
Consolidated City Loan, due July 1,				
1881.....		906,900 00		
Kensington Loan, due in 1881.....		820 64		
Southwark Loan, due in 1881.....	\$15,500 00			
Northern Liberties Loan, due in 1881.		112,000 00		
		\$1,078,020 64	1,093,520 64	1,318,804 64

City Debt Account—Continued.

	5 per cent.	6 per cent.		
1882.				
Consolidated City Loan, due Jan. 1, 1882.....	\$3,700 00	\$10,900 00	\$14,600 00	
Philadelphia City Loan, due July 1, 1882.....		\$23 800 00		
Consolidated City Loan, due July 1, 1882.....		211,042 10		
Spring Garden Loan, due in 1882.....		24,800 00		
Richmond Loan, due in 1882.....		2,031 60		
Northern Liberties Loan, due in 1882.....		700 00		
		\$262,373 70	262,373 70	
				\$276,973 70
1883.				
Consolidated City Loan, due Jan. 1, 1883.....		\$102,757 90	\$102,757 90	
Philadelphia City Loan, due July 1, 1883.....				
Consolidated City Loan, due July 1, 1883.....		\$82,600 00		
Spring Garden Loan, due in 1883.....		607,300 00		
Southwark Loan, due in 1883.....	\$3,000 00	1,000 00		
		\$690,900 00	693,900 00	
				796,657 90
1884.				
Consolidated City Loan, due Jan. 1, 1884.....		\$683,900 00	\$683,900 00	
Philadelphia City Loan, due July 1, 1884.....		\$63,900 00		
Consolidated City Loan, due July 1, 1884.....		1,652,600 00		
Spring Garden Loan, due in 1884.....		22,300 00		
Southwark Loan, due in 1884.....	\$10,600 00			
		\$1,738,800 00	1,749,400 00	
				2,433 300 00
1885.				
Consolidated City Loan, due Jan. 1, 1885.....		\$471,900 00	\$471,900 00	
Philadelphia City Loan, due July 1, 1885.....		\$16,900 00		
Consolidated City Loan, due July 1, 1885.....		672,700 00		
Spring Garden Loan, due in 1885.....		3,000 00		
Southwark Loan, due in 1885.....	\$3,850 00			
		\$692,600 00	696,450 00	1,168,350 00

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City Debt Account—Continued.

	5 per cent.	6 per cent.		
1886.				
Consolidated City Loan, due Jan. 1, 1886.....		\$1,450,000 00	\$1,450,000 00	
Philadelphia City Loan, due July 1, 1886.....		\$51,700 00		
Consolidated City Loan, due July 1, 1886.....		665,000 00		
		\$716,700 00	716,700 00	\$2,166,700 00
1887.				
Consolidated City Loan, due Jan. 1, 1887.....		\$1,050,000 00	\$1,050,000 00	
Philadelphia City Loan, due July 1, 1887.....		\$26,200 00		
Consolidated City Loan, due July 1, 1887.....		47,300 00		
		\$73,500 00	73,500 00	1,123,500 00
1888.				
Philadelphia City Loan, due July 1, 1888.....		\$43,400 00		
Consolidated City Loan, due July 1, 1888.....		96,700 00	\$140,100 00	140,100 00
1889.				
Philadelphia City Loan, due Jan. 1, 1889.....		\$20,900 00		
Consolidated City Loan, due Jan. 1, 1889.....		1,382,200 00		
		\$1,413,100 00	\$1,413,100 00	
Philadelphia City Loan, due July 1, 1889.....		\$56,300 00		
Consolidated City Loan, due July 1, 1889.....		143,900 00		
		\$200,200 00	200,200 00	1,613,300 00

City Debt Account—Continued.

	5 per cent.	6 per cent.		
1890.				
Philadelphia City Loan, due Jan. 1, 1890		\$5,500 00		
Consolidated City Loan, due Jan. 1, 1890		1,041,700 00		
		1,047,200 00		
			\$1,047,200 00	
Philadelphia City Loan, due July 1, 1890		\$58,000 00		
Consolidated City Loan, due July 1, 1890		217,200 00		
		\$275,200 00		
			275,200 00	
				\$1,322,400 00
1891.				
Philadelphia City Loan, due July 1, 1891		\$37,300 00		
Consolidated City Loan, due July 1, 1891		1,754,200 00		
			\$1,791,500 00	
				1,791,500 00
1892.				
Consolidated City Loan, due Jan. 1, 1892		\$2,252,226 35		
Consolidated City Loan, due July 1, 1892		500,000 00		
			\$2,752,226 35	
				\$2,752,226 35
1893.				
Consolidated City Loan, due Jan. 1, 1893		\$536,773 65		
			\$536,773 65	
Consolidated City Loan, due July 1, 1893		\$72,823 11		
Richmond Loan, due in 1893		15,614 55		
		\$88,437 66		
			88,437 66	
				625,211 31
1894.				
Consolidated City Loan, due Jan. 1, 1894		\$4,279,077 65		
			\$4,279,077 65	
				4,279,077 65
1895.				
Consolidated City Loan, due Jan. 1, 1895		\$6,085,000 00		
Consolidated City Loan, due July 1, 1895		600,000 00		
			\$6,685,000 00	
				6,685,000 00

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City Debt Account—Continued.

	5 per cent.	6 per cent.		
1896. Consolidated City Loan, due Jan. 1, 1896.....		\$2,999,700 00	\$2,999,700 00	\$2,999,700 00
1897. Consolidated City Loan, due July 1, 1897.....		\$1,800,000 00	\$1,800,000 00	1,800,000 00
1898. Consolidated City Loan, due July 1, 1898.....		\$800,000 00	\$800,000 00	800,000 00
1899. Consolidated City Loan, due Jan. 1, 1899.....		\$6,640,000 00	\$6,640,000 00	6,640,000 00
1900. Consolidated City Loan, due Jan. 1, 1900..... Consolidated City Loan, due July 1, 1900.....		\$1,000,000 00 3,981,200 00	\$4,981,200 00	,981,200 0
1901. Consolidated City Loan, due Jan. 1, 1901..... Consolidated City Loan, due July 1, 1901.....		\$1,700,000 00 2,122,000 00	\$3,822,000 00	3,822,000 00
1902. Consolidated City Loan, due Jan. 1, 1902..... Consolidated City Loan, due July 1, 1902.....		\$925,000 00 1,200,000 00	\$2,125,000 00	2,125,000 00
1903. Consolidated City Loan, due Jan. 1, 1903..... Consolidated City Loan, due July 1, 1903.....		\$5,106,650 00 323,400 00	\$5,430,050 00	5,430,050 00

City Debt Account—Continued.

	5 per cent.	6 per cent.		
1904. Consolidated City Loan, due Jan. 1, 1994.....		\$1,450,000 00		
Consolidated City Loan, due July 1, 1904.....		35,212 88	\$1,485,212 88	\$1,485,212 8
Over-due Loans yet Outstanding.				
1860. Philadelphia City Loan, due July 1, 1860.....	\$4,200 00			
1863. Philadelphia City Loan, due Jan. 1, 1863.....	1,400 00			
1872. Philadelphia City Loan, due Jan. 1, 1872.....	200 00			
1874. Philadelphia City Loan, due Jan. 1, 1874	3,400 00			
	\$9,200 00		\$9,200 00	9,200 00
1856. Philadelphia Co. Loan, due in 1856....		\$1,000 00		
1859. Philadelphia Co. Loan, due in 1859....	\$34,766 47			
1860. Philadelphia Co. Loan, due in 1860....	20,173 28			
1861. Philadelphia Co. Loan, due in 1861....	82,293 20	63,500 00		
	\$137,232 95	\$64,500 00	\$201,732 95	201,732 95
1857. Spring Garden Loan, due in 1857.....		\$11,500 00		
1865. Spring Garden Loan, due in 1865.....		4,600 00		
1867. Spring Garden Loan, due in July 1867.....		100 00		
1868. Spring Garden Loan, due in 1868.....		27,600 00		
1870. Spring Garden Loan, due in 1870.....		6,900 00		
		\$50,700 00	\$50,700 00	50,700 00

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City Debt Account—Continued.

	5 per cent.	6 per cent.		
1851. Kensington Loan, due in 1851.		\$4,200 00		
1856. Kensington Loan, due in 1856.	\$800 00	200 00		
1857. Kensington Loan, due in 1857.		2,000 00		
1858. Kensington Loan, due in 1858.	13,500 00			
1861. Kensington Loan, due in 1861.		800 00		
1865. Kensington Loan due in 1865.		300 00		
1867. Kensington Loan, due in 1867.		886 71		
1868. Kensington Loan, due in 1868.		135 29		
1870. Kensington Loan, due in 1870.		246 25		
1871. Kensington Loan, due in 1871.		4,850 00		
	\$14,300 00	\$13,618 25	\$27,918 25	\$27,918 25
1860. Southwark Loan, due in 1860.	\$2,000 00			
1862. Southwark Loan, due in 1862.		\$2,000 00	\$4,000 00	4,000 00
1865. District of Penn Loan, due in 1865.		\$2,800 00		
1871. District of Penn Loan, due in 1871.		33,290 49	\$36,090 49	36,090 49
1870. Frankford Loan, due in 1870.		\$13,000 00		
1873. Frankford Loan, due in 1873.		31,759 00	\$44,759 00	44,759 00

City Debt Account—Continued.

	5 per cent.	6 per cent.		
1854. Bridesburg Loan, due in 1854.....		\$500 00		\$500 00
1865. Guardians of the Poor Loan, due in 1865.....	\$2,000 00			2,000 00
1872. West Philadelphia Loan, due in 1872.....		\$28,713 30		28,713 30
1853. Richmond Loan, due in 1853.....		\$2,000 00		
1854. Richmond Loan, due in 1854.....		1,735 75		
1860. Richmond Loan, due in 1860.....		3,137 00		
1863. Richmond Loan, due in 1863.....		2,504 00		
		\$9 376 75	\$9,376 75	9,376 75
1855. Consolidated City Loan, due July 1, 1855.....		\$1,000 00		
1856. Consolidated City Loan, due July 1, 1856.....	\$1,000 00			
1857. Consolidated City Loan, due Jan. 1, 1857.....		487 45		
1858. Consolidated City Loan, due Jan. 1, 1858.....		2,600 00		
1859. Consolidated City Loan, due Jan. 1, 1859.....		278 26		
1860. Consolidated City Loan, due Jan. 1, 1860.....	6,903 42			
1861. Consolidated City Loan, due Jan. 1, 1861.....		700 00		
1862. Consolidated City Loan, due July 1, 1862.....	5,000 00			

City Debt Account—Continued.

	5 per cent.	6 per cent.		
1863.				
Consolidated City Loan, due Jan. 1,				
1863.....	\$3,550 00	\$1,331 00		
Consolidated City Loan, due July 1,				
1863.....	38,950 00	374 00		
1864.				
Consolidated City Loan, due Jan. 1,				
1864.....	\$2,313 00			
Consolidated City Loan, due July 1,				
1864.....	1,100 00			
1865.				
Consolidated City Loan, due Jan. 1,				
1865.....		\$3,000 00		
Consolidated City Loan, due July 1,				
1865.....	2,200 00			
1866.				
Consolidated City Loan, due July 1,				
1866.....	3,800 00	5,868 50		
1867.				
Consolidated City Loan, due Jan. 1,				
1867.....	8,700 00	100 00		
Consolidated City Loan, due July 1,				
1867.....		1,800 00		
1868.				
Consolidated City Loan, due Jan. 1,				
1868.....		3,931 04		
1869.				
Consolidated City Loan, due July 1,				
1869.....		11,790 30		
1870.				
Consolidated City Loan, due Jan. 1,				
1870.....		3,054 88		
1871.				
Consolidated City Loan, due Jan. 1,				
1871.....	16,850 00			
Consolidated City Loan, due July 1,				
1871.....		2,501 10		
1872.				
Consolidated City Loan, due Jan. 1,				
1872.....	200 00	30,666 64		
Consolidated City Loan, due July 1,				
1872.....		844 65		
1873.				
Consolidated City Loan, due Jan. 1,				
1873.....	900 00	58,332 69		
1874.				
Consolidated City Loan, due July 1,				
1874.....	100 00	32,500 00		
	\$91,566 42	\$167,160 51	\$258,726 93	\$268,103 68
				60,950,567 84

Statement of Five and Six per cent. Loans, and the Years of their Maturity.

Years.	Five per cent.	Six per cent.	Total.	
1875.....	\$12,500 00	\$93,490 70	\$105,990 70	
1876.....	8,800 00	397,411 56	406,211 56	
1877.....	2,000 00	192,400 00	194,400 00	
1878.....	2,000 00	218,700 00	220,700 00	
1879.....	2,000 00	212,600 00	214,600 00	
1880.....	65,845 94	492,837 54	558,683 48	
1881.....	26,100 00	1,292,704 64	1,318,804 64	
1882.....	3,700 00	273,273 70	276,973 70	
1883.....	3,000 00	293,657 90	296,657 90	
1884.....	10,600 00	923,300 00	933,900 00	
1885.....	3,850 00	664,500 00	668,350 00	
1886.....		2,166,700 00	2,166,700 00	
1887.....		1,123,500 00	1,123,500 00	
1888.....		140,100 00	140,100 00	
1889.....		1,613,300 00	1,613,300 00	
1890.....		1,322,400 00	1,322,400 00	
1891.....		1,791,500 00	1,791,500 00	
1892.....		2,752,226 35	2,752,226 35	
1893.....		625,211 31	625,211 31	
1894.....		4,279,077 65	4,279,077 65	
1895.....		6,685,000 00	6,685,000 00	
1896.....		2,999,700 00	2,999,700 00	
1897.....		1,800,000 00	1,800,000 00	
1898.....		800,000 00	800,000 00	
1899.....		5,640,000 00	5,640,000 00	
1900.....		3,981,200 00	3,981,200 00	
1901.....		3,822,000 00	3,822,000 00	
1902.....		1,625,000 00	1,625,000 00	
1903.....		5,430,050 00	5,430,050 00	
1904.....		1,485,212 88	1,485,212 88	
	\$140,395 94	\$55,137,054 23		\$55,277,450 17

Loans over-due and yet outstanding..... \$673,717 67

Deduct this amount paid in excess of amounts reported at Consolidation..... 579,035 44

94,682 23

Total Funded Debt, January 1, 1875..... \$55,372,132 40

Debt guaranteed by the City for Gas Loans :

By Ordinance approved July 13, 1855, due July 1, 1885....	\$500,000 00
By Ordinance approved March 26, 1859, due July 1, 1883..	500,000 00
By Ordinance approved October 23, 1860, due July 1, 1884..	499,400 00
By Ordinance approved December 22, 1864, due July 1, 1884. .	1,000,000 00
By Ordinance approved December 26, 1868, due January 1, 1899.	1,000,000 00
By Ordinance approved May 18, 1870, due January 1, 1900....	1,000,000 00
By Ordinance approved October 26, 1871, due January 1, 1902.	500,000 00
	\$4,999,400 00

Attest—WM. KING,
Chief Clerk.

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA,

City of Philadelphia, ss.:

On the twenty-first day of January, A. D. 1875, personally appeared before me, the subscriber, Mayor of the City of Philadelphia, Samuel P. Hancock, who being duly *affirmed*, doth depose and say, that to the best of his knowledge and belief, the foregoing statement of the Finances of the said City of Philadelphia, is just, correct and true, having been carefully compared with the vouchers in the Controller's Department of the said City.

SAMUEL P. HANCOCK,

City Controller.

Affirmed and subscribed before
me, on the date above written.
Witness my hand and the seal
of the City of Philadelphia.



WM. S. STOKLEY,

Mayor of Philadelphia.

APPENDIX No. 19.

RESOLUTION

Accepting the invitation to attend the funeral of our late fellow member,
William H. Fagen.

Resolved by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That we accept the invitation to attend the funeral of William H. Fagen, lately an honored member of Common Council.

APPENDIX No. 20.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Election Divisions respectfully report that they have considered certain Ordinances and resolutions to change and establish the places of holding elections in the several Wards of the City, and submit the annexed Ordinance to authorize the changes and fixing of places, and recommend its passage.

AMOS M. SLACK, *Ch'n*,
JOSEPH H. TATEM,
E. H. HAYHURST,
ROBERT J. HANBY,
ADAM MYERS,
A. ALBRIGHT,
JOHN C. BICKEL,

GEORGE WHITE,
P. H. KLOHSE,
JAS. MCGUCKIN,
JOS. CARTLEDGE,
SAML. WILLIAMSON,
THOMAS HILL,
N. SPERING.

January 13, 1874.

AN ORDINANCE

To change and establish places of voting in the several divisions of the
Wards of the City.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain,* That the place of holding elections in the several divisions hereinafter named shall be changed and established as follows: Fourth Ward, Seventeenth Division, established at No. 611 Guilford street;

Sixth Ward, Second Division, changed to No. 150 North Second street; Tenth Ward, Eleventh Division, changed to No. 2058 Winter street; Fifteenth Ward, Thirty-eighth Division, changed to the southeast corner of Seventeenth and Brandywine streets; Twenty-sixth Division, changed to No. 857 North Fifteenth street; Nineteenth Ward, Fifty-first Division, established southwest corner of Mascher and Cumberland streets; Fifty-second Division, southwest corner of Bodine street and Columbia avenue; Fifty-third Division, northwest corner of Bodine and Norris streets; Fifty-fourth Division, at the house of Bernard McManus, corner of York and Thompson streets; Twenty-second Ward, Twenty-fourth Division, established at the hotel, corner of Haines street and Lime Kiln road; Twenty-third Ward, Twenty-third Division, established at the house of Ross M. Knaight, at Byberry; Twenty-fourth Division, southwest corner of Sellers and Adam streets; Twenty-fifth Ward, Eleventh Division, changed to the house of Wm. Knight, Kensington avenue, above Venango street; Twenty-fourth Division, established at the house of F. Mehlman, Delaware avenue and Bridge street, Bridesburg; Twenty-sixth Division, northwest corner of Indiana avenue and D street; Twenty-fifth Division, at the southeast corner of Frankford road and the Junction Railroad; Twenty-sixth Ward, Twenty-seventh Division, changed to No. 757 South Twenty-second street; Twenty-eighth Ward, Eleventh Division, changed to the house of Jacob Brustle, corner of Tenth street and Germantown avenue; Fifteenth Division, established at the house of Charles Scattergood, Township line road; Eighteenth Ward, Twenty-fourth Division, established at No. 973 Frankford road.

Also, change the place of voting in the Sixth Division, Twenty-fifth Ward, to the house of Edward McGoldrick, northeast corner of Sorrell and Melville streets.

Seventh Ward, Twenty-eight Division, northeast corner Twentieth and Watt streets.

APPENDIX No. 21.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered a resolution to release the lien of judgment against certain property of Aaron Engle, surety for George Nonamacker, contractor for the erection of a public school house at Second street and Fisher's lane, and submit the annexed Ordinance to release said property, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. B. COLLINS,
JAS. SUBERS,	H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
ROBT. B. SALTER,	HENRY BUDD,
JOS. L. CAVEN,	JAS. W. ALLEN,
W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,	JAS. R. GATES,
O. HOWARD WILSON,	GEO. A. SMITH,
W. W. BURNELL,	THOS. HILL,
WM. BRADLY.	

January 21, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To release property of Aaron Engle from the lien of a certain judgment.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Solicitor be authorized and directed to release from the lien of the judgment against George Nonamacker, contractor for the erection of a public school house at Second street and Fisher's lane, and others, the following described property of Aaron Engle, surety, viz.: All those two several contiguous lots or pieces of ground situate on the north side of Bockius street, one hundred and forty-six feet eastward from the east side of Division street, in the Twenty-second Ward; containing in front forty feet, and extending in depth ninety-six feet: *Provided*, His co-surety consent thereto, and the sum of ten dollars be paid into the City Treasury to pay for the publication of this Ordinance.

APPENDIX No. 22.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of City Commissioners for deficiencies for the year 1874, and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
HENRY BUDD,
WM. B. COLLINS,
JAS. R. GATES,
O. HOWARD WILSON,
W. W. BURNELL,

JAS. SUBERS,
ROBT. B. SALTER,
JAS. W. ALLEN,
W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,
WM. BRADLY,
GEO. A. SMITH,
THOS. HILL.

January 21, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation to the Department of City Commissioners for deficiencies for the year 1874.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of twenty one thousand four hundred and twenty-nine (21,429) dollars and five (5) cents be and the same is hereby appropriated to the Department of City Commissioners to pay deficiencies for the year 1874.

Item 1. To pay jurors of the several courts, three thousand five hundred (3,500) dollars.

Item 2. To pay road jurors, two thousand (2,000) dollars.

Item 3. To pay grand jurors, one thousand and forty-five (1,045) dollars.

Item 4. To pay witness fees, two hundred (200) dollars.

Item 5. To pay fees of District Attorney, five thousand seven hundred and eighty-four (5,784) dollars.

Item 6. To pay clerk of Quarter Sessions, four thousand three hundred and ninety-five (4,395) dollars and fifty-eight (58) cents.

Item 7. To pay sheriff, one thousand five hundred and twenty-six (1,526) dollars and forty-seven (47) cents.

Item 8. To pay coroner, one thousand one hundred and seventy-six (1,176) dollars.

Item 9. To pay coach hire for Grand Jury, forty-five (45) dollars.

Item 10. To pay rent of building for Orphans' Court, fifteen hundred (1500) dollars.

Item 11. To pay John A. Loughridge for receiving election returns and certifying copies to Harrisburg, two hundred and fifty-seven (257) dollars.

Provided, That the Controller shall countersign no warrant drawn on Items 5, 6, 7 and 8, until furnished with a certificate of the City Solicitor that he has carefully examined the charges and fees, and compared them with the law and the docket entries, and other records of the courts, and finds the fees and charges to be correct and legal.

And warrants shall be drawn by the City Commissioners in conformity with existing Ordinances.

APPENDIX No. 23.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance declaratory of the effect of an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to create a loan for the further extension of the Philadelphia Gas Works," approved the sixteenth day of November, A. D. 1874, and to amend the same, and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,
WM. B. COLLINS,
JAMES SUBERS,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
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GEO. A. SMITH,
W. W. BURNELL,
THOMAS HILL,
WM. BRADLY.

January 21, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

Declaratory of the effect of an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to create a loan for the further extension of the Philadelphia Gas Works," approved the sixteenth day of November, A. D. 1874, and to amend the same.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That wherever in said Ordinance the words "City Treasurer's office" are used, said Ordinance shall be understood to mean and intend the office of the Treasurer of the City of Philadelphia for the transfer and issue of the loans of said City, and for the payment of the interest thereon, at The Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank, Chestnut street, above Fourth street, in said City of Philadelphia, as provided in section thirteen and-a-half of an Ordinance approved March 16th, 1872, entitled "An Ordinance relative to the loan and transfer agency of the City of Philadelphia."

SECT. 2. That the certificates of loan issued under the said Ordinance of November 16th, 1874, shall be signed and countersigned, and issued by the officers and in the manner provided by the first section of an Ordinance, approved February 16th, 1872, entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the appointment of a loan and transfer agent for the City."

APPENDIX No. 24.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance to restrict the lien of a judgment against C. C. Carman and others, and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	JAS. W. ALLEN,
WM. B. COLLINS,	W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,
JAMES SUBERS,	JAS. R. GATES,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,	O. HOWARD WILSON,
ROBERT B. SALTER,	GEO. A. SMITH,
HENRY BUDD,	W. W. BURNELL,
JOS. L. CAVEN,	THOMAS HILL,

WM. BRADLY.

January 21, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To restrict the lien of a judgment against C. C. Carman and others.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the lien of a certain judgment in the District Court, of September Term, 1874, D. S. B., No. 578, for the faithful performance of the contract of C. C. Carman, for the building of a school house in the Twenty-second Ward, be restricted as to Samuel H. Collom, to the following described properties of said Samuel H. Collom, to wit: All that certain lot or piece of ground and the stone messuage or tenement thereon erected, situate on the southeasterly side of Chelton avenue, at the distance of eighty-three feet northeastwardly from the northeast side of Morris street, in the Twenty-second Ward; containing in front or breadth on said Chelton avenue thirty-five feet, and extending in length or depth southeastwardly of that width between parallel lines at right angles to said Chelton avenue, on the northeast line thereof, one hundred and forty-five feet six inches, and on the southwest line thereof one hundred and forty-five feet four and seven-eighths inches to Bexley street; also, all that certain lot or piece of ground adjoining the above on the west, containing in front or breadth on Chelton avenue thirty-five feet, and extending in length or depth on the northeast line one hundred and forty-five feet four and seven-eighths inches, and on the southwest line one hundred and forty-five feet three and three-quarter inches to Bexley street: *Provided*, The co-surety in the said judgment consent thereto, and that ten dollars be paid into the City Treasury to pay for the publication of this Ordinance.

APPENDIX No. 25.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay R. J. Dobbins the balance due for

completing the House of Correction, and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. B. COLLINS,
JAMES SUBERS,	H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
ROBERT B. SALTER,	HENRY BUDD,
JOS. L. CAVEN,	JAS. W. ALLEN,
W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,	JAMES R. GATES,
O. HOWARD WILSON,	GEO. A. SMITH,
A. W. BURNELL,	THOMAS HILL,
	WM. BRADLY.

January 21, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation to pay R. J. Dobbins the balance due for completing the House of Correction.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of thirteen hundred and seventy-five dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated to pay R. J. Dobbins the balance due him for completing the House of Correction, in accordance with his contract. And warrants shall be drawn by the Mayor in accordance with existing Ordinances.

APPENDIX No. 26.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered a communication from Charles H. T. Collis, City Solicitor elect, submitting the names of his sureties, and report the same back as suffi-

cient, and submit the annexed Ordinance to approve the same, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. B. COLLINS,
JAMES SUBERS,	H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
ROBERT B. SALTER,	HENRY BUDD,
JOS. L. CAVEN,	JAS. W. ALLEN,
W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,	JAS. R. GATES,
O. HOWARD WILSON,	GEO. A. SMITH,
W. W. BURNELL,	THOMAS HILL,
WM. BRADLY.	

January 21, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To approve the sureties of Charles H. T. Collis, City Solicitor elect.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That William W. Harding and Samuel C. Perkins be and they are hereby approved as the sureties of Charles H. T. Collis, City Solicitor elect, and that the official bond of said officer shall be deposited, when executed, with the Mayor of the City.

APPENDIX No. 27.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance to create a loan for the completion of the storage reservoir at Fairmount Park, and for the reasons set forth in the report of the Committee on Finance of last year (Appendix to C. C. Journal, vol. 2, 1874), report the bill, with a resolution to publish the same, and recommend their passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,
JAMES SUBERS,	H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
WM. B. COLLINS,	ROBT. B. SALTER,
HENRY BUDD,	JAS. W. ALLEN,
GEO. A. SMITH,	WM. BRADLY,
JAS. R. GATES,	O. HOWARD WILSON,
W. W. BURNELL,	THOS. HILL.

January 21, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To create a loan for the completion of the storage reservoir at Fairmount Park.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to borrow, at not less than par, on the credit of the City of Philadelphia, the sum of nine hundred thousand (900,000) dollars for the completion of the storage reservoir at the Fairmount Park, for which interest not to exceed the rate of six per centum per annum shall be paid half yearly on the first days of January and July in each year, at the office of the City Treasurer. The principal of said loan shall be payable and paid at the expiration of thirty years from the date of the same, and not before, without the consent of the holders thereof; and certificates therefor in the usual form of the certificates of City loan, shall be issued in such amounts as the lenders may require, but not for less amounts than fifty dollars, and not for any other fractional part of one hundred dollars, or if required in amounts of five hundred or one thousand dollars; and it shall be expressed in said certificates that the loan therein mentioned, and the interest thereof, are payable free from all taxes.

SECT. 2. Whenever any loan shall be made by virtue hereof, there shall be by force of this Ordinance annually appropriated out of the income of the corporate estates, and from the sum raised by taxation, a sum sufficient to pay the interest on said certificates; and the further sum of three-tenths of one per centum on the par value of such certificates so issued shall be appropriated quarterly out of said income and taxes to a sinking fund, which fund and its accumulations are hereby specially pledged for the redemption and payment of said certificates.

RESOLUTION

To publish a loan bill.

Resolved, That the Clerk of Common Council be authorized to publish in two daily newspapers of this City, daily for four weeks, the Ordinance presented to Common

Council on Thursday, January 21st, 1875, entitled "An Ordinance to create a loan for the completion of the storage reservoir at Fairmount Park," and that the said Clerk at the stated meeting of Councils after the expiration of four weeks from the first day of said publication, shall present to this Council one of each of said newspapers for every day in which the same shall have been made.

APPENDIX No. 28.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the resolution to authorize the paving of Park avenue (late Diamond street), respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed bill, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, *Ch'n*,

H. MARCUS,

JNO. A. MISKEY,

DANL. W. GILBERT,

FERD. DOEBLEY,

GEO. DORLAN,

WM. McMULLIN,

JOHN FOX,

HENRY GLASS,

JOHN BARDSLEY,

AMOS M. SLACK,

P. H. KLOHSE,

S. A. MILLER.

January 21, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Park avenue, in the Twenty-eighth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Park avenue (late Diamond street), from Islington lane to the Connecting Railroad, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice, said street will be required for public use.

APPENDIX No. 29.

To the Presidents and Members of Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition to grade Sixty-third street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed bill, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, *Ch'n*,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,
H. MARCUS,
JOHN A. MISKEY,
DANL. W. GILBERT,
JOHN BARDSLEY,
AMOS M. SLACK,

WM. McMULLIN,
W. K. PARK,
JOHN FOX,
HENRY GLASS,
DANL. CURRIE,
FERD. DOEBLEY,
S. A. MILLER.

January 21, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Sixty-third street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade Sixty-third street, from Market street to Haverford street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, to the established grade of the City; the cost thereof not to exceed seven thousand and eighty-two dollars and twenty-five cents.

APPENDIX No. 30.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the resolution to authorize the grading of Thirty-seventh, Marshall, Aspen, Parrish, Clearfield and Eadline streets, respectfully report that we have ex-

amined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed bill, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, *Ch'n*,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,
H. McDOWELL,
H. MARCUS,
JOHN A. MISKEY,
DANL. W. GILBERT,
JOHN BARDSLEY,

WM. McMULLIN,
W. K. PARK,
GEO. A. ENO,
JOHN FOX,
HENRY GLASS,
DANL. CURRIE,
FERD. DOEBLEY.

January 21, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Thirty-seventh, Aspen, Parrish, Clearfield, Eadline and Marshall streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade the following streets to the established grade of the City, viz.: Thirty-seventh street, from Atlanta street to Mantua avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, cost not to exceed eight hundred and fifty-two dollars and twenty-five cents; Aspen street, from Forty-eighth street to Fiftieth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, cost not to exceed thirteen hundred and eighty-five dollars and fifty cents; Parrish street, from Twenty-fourth street to Taney street, in the Fifteenth Ward, cost not to exceed thirteen hundred and fourteen dollars; Clearfield street, from Frankford avenue to Jasper street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, cost not to exceed eight hundred and fifty-two dollars and fifty cents; Eadline street, at the intersection of Sewer street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, cost not to exceed two hundred and seventy-two dollars and fifty cents; Marshall street, from Lehigh avenue to Huntingdon street, in the Nineteenth Ward, cost not to exceed eleven hundred and thirty-six dollars and fifty cents.

APPENDIX No. 31.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition to pave Forty-sixth street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed bill, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,	W. K. PARK,
H. MARCUS,	JOHN FOX,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	HENRY GLASS,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	DANIEL CURRIE,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	FERD. DOEBLEY.

January 21, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Forty-sixth street, in the Twenty-seventh Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers, who shall be selected by a majority of the owners of property fronting on Forty-sixth street, from Market street to the Junction Railroad, in the Twenty-seventh Ward, for the paving thereof with rubble pavement, the cost of intersections not to exceed the sum of sixty-three hundred dollars. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said street, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said street in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 32.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition to grade Fiftieth street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed bill, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,	W. K. PARK,
H. MARCUS,	JOHN FOX,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	HENRY GLASS,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	DANIEL CURRIE,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
AMOS M. SLACK.	

January 21, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Fiftieth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.

SECTION 1 *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade Fiftieth street, from Westminster avenue to Haverford avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, to the established grade of the City; the cost thereof not to exceed fifty hundred and fifty-two dollars and seventy-five cents.

APPENDIX No. 33.

To the Presidents and Members of Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the resolution to pave Girard avenue, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the

same, and submit for your consideration the annexed bill, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WILLIAM McMULLIN,
W. K. PARK,	HENRY McDOWELL,
G. A. ENO,	H. MARCUS,
JOHN FOX,	JOHN A. MISKEY,
HENRY GLASS,	DAVID W. GILBERT,
DANIEL CURRIE,	JOHN BARDSLEY,
FERD. DOEBLEY.	

January 21, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Girard avenue, in the Twent-ninth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers, who shall be selected by a majority of the owners of property fronting on Girard avenue, between the Reading Railroad Bridge and the eastern end of the Girard Avenue Bridge, for the paving thereof with Belgian blocks, no cost for intersections. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said streets, and shall also enter into an obligation to keep said street in good repair for three years after the said paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 34.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition to pave Sixty-third street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve

the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed bill, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WILLIAM McMULLIN,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	W. K. PARK,
H. MARCUS,	JOHN FOX,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	DANIEL W. GILBERT,
DANIEL CURRIE,	JOHN BARDSLEY,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	AMOS M. SLACK,
HENRY GLASS.	

January 21, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Sixty-third street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers, who shall be selected by a majority of the owners of property fronting on Sixty-third street, from Market street to Haverford street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, for the paving thereof with rubble pavement; cost of intersections not to exceed thirty-four hundred and fifty dollars. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said street, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said street in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 35.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the resolution of instruction to the Chief Commissioner of Highways, respectfully report that

we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed bill, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WILLIAM McMULLIN,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,	W. K. PARK,
HENRY McDOWELL,	G. A. ENO,
H. MARCUS,	JOHN FOX,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	HENRY GLASS,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	DANIEL CURRIE,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	FERD. DOEBLEY.

January 21, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

Instructing the Chief Commissioner of Highways to notify the owners of property on Twenty-sixth street, from Pennsylvania avenue to Brown street, and on north side of Pennsylvania avenue, from Coates to Twenty-sixth street, to grade and pave footways.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby directed to notify the owners of property on both sides of Twenty-sixth street, from Pennsylvania avenue to Brown street, and on the north side of Pennsylvania avenue, from Coates street to Twenty-sixth street, to grade and pave the footways in front of their respective properties. And if the said owners shall neglect to do the same for the space of twenty days after such notice, the Chief Commissioner of Highways shall proceed to grade and pave said footways, and charge the cost thereof to said owners of property in conformity with existing Ordinances.

APPENDIX No. 36.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition to pave Fiftieth street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the

same, and submit for your consideration the annexed bill, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WILLIAM McMULLIN,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,	W. K. PARK,
H. MARCUS,	JOHN FOX,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	HENRY GLASS,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	DANIEL CURRIE,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
AMOS M. SLACK.	

January 21, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Fiftieth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers, who shall be selected by a majority of the owners of property fronting on Fiftieth street, from Westminster avenue to Haverford avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, with rubble pavement; cost of intersections not to exceed three thousand and seven dollars and fifty cents. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said street, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said street in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 37.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition to grade Forty-sixth street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve

the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed bill, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WILLIAM McMULLIN,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,	W. K. PARK,
H. MARCUS,	JOHN FOX,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	HENRY GLASS,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	DANIEL CURRIE,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
AMOS M. SLACK.	

January 21, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Forty-sixth street, in the Twenty-seventh Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade Forty-sixth street, from Market street to the Junction Railroad, in the Twenty-seventh Ward, to the established grade of the City; cost not to exceed fifty-nine hundred dollars.

APPENDIX No. 38.

RESOLUTION

To meet in Joint Convention to elect Railroad Directors.

Resolved by the Common Council, That Select Council be invited to meet Common Council in Joint Convention, in Common Council chamber, on Thursday, January 28th, 1875, at four o'clock, P. M. for the purpose of electing three Directors of the Philadelphia and Erie Railroad Company, and two Directors of the North Pennsylvania Railroad Company.

APPENDIX No. 39.

OFFICE OF NORTHERN LIBERTIES GAS COMPANY,
PHILADELPHIA, *January 11, 1875.*

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—The Trustees of the Northern Liberties Gas Company herewith present a statement of the receipts and disbursements of the past year, together with the previous outlay of capital:

Receipts.

For sales of gas.....	\$162,616 86	
For sales of coke, tar, &c.....	10,201 77	
	<u> </u>	\$172,818 63

Disbursements.

For Works, as per last report....	\$211,130 34	
For Works during 1874.....	5,220 14	
	<u> </u>	\$216,350 48
For mains, as per last report.....	\$75,489 89	
For mains during 1874.....	1,106 16	
	<u> </u>	76,596 05
For services, as per last report....	\$62,238 38	
For services during 1874.....	1,237 40	
	<u> </u>	63,475 78
For meters, as per last report.....	\$63,242 83	
For meters during 1874.....	2,521 50	
	<u> </u>	65,764 33
For real estate, as per last report.....		30,673 50
For cost of coal on hand at be- ginning of year, and since re- ceived.....	\$96,071 26	
For wages, taxes, &c., paid during the year.....	58,761 14	
	<u> </u>	\$154,832 40

In addition to the foregoing, it may be stated, that these Works, notwithstanding their age, are kept in the best possible condition. In all of their departments, the accomplishment of this object necessarily involves expenditures to a great extent. Among other important matters, entirely new crowns have been put upon two of the larger gas-holders, and every requisite repair has received prompt and judicious attention. During the year, there have been laid eighteen hundred and ninety feet of three inch main pipe. The Trustees, have, therefore, much pleasure in knowing, that in nearly all parts of the district, an ample supply of gas is at all times furnished by them; and that for portions which hitherto have been without it, they are prepared to entertain the applications of all who shall request the introduction of a light at once economical and desirable in almost every respect.

The business of this Company has been affected by the general depression of trade. No increase in the production of gas has been realized in these Works in the past year, although such a result under every consideration could scarcely have been expected. On the contrary, as compared with the year 1873, the quantity of gas manufactured here in 1874, exhibits a diminution for the latter year of three million six hundred and one thousand and two hundred cubic feet.

Respectfully presented,

WM. P. FODELL,
Secretary.

APPENDIX No. 40.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

The Trustees of the Philadelphia Gas Works present the following report of their proceedings, and a statement of the financial condition thereof, the results of the business for the year 1874.

The semi-annual additions to the Sinking Funds, required by the several Ordinances, have all been made.

There has been expended since the last Annual Report :

For Works.....	\$273,049 10
“ Street Mains	45,477 54
“ Services.....	82,918 81
Making a total.....	\$401,445 45
From which deduct amount received on account of services, &c.....	23,615 46
Leaving a balance of.....	\$377,829 99

The quantity of gas manufactured during the year 1874, was 1,766,268,000 cubic feet, an increase over the year 1873 of 117,681,000 cubic feet.

The largest consumption in any twenty-four hours was on the night of the 24th of December, amounting to 7,826,000 cubic feet, being an increase over the largest of last year of 787,000 cubic feet.

The street mains laid during the year were 36,262 feet, making the entire length 612 miles.

The whole number of lamps on the 1st inst. was 9,905; 9,441 are supplied with gas from these Works, and 464 with gas from the Northern Liberties Works.

The manufacturing capacity of the Works has been increased by the erection of a new section at the Market Street Works, containing three hundred retorts, and the storage capacity increased 800,000 cubic feet; 300,000 cubic feet at Ninth and Mifflin streets, and 500,000 cubic feet at Ninth and Diamond streets.

By reference to the Cashier's report, herewith submitted, you will find the loans created by Councils, from time to

time, for the purchase of the Works, the increase of manufacturing capacity and the extension of the mains, amount to \$6,370,000; the amount paid from the Sinking Fund for Loans 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8, as they became due, was \$1,370,000, leaving the amount in the Sinking Fund in charge of the Trust for the payment of Loan No. 9, \$1,294,946.37.

The amount of loans and cash in the hands of the Commissioners of the Sinking Funds of the City for the redemption of Loans 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15, is \$913,746.56.

The amount of loans unpaid on the 31st of December, 1874, was \$5,000,000, from which deduct the amount of loans and cash in charge of the Trustees and the Commissioners of the Sinking Funds, \$2,208,692.93, leaving a balance to be provided for, amounting to \$2,791,307.07.

The amount of loans and cash in the hands of the City Treasurer, for the payment of \$450,000 of City loans (being the estimated value of the Spring Garden, Moyamensing, West Philadelphia and Frankford Gas Works), is \$350,870.61.

For the purchase of the Southwark and Moyamensing, Germantown, Manayunk and Richmond Gas Companies' stock, the Trustees have in the different Sinking Funds for the redemption of the same, \$137,295.66.

The accumulated profits amount to \$2,394,942.03, which is an increase of \$211,294.56 during the past year, and shows a profit of that amount on the business for that period. The extraordinary repairs at the Ninth and Diamond and Ninth and Mifflin streets holders, amounting to over \$60,000, and the increase in appropriation for Sinking Funds, and interest over 1873, \$7,840.80, has reduced the profits these amounts.

The details of the manufacturing and distributing operations of the year are fully given in the report of the Chief Engineer, which is herewith submitted for your information.

We also submit the average illuminating power of the gas made at the different Works under our charge for the past year, the same having been tested daily by Professors Robert E. Rogers and Lemuel Stephens, the former at the University of Pennsylvania, and the latter at the Girard College, the lowest average being given.

Average for January.....	16.49	candles
“ “ February	16.51	“
“ “ March	16.14	“
“ “ April	16.47	“
“ “ May	16.58	“
“ “ June	16.60	“
“ “ July	16.54	“
“ “ August	16.20	“
“ “ September	16.21	“
“ “ October	16.45	“
“ “ November	16.25	“
“ “ December	16.07	“
Average for the year 16.38 candles.		

In conclusion, we would remark that the increased consumption is so great that the manufacturing facilities will have to be increased during the summer months, the nightly consumption during next winter will be greater than the manufacturing capacity.

By order of the Trustees,
NATHAN HILLES,
President.

Attest—THOMAS NOBLE,
Registrar.

Report of the Cashier.

To the Trustees of the
Philadelphia Gas Works :

GENTLEMEN :—Your Cashier submits to you the annual statement of the finances and accounts of the Trust for the year 1874, showing the gross profits to be \$678,736.28, from which deduct the appropriations required to be made by the Ordinances passed by the Councils, will leave a net profit of \$211,294.56.

The accounts are as follows :

The gross profits for the year 1874 have been..... \$678,736 28

The appropriations for the year 1874 have been :

For Sinking Fund for Loan 9	\$10,000 00	
For interest on Gas Loans, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, and 15, to the City Treasurer.....	300,000 00	
For State Tax on Loans 13, 14 and 15, to the City Treasurer.....	7,500 00	
For Sinking Fund for Loans 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, and 15, to the Commissioners of the Sinking Funds.....	90,000 00	
For six per cent. interest and two per cent. for the Sinking Fund on \$450,000 City debt, the valuation of the Spring Garden, Moyamensing, West Philadelphia and Frankford Gas Works, to the City Treasurer.....	36,000 00	
For interest on the stock of the Southwark and Moyamensing, Germantown, Manayunk, and Richmond Gas Companies.....	18,044 40	
For the Sinking Funds, &c., of said Companies.	5,897 32	
		<hr/> 467,441 72
Gain on the business of the year.....		<hr/> \$211,294 56 <hr/>

Cash Account.

Balance on hand January 1, 1874..... \$226,163 83

RECEIPTS IN 1874.

For gas, services, &c., at Seventh street office.	\$1,957,363 14	
“ “ Spring Garden office.	661,625 95	
“ “ Germantown office...	75,201 70	
“ “ Manayunk office.....	51,867 13	
“ “ Frankford office.....	52,402 97	
	<hr/>	2,798,465 89
For coke, tar, &c., at Market Street Works.....	\$120,081 73	
“ “ “ at Point Breeze Works.....	69,955 09	
“ “ “ at Spring Garden Works.....	16,162 70	
“ “ “ at Manayunk Works.....	8,665 65	
	<hr/>	214,865 17
For rent of houses at the several Works, &c.....		2,386 20
For City warrants sold, received on account of public lighting.....	\$554,047 04	
For City warrants received at Seventh street office, from City departments.....	39,607 69	
	<hr/>	593,654 73
For bills receivable.....		11,175 39
For interest on bills receivable, &c.....		1,497 00
For amount sold of Loan 15.....		72,700 00
For amount received for mains laid.....		15,049 00
For amount received for introduction of services.....		43,005 84

For account of Sinking Funds.

For interest on Gas Loans.....		\$73,059 00
For interest on the Sinking Fund of the Southwark and Moyamensing Gas Company	\$2,995 80	
Germantown Gas Company.....	2,271 00	
Manayunk Gas Company.....	1,899 00	
Richmond Gas Company.....	406 80	
And for twelve months' ground rent on property Front and Reed streets, for the Southwark and Moyamensing Gas Company.....	141 60	
	<hr/>	7,714 20
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		\$4,059,741 30

Cash Account.

PAYMENTS IN 1874.

For works, mains, services, repairs, coal, salaries, wages, and expenses.....	\$2,977,783	81
For interest on gas stocks.....	18,012	30
For interest on Loans 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, and 15, to City Treasurer.....	\$447,819	00
For State tax on Loans 13, 14, and 15, to City Treasurer.....	11,140	95
For Sinking Funds, Loans 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, and 15, to City Treasurer.....	134,273	00
For interest and Sinking Fund for the re- demption of \$450,000 City debt, to City Treasurer.....	54,000	00
	<hr/>	647,232 95
For Sinking Fund, Loan 9.....	40,900	00
For bills receivable.....	3,613	81
For bills payable.....	237,646	66
For amount invested for the Sinking Funds, viz., Southwark and Moyamensing Gas Company.....	\$2,500	00
Germantown Gas Company.....	1,900	00
Manayunk Gas Company.....	1,700	00
Richmond Gas Company.....	400	00
	<hr/>	6,500 00
For discount on City warrants.....	2,297	82
Balance Cash on hand.....	125,753	95
	<hr/>	\$4,059,741 30
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State of the Works.

ASSETS.

Works.....	\$4,188,207 91
Street mains.....	2,487,742 33
Services.....	1,531,768 43
Public lamps.....	11,914 02
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	\$8,219,532 69

Loans 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 have been paid and appropriated to the reduction of the following accounts :

Works.....	\$649,820 00	
Street mains.....	472,957 86	
Service pipes and meters..	235,408 12	
Public lamps.....	11,814 02	
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	1,370,000 00	
	<hr/>	\$6,849,532 69
Cash, Trustees' account.....	\$119,145 70	
Cash, Samuel M. White, Cashier.....	6,608 25	
	<hr/>	125,753 95
City warrants on hand.....		50,995 02
Coal on hand.....	\$331,725 80	
Coke, tar, &c., on hand.....	21,441 32	
Materials for repairs on hand.....	17,256 68	
Due for gas sold, delivered and on hand....	712,110 15	
Due for coke, tar, &c.....	22,553 99	
	<hr/>	1,105,037 94
Loans, Sinking Fund, Loan 9.....	\$1,247,713 42	
Commissioners of the Sinking Funds of the City for the Sinking Funds of Loans 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15.....	913,746 56	
	<hr/>	2,161,464 98
City Treasurer for the Sinking Fund for the redemption of \$450,000 of the City debt.....		350,870 61

Valuation of the following Gas Works at the time they were purchased :

Spring Garden	\$300,000 00	
Moyamensing.....	80,000 00	
West Philadelphia.....	50,000 00	
Frankford.....	20,000 00	
	<hr/>	450,000 00

Carried forward.....\$11,093,705 19

Brought forward.....	\$11,093,705	19
<i>Loans and Stocks belonging to the Sinking Funds of the following Gas Companies :</i>		
Southwark and Moyamensing.....	\$50,342	35
Germantown.....	38,685	75
Manayunk.....	32,130	13
Richmond.....	6,929	13
		<hr/> 128,087 36
<i>Valuation of the following Gas Companies at the time they were purchased :</i>		
Southwark and Moyamensing.....	\$113,240	00
Germantown.....	90,000	00
Manayunk.....	81,000	00
Richmond.....	16,500	00
		<hr/> 300,740 00
Kensington Gas Company.....		90,717 79
Wharf lot on the Schuylkill.....		6,000 00
Real estate at Point Breeze.....		37,507 69
Improvement lease account.....		15,000 00
Bills receivable.....		3,613 81
		<hr/> \$11,675,371 84

LIABILITIES.

Loans 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15.	\$5,003,000	00
Sinking Fund, Loan 9.....	\$1,294,946	37
Sinking Funds, Loans 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15.....	915,746	56
		<hr/> 2,203,692 93
<i>Valuation of the following Works, taken as per Ordinance, March 20th, 1855 :</i>		
Spring Garden.....	\$300,000	00
Moyamensing.....	80,000	00
West Philadelphia.....	50,000	00
Frankford.....	30,000	00
		<hr/> 450,000 00
Sinking Fund for \$450,000, cost of the above Works.....		350,870 61
<i>For the Stock of the following Gas Companies :</i>		
Southwark and Moyamensing.....	\$113,240	00
Germantown.....	90,000	00
Manayunk.....	81,000	00
Richmond.....	16,500	00
		<hr/> 300,740 00
Carried forward.....	\$8,313,303	54

Brought forward	\$8,313,303 54	
<i>For Sinking Fund for the redemption of the Stock of the above Companies :</i>		
Southwark and Moyamensing.....	\$53,944 46	
Germantown.....	41,419 50	
Manayunk.....	34,492 13	
Richmond.....	7,439 57	
		137,295 66
Dividends unpaid.....		434 25
Interest on Gas Loan.....		28 50
Interest on Gas Stocks.....		9,151 50
Bills payable	\$417,363 94	
Coal, repairs, materials, &c.....	304,916 65	
		752,280 59
State of Pennsylvania for State tax on Gas Stocks		1,572 18
For street mains prepaid.....		23,357 75
For services prepaid.....		43,005 84
For accumulated profits expended in the construction of Works, mains and services.....		2,394,942 03
		<u>\$11,675,371 84</u>

Loans belonging to the Sinking Fund for Loan No. 9.

Six per cent. Gas Loans :

No. 9, Redeemable July 1, 1885.....	\$178,600 00	
No. 10, " July 1, 1883.....	171,700 00	
No. 11, " July 1, 1884.....	202,100 00	
No. 12, " July 1, 1884.....	473,000 00	
No. 15, " Jan'y 1, 1902.....	212,700 00	
		<u>\$1,238,100 00</u>
The cost of the above has been.....	<u>\$1,247,718 42</u>	

Statement of the Sinking Fund for Loan No. 9.

DR.

1874.		
Jan'y 1.	To amount of Sinking Fund at this date.....	\$1,211,887 37
" 1.	To six months' interest on \$1,197,200, Gas Loans 9, 10, 11, 12 and 15....	35,916 00
June 30.	To six months' appropriation of 2 per cent. per annum on \$500,000, amount of Loan No. 9.	5,000 00
July 1.	To six months' interest on \$1,238,100, Gas Loans 9, 10, 11, 12 and 15.....	37,143 00
Dec. 31.	To six months' appropriation of 2 per cent. per annum on \$500,000, amount of Loan No. 9.	5,000 00
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		\$1,294,946 37
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1874.		
Jan'y 1.	By cost of investments to this date.....	\$1,206,818 42

Investments during the year.

Mar. 31.	By \$40,900, Gas Loan No. 15, at par.....	40,900 00
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		\$1,247,718 42
Dec. 31.	Balance to be invested.....	47,227 95
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	Total amount of Sinking Fund.....	\$1,294 946 37
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Statement of the Sinking Fund

Directed by Ordinance of March 26, 1859, to be accumulated and applied by the Commissioners of the Sinking Funds of the City, for the purpose of extinguishing Loan No. 10, therein authorized, \$500,000, redeemable July 1, 1883.

Dr.

1874.		
Jan'y 1.	To amount of Sinking Fund at this date.....	\$225,532 10
June 30.	To six months' appropriation of 2 per cent. per annum on \$500,000.....	\$5,000 00
July 1.	To six months' interest on \$228,900, City Loans held for this Fund.....	6,867 00
		<hr/> 11,867 00
Dec. 31.	To six months' appropriation of 2 per cent. per annum on \$500,000.....	\$5,000 00
875.		
Jan'y 1.	To six months' interest on \$240,600, City Loans held for this Fund.....	7,218 00
		<hr/> 12,218 00
		<hr/> \$249,617 10

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1874.	
Jan'y 1.	By cost of investments of \$217,600, to this date...\$213,947 49

Investments during the year.

Apr. 30.	By \$7,160, old 6 per cent. Loan, cost...	\$7,224 25
" 30.	By \$4,200, new 6 per cent. Loan, cost.	4,357 50
June 30.	By \$11,700 old 6 per cent. Loan, cost..	11,846 25
		<hr/> 23,428 00

Total cost of \$240,600 City Loans.\$237,375 49

1875.		
Jan'y 1.	Balance to be invested.	12,241 61
		<hr/>
	Total amount of Sinking Fund.	\$249,617 10

Statement of the Sinking Fund

Directed by Ordinance of October 22, 1860, to be accumulated and applied by the Commissioners of the Sinking Funds of the City, for the purpose of extinguishing Loan No. 11, therein authorized for \$500,000, redeemable July 1, 1884.

Dr.

1874.			
Jan'y 1.	To amount of Sinking Fund at this date.....	\$175,769	69
June 30.	To six months' appropriation of 2 per cent. per annum on \$500,000.....	\$5,000	00
July 1.	To six months' interest on \$177,600, City Loans held for this Fund.....	5,328	00
			10,328 00
Dec. 31.	To six months' appropriation of 2 per cent. per annum on \$500,000.....	\$5,000	00
1875.			
Jan'y 1.	To six months' interest on \$187,500, City Loans held for this Fund.....	5,625	00
			10,625 00
			<u>\$196,722 69</u>

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1874.	
Jan'y 1.	By cost of investments of \$167,800, to this date...\$165,683 63

Investments during the year.

Apr. 30.	By \$3,500 new 6 per cent. Loans, cost.	\$3,631	25
" 30.	By \$6,300 old 6 per cent. Loans, cost.	6,418	12
June 30.	By \$9,900 new 6 per cent. Loans, cost.	10,309	20
			20,358 57
	Total cost of \$187,500 City Loans.....	\$186,042	20
1875.			
Jan'y 1.	Balance to be invested.....	10,680	49
	Total amount of Sinking Fund..	<u>\$196,722</u>	<u>69</u>

Statement of the Sinking Fund

Directed by Ordinance of December 22, 1864, to be accumulated and applied by the Commissioners of the Sinking Funds of the City, for the purpose of extinguishing Loan No. 12, therein authorized for \$1,000,000, redeemable July 1, 1884.

DR.

1874.		
Jan'y 1.	To amount of Sinking Fund at this date.....	\$187,286 74
June 30.	To six months' appropriation of 2 per cent. per annum on \$1,000,000.....	\$10,000 00
July 1.	To six months' interest on \$187,100, City Loans held for this Fund.....	5,613 00
		<hr/> 15,613 00
Dec. 31.	To six months' appropriation of 2 per cent. per annum on \$1,000,000.....	\$10,000 00
1875.		
Jan'y 1.	To six months' interest on \$202,100, City Loans held for this Fund.....	6,063 00
		<hr/> 16,063 00
		<hr/> \$218,962 74

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1874.	
Jan'y 1.	By cost of investments of \$172,300, to this date...\$172,049 13

Investments during the year.

Apr. 30.	By \$2,200 old 6 per cent. Loans, cost.	\$2,233 00
" 30.	By \$2,000 new 6 per cent. Loans, cost.	2,075 00
" 30.	By \$5,700 new 6 per cent. Loans, cost.	5,928 00
May 29.	By \$4,900 old 6 per cent. Loans, cost.	4,998 00
June 30.	By \$15,000 new 6 per cent. Loans, cost.	15,620 00
		<hr/> 30,854 00
	Total cost of \$202,100 City Loans.....	\$202,903 13
1875.		
Jan'y 1.	Balance to be invested.....	16,059 61
	Total amount of Sinking Fund.....	<hr/> \$218,962 74

Statement of the Sinking Fund

Directed by Ordinance of December 26, 1868, to be accumulated and applied by the Commissioners of the Sinking Funds of the City, for the purpose of extinguishing Loan No. 13, therein authorized, for \$1,000,000, redeemable January 1, 1899.

DR.

1874.		
Jan'y 1.	To amount of Sinking Fund at this date.....	\$104,940 03
June 30.	To six months' appropriation of 2 per cent per annum on \$1,000,000.....	\$10,000 00
July 1.	To six months' interest on \$103,600 City Loans, held for this fund.....	3,108 00
		<hr/> 13,108 00
Dec. 31.	To six months' appropriation of 2 per cent per annum on \$1,000,000.....	\$10,000 00
1875.		
Jan'y 1.	To six months' interest on \$116,200 City Loans, held for this fund.....	3,486 00
		<hr/> 13,486 00
		<hr/> \$131,534 03

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1874.	
Jan'y 1,	By cost of investments of \$91,400, at this date....\$92,155 88

Investments during the year.

May 29.	By \$12,200 new 6 per cent. Loan, cost.	\$12,718 50
June 30.	By \$12,600 new 6 per cent. Loan, cost.	13,120 80
		<hr/> 25,839 30

Total cost of \$116,200 City Loans.....\$117,995 18

1875.		
Jan'y 1.	Balance to be invested.....	13,538 85
	Total amount of Sinking Fund.....	<hr/> \$131,534 03

Statement of the Sinking Fund

Directed by Ordinance of May 18, 1870, to be accumulated and applied by the Commissioners of the Sinking Funds of the City, for the purpose of extinguishing Loan No. 14, therein authorized for \$1,000,000, redeemable January 1, 1900.

Dr.

1874.			
Jan'y 1.	To amount of Sinking Fund at this date.....	\$67,556	00
June 30.	To six months' appropriation of 2 per cent per annum on \$1,000,000.....	\$10,000	00
July 1.	To six months' interest on \$66,700 City Loans, held for this fund.....	2,001	00
			12,001 00
Dec. 31.	To six months' appropriation of 2 per cent. per annum on \$1,000,000.....	\$10,000	00
1875.			
Jan'y 1.	To six months' interest on \$78,200 City Loans, held for this fund	2,346	00
			12,346 00
			<u>\$91,903 00</u>

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1874.	
Jan'y 1.	By cost of investments of \$55,500, at this date....\$55,859 50

Investments during the year.

May 29.	By \$11,200 new 6 per cent. Loan, cost.	\$11,676	00
June 30.	By \$11,500 new 6 per cent. Loan, cost.	11,975	33
			<u>23,651 33</u>
	Total cost of \$78,200, City Loans.....	\$79,510	83
1875.			
Jan'y 1.	Balance to be invested	12,392	17
	Total amount of Sinking Fund.....	<u>\$91,903</u>	<u>00</u>

Statement of the Sinking Fund

Directed by Ordinance of October 26, 1871, to be accumulated and applied by the Commissioners of the Sinking Funds of the City, for the purpose of extinguishing Loan No. 15, therein authorized, for \$500,000, redeemable January 1, 1902.

DR.

1874.			
Jan'y 1.	To amount of Sinking Fund at this date.....	\$14,023 00	
June 30.	To six months' appropriation of 2 per cent. per annum on \$500,0 0.....	\$5,000 00	
July 1.	To six months' interest on \$13,800 City Loans, in this fund.	414 00	
			5,414 00
Dec. 31.	To six months' appropriation of 2 per cent. per annum on \$500,000.....	\$5,000 00	
1875.			
Jan'y 1.	To six months' interest on \$19,000 City Loans in this fund.	570 00	
			5,570 00
			<u>\$25,007 00</u>

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1874.		
Jan'y 1.	By cost of investments of \$9,400, at this date.....	\$9,399 62

Investments during the year.

May 29.	By \$4,400 new 6 per cent. Loan, cost..	\$4,587 00	
June 30.	By \$5,200 new 6 per cent. Loan, cost..	5,414 94	
			<u>10,001 94</u>
	Total cost of \$19,000 City Loans.....	\$19,401 56	
1875.			
Jan'y 1.	Balance to be invested.....	5,605 44	
	Total amount of Sinking Fund.....	<u>\$25,007 00</u>	

Statement of the Sinking Fund

Directed to be accumulated and applied by the City Treasurer, as per Ordinance, March 20, 1855, for the redemption of \$450,000 of City Loans, being the estimated value of the Spring Garden, Moyamensing, West Philadelphia and Frankford Gas Works, placed in charge of Trustees by the said Ordinance.

DR.

1874.		
Jan'y 1.	To amount of Sinking Fund at this date.....	\$321,650
June 30.	To six months' appropriation of 2 per cent. per annum on \$450,000.....	\$4,500 00
July 1.	To six months' interest on \$330,100 City Loans, in this fund.....	9,903 00
		<hr/> 14,403 00
Dec. 31.	To six months' appropriation of 2 per cent. per annum on \$450,000.....	\$4,500 00
1875.		
Jan'y 1.	To six months' interest on \$334,900 City Loans, in this fund.....	10,317 00
		<hr/> 14,817 00
		<hr/> \$350,870 61

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1874.	
Jan'y 1.	By cost of investments of \$316,400 at this date...\$307,646 76

Investments during the year.

April 30.	By \$13,900 old 6 per cent. Loan, cost.	\$14,143 25
June 30.	By \$13,800 new 6 per cent. Loan, cost.	14,370 40
		<hr/> 28,513 65
		<hr/> \$336,160 41
	Less 6 per cent. loan, matured Jan'y 1, 1874...	200 00
		<hr/> \$335,960 41
1875.		
Jan'y 1.	Balance to be invested.....	14,910 20
		<hr/> \$350,870 61
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*Statement of the Sinking Fund of the Southwark and
Moyamensing Gas Company.*

Dr.

1874.			
Jan'y 1.	To amount of Sinking Fund at this date.....	\$48,881 98	
Jan'y 1.	To six months' interest on investments, \$34,400 City and Gas Loans.....	\$1,032 00	
	1,428 shares of stock.....	428 40	
			1,460 40
June 30.	To six months' appropriation on \$113,240, stock issued by said Company.....		962 54
July 1.	To six months' interest on investments, \$36,900 City and Gas Loans.....	\$1,107 00	
	1,428 shares of stock.....	428 40	
			1,535 40
Dec. 31.	To six months' appropriation on \$113,240, stock issued by said Company.....		962 54
	To this amount received for one year's ground rent on property Front and Reed streets.....		141 60
			<u>\$53,944 46</u>

Cr.

1874.		
Jan'y 2.	By cost of investments of \$34,400 loans, and 1,428 shares of stock.....	\$47,842 35

Investments during the year.

Mar. 13.	By \$2,500 6 per cent. Gas Loan, cost.....	2,500 00
	Total cost of \$36,900 Loans, and 1,428 shares of stock.....	\$50,342 35
Dec. 31.	Balance to be invested.....	3,602 11
	Total amount of Sinking Fund.....	<u>\$53,944 46</u>

Statement of the Sinking Fund of the Germantown Gas Company.

Dr.

1874.			
Jan'y 1.	To amount of Sinking Fund at this date.....	\$37,618 50	
Jan'y 1.	To six months' interest on investments, \$22,200 City and Gas Loans.....	\$666 00	
	294 shares of stock.....	441 00	
			1,107 00
June 30.	To six months' appropriation on \$90,000, stock issued by said Company.....	765 00	
July 1.	To six months' interest on investments, \$24,100 City and Gas Loans.....	\$723 00	
	294 shares of stock.....	441 00	
			1,164 00
Dec. 31.	To six months' appropriation on \$90,000, stock issued by said Company.....	765 00	
			<u>\$41,419 50</u>

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1874.		
Jan'y 1.	By cost of investments of \$22,200 Loans, and 294 shares of stock.....	\$36,785 75

Investments during the year.

March 13.	By \$1,900 6 per cent. Gas Loan, cost.....	1,900 00
	Total cost of \$24,100 Loans, and 294 shares of stock.....	\$38,685 75
Dec. 31.	Balance to be invested.....	2,733 75
	Total amount of Sinking Fund.....	<u>\$41,419 50</u>

Statement of the Sinking Fund of the Manayunk Gas Company.

DR.

1874.			
Jan'y	1.	To amount of Sinking Fund at this date.....	\$31,216 13
Jan'y	1.	To six months' interest on investments, \$21,900 City and Gas Loans.....	\$657 00
		178 shares of stock	267 00
			<hr/>
			924 00
June	30.	To six months' appropriation on \$81,000, stock issued by said Company	688 50
July	1.	To six month's interest on investments, \$23,600 City and Gas Loans.....	\$708 00
		178 shares of stock	267 00
			<hr/>
			975 00
Dec.	31.	To six months' appropriation on \$81,000, stock issued by said Company	688 50
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			\$34,492 13
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1874.			
Jan'y	1.	By cost of investments of \$21,900 Loans, and 178 shares of stock	\$30,430 13

Investments during the year.

March	13.	By \$1,700 6 per cent. Gas Loan, cost.....	1,700 00
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		Total cost of \$23,600 Loans, and 178 shares of stock.....	\$32,130 13
Dec.	31.	Balance to be invested	2,362 00
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		Total amount of Sinking Fund.....	\$34,492 13
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Statement of the Sinking Fund of the Richmond Gas Company.

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1874.			
Jan'y	1.	To amount of Sinking Fund at this date.....	\$6,752 27
Jan'y	1.	To six months' interest on investments, \$5,300 City and Gas Loans.....	\$159 00
		128 shares of stock.....	38 40
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			197 40
June	30.	To six months' appropriation on \$16,500, stock issued by said Company	140 25
July	1.	To six months' interest on investments, \$5,700 City and Gas Loans.....	\$171 00
		128 shares of stock.....	38 40
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			209 40
Dec.	31.	To six months' appropriation on \$16,500, stock issued by said Company.....	140 25
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			\$7,439 57
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1874.			
Jan'y	1.	By cost of investments of \$5,300 Loans, and 128 shares of stock.....	\$6,529 13

Investments during the year.

March	13.	By \$400 6 per cent. Gas Loan, cost.....	400 00
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		Total cost of \$5,700 Loans, and 128 shares of stock.....	\$6,929 13
Dec.	31.	Balance to be invested.....	510 44
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		Total amount of Sinking Fund.....	\$7,439 57
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*Account of the Loans Created for the Use of the Works,
Outstanding January 1, 1875.*

All at six per centum per annum.

Loan 9.	Ordinance March 26, 1855, Due July 1, 1885.....	\$500,000 00
Loan 10.	Ordinance March 26, 1859, Due July 1, 1883.	500,000 00
Loan 11.	Ordinance October 22, 1860, Due July 1, 1884.....	500,000 00
Loan 12.	Ordinance December 23, 1864, Due July 1, 1884.	1,000,000 00
Loan 13.	Ordinance December 23, 1868, Due January 1, 1899....	1,000,000 00
Loan 14.	Ordinance May 18, 1870, Due January 1, 1900....	1,000,000 00
Loan 15.	Ordinance October 26, 1871, Due January 1, 1902. ...	500,000 00
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March 20, 1855.	Ordinance to provide for the payment of City Loans for \$450,000, the estimated value of the Spring Garden, Moyamensing, West Philadelphia, and Frankford Gas Works.....	450,000 00
For the purchase of the Southwark and Moyamensing, Germantown, Manayunk and Richmond Gas Compa- nies.....		300,740 00
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		\$5,750,740 00

There is in the Sinking Funds for the redemption of the above, as follows:

Sinking Fund for Loan 9.....	\$1,294,946 37
Sinking Funds for Loans 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15.....	913,946 56
Sinking Fund for \$450,000 City Loans.....	350,870 61
Sinking Fund for \$300,740, stock of gas companies.....	137,295 66
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	\$2,696,859 20

There has been created for the use of these Gas Works as follows :

No. 1.	Dec. 22, 1836, due Jan. 1, 1862.....	\$150,000 00
2.	Feb. 8, 1838, due Jan. 1, 1863.....	200,000 00
3.	June 3, 1841, due Mar. 1, 1861.....	125,000 00
4.	June 17, 1841, due Jan. 1, 1866.....	125,000 00
5.	May 25, 1848, due Jan. 1, 1863.....	50,000 00
6.	Mar. 15, 1849, due Jan. 1, 1869.....	100,000 00
7.	Jan. 10, 1850, due Jan 1, 1870.....	200,000 00
8.	Mar. 20, 1851, due Jan 1, 1872.....	400,000 00
The above Loans 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8, have been paid.		
No. 9.	July 18, 1855, due July 1, 1885.....	500,000 00
10.	Mar. 16, 1859, due July 1, 1883.....	500,000 00
11.	Oct. 22, 1860, due July 1, 1884.....	500,000 00
12.	Dec. 22, 1864, due July 1, 1884.....	1,000,000 00
13.	Dec. 26, 1868, due Jan. 1, 1899.....	1,000,000 00
14.	May 18, 1870, due Jan. 1, 1900.....	1,000,000 00
15.	Oct. 26, 1871, due Jan. 1, 1902.....	500,000 00
		<hr/> \$6,370,000 00

March 20, 1855.	Ordinance to provide for the payment of City Loans for \$45,000, the estimated value of the Spring Garden, Moyamensing, West Philadelphia, and Frankford Gas Works.....	450,000 00
For the purchase of the Southwark and Moyamensing, Germantown, Manayunk and Richmond Gas Compa- nies		300,740 00

Total since the creation of the Works

\$7,120,000 00

The value of the Works, street mains, services, meters, &c., at the cost, would be.....	\$9,119,498 17
There has been paid and set apart as a Sinking Fund, with interest upon invest- ments for the payment of Loans 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9.....	\$2,664,946 37
Also, for Loans 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15.....	913,746 56
Also, for redemption of \$450,000 of City Loans.....	350,870 61
Also, for redemption of \$300,740, stock of gas companies.....	137,295 66
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(Out of this Loans 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8,
for \$1,370,000, have been paid.

Total amount paid for Works, &c., Sinking Funds, and interest upon the investments of the Sinking Funds.....	\$13,186,357 37
From which deduct the amount of loans and stocks issued for the same.....	7,120,740 00

Leaving the amount paid out of the profits and interest upon the investments of the Sinking Funds.....	<hr/> \$6,065,617 37 <hr/>
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Statement of the Profit and Loss Account for 1874.

1874.	
Jan'y 1.	To amount due for coal, materials and repairs, chargeable to the manufacture of gas \$358,301 75
Dec. 31.	To sales of gas, coke, tar, &c., for cash and City warrants 3,586,185 10
	To rents received 2,386 20
	To interest received 1,497 00
	To stock of coal on hand..... \$331,725 80
	To stock of coke, tar, &c., on hand..... 21,441 32
	To materials for repairs on hand, 17,256 68
	To amount due for gas sold and on hand..... 712,110 15
	To amount due for coke, tar, &c..... 22,553 99
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	1,105,087 94
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	\$5,053,457 99
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1874.	
Jan'y 1.	By amount of stock on hand and debts due the works at this date..... \$1,042,604 94
Dec. 31.	By payments for the manufacture of gas, materials and wages, including cost of public lighting 2,329,255 28
	By repairs of the works, street mains, service pipes and meters..... 343,445 39
	By incidental charges, including wages of inspectors and salaries of officers and clerks... 351,001 63
	By discount on City warrants..... 2,297 82
	By improvement lease, proportion for this year..... 1,200 00
	By amount due for coal, materials, &c., used in the manufacture of gas, and for public lighting 304,916 65
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	\$4,374,721 71
	Balance profits for the year..... 678,736 28
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	\$5,053,457 99
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Statement of Accumulated Profits.

Which has nearly all been expended in the construction of the Works, over and above the loans created for that purpose :

1874.		
Jan'y 1.	Amount at this date.....	\$2,183,647 47
Dec. 31.	Add the profits during the year as per the profit and loss account, after deducting the interest on loans and stocks, and appropria- tions to the several Sinking Funds.....	211,294 56
	Total amount	<u>\$2,394,942 03</u>

Yours very respectfully,
SAMUEL M. WHITE,
Cashier.

Engineer's Report.

To the Trustees of the
Philadelphia Gas Works :

GENTLEMEN :—I have the honor to present the Fortieth Annual Report of the condition of the Works, and the results of their operations for the year 1874.

The total quantity of gas made during the year was 1,766,268,000 cubic feet, being an increase in quantity over the year 1873 of 117,681,000 cubic feet, or 7.13 per cent., making the total product of the Works since their erection, 20,154,154,000 cubic feet.

The amount manufactured at the different stations was as follows :

	Cubic feet.
Gas made at the Twenty sixth Ward Works	597,614,000
Gas made at the Ninth Ward Works	949,198,000
Gas made at the Fifteenth Ward Works	156,858,000
Gas made at the Twenty-first Ward Works	62,598,000
Total.....	<u>1,766,268,000</u>

The maximum consumption in twenty-four hours was 7,826,000 cubic feet, which occurred on the 13th day of December.

The maximum production of gas in twenty-four hours was 7,161,000 cubic feet.

The annexed statements show the quantity of material used in the manufacture and purification of gas.

Statement.

	Net tons.
Coal on hand January 1, 1874.....	40,001
Coal received in 1874.....	208,572
Total tons.....	<u>248,573</u>
Coal used in 1874.....	203,334
Coal sold.....	12
Coal on hand January 1, 1875.....	45,227
Total tons.....	<u>248,573</u>

Lime used, 345,550 bushels.

	Bushels.
Coke on hand January 1, 1874.....	51,264
Coke made in 1874.....	5,728,221
Total bushels.....	5,779,485
Coke used under retorts in 1874.....	2,205,556
Coke used for boilers, exhausters and lime kilns.....	201,430
Coke used in offices, yards and streets.....	50,817
Coke sold in 1874.....	3,235,272
Coke on hand January 1, 1875.....	86,410
Total bushels.....	5,779,485

The number of meters and service pipes introduced during the year has been—

In Wards comprised in limits of old City.....	152
In Spring Garden and Penn.....	696
In Moyamensing.....	294
In Southwark.....	171
In Richmond.....	82
In Kensington.....	266
In Twenty-first Ward.....	106
In Twenty-second Ward.....	155
In Twenty-third Ward.....	106
In Twenty-fourth and Twenty-seventh Wards.....	264
In all.....	2,292

Adding these to total number before in use, makes the total number 80,733.

The applications for gas registered during the year have been—

At the Seventh street office.....	9,202
At the Spring Garden office	5,465
At the Twenty-first Ward office.....	457
At the Twenty-second Ward office.....	517
At the Twenty-third Ward office.....	462
At the Twenty-seventh Ward office.....	1,168
Total.....	17,271

Deducting removals and discontinuances, amounting to 15,036, shows an increase of 2,235, which added to former number of consumers, makes the total number now on the books of the Trust, 81,712.

The lights added during the year were—

In old City	8,759
In Spring Garden and Penn.....	16,318
In Southwark	2,697
In Moyamensing.....	4,837
In Richmond.....	1,168
In Kensington.....	4,540
In Twenty-first Ward.....	2,055
In Twenty-second Ward	2,779
In Twenty-third Ward.....	1,213
In Twenty-fourth and Twenty-seventh Wards.....	6,271
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	50,637
Previously in use.....	1,073,568
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Total	1,124,205
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There are now under the charge of the Trust 9,441 public lamps supplied with gas from these Works, and 464 from the Northern Liberties Works, making a total of 9,905.

36,262 feet of street mains were laid during the year, making the entire length of mains belonging to the Trust, 3,231,003 feet, or 612 miles.

The extensions made during the year consist of the completion of the Ninth Ward Works, adding three hundred retorts, together with the necessary condensing, washing and purifying apparatus; also, an exhauster and a station meter. One hundred and fifty of the additional retorts have been in operation since the tenth of August. The entire number in use at that station during the winter, was seven hundred and fifty.

The storage capacity of the Works has been increased to the extent of eight hundred thousand cubic feet, by erecting new telescopic holders at the Ninth and Diamond streets, and Ninth and Mifflin streets stations, in lieu of the single lift holders formerly in use. At the latter station, a one-story brick building 26 feet 4 inches by 32 feet 4 inches, has been erected, together with boiler, engine, exhauster and a governor for regulating the pressure on the outlet main of the holder.

A telescopic holder of 200,000 cubic feet capacity is now being erected at the Twenty-first Ward station, and will be completed early in February.

The Works (excepting those in the Fifteenth Ward) are in excellent condition, and when operated to their full capacity are capable of manufacturing nine million cubic feet of gas in twenty-four hours; the maximum storage capacity, including the new holder about being completed in the Twenty-first Ward, is seven million two hundred and ninety-eight thousand cubic feet.

The percentage of increase in consumption was not as great as in former years. Taking into consideration the depressed condition of trade, and the fact that for a great portion of the year, you had no available funds to appropriate to the laying of mains and the introduction of services and meters, it is remarkable that there is any increase over the year 1873. It demonstrates the rapid growth of our City, and the necessity of extending your Works to meet the demand that will be made when business revives, and the many manufacturing establishments in the City resume active operations.

The accounts show an increase in the leakage over that of 1873, this is in a great measure to be accounted for by the breakage of our mains in excavating for culverts, undermining them, and refilling the ditches without replacing the blocking in a proper manner. Some arrangement should be made by which the department could receive notice when excavations for culverts are to be made, giving us an opportunity to guard against loss by properly securing the pipes.

It is with pleasure I report that the officers in charge of the various departments have faithfully discharged their several duties.

An exhibit of the operations for the past, and of each preceding year, will be found in the annexed tabular statements.

Yours respectfully,
THOMAS R. BROWN,
Engineer.

*Engineer's Accounts.**Works.*

Wages of laborers and mechanics.....	\$9,015 06
Cast and wrought iron work (Completion of Ninth Ward Works)	109,836 03
Gas holders.....	90,000 00
Clay retorts, fire brick and tile.....	26,254 90
Principal of mortgage.....	11,710 00
Lot of ground, Twenty-first Ward.....	7,500 00
Valves, pumps and exhausters.....	4,959 46
Station meters.....	4,425 00
Brick.....	4,253 45
Masonry and bricklaying.....	1,964 78
Machinery and iron work.....	1,013 47
Paving.....	800 00
Lime, sand and gravel.....	520 35
Stone.....	378 27
Lumber.....	311 50
Roofing.....	70 00
Freight.....	36 83
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	\$273,049 10

Street Mains.

Wages of men employed in laying mains.....	\$10,213 25
Main pipe.....	18,768 04
Carting.....	5,447 47
Lead.....	4,185 88
Paving.....	2,573 67
Castings and iron work.....	2,505 29
Lumber.....	514 96
Gasket.....	496 08
Machinery and tools.....	462 90
Fares and tolls.....	330 00
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	\$45,477 54

Services.

Wages of men employed in laying pipe, setting and fitting up meters.....	\$25,932 19
Meters.....	24,849 68
Tubing and bends.....	10,895 14
Paving.....	6,757 56
Stop cocks.....	6,300 13
Lumber and wall plugs.....	3,325 34
Carting and freight.....	1,913 15
Lead pipe.....	1,788 39
Iron and castings.....	1,048 35
Tin.....	108 86
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	\$82,918 81

Gas.

Wages of stokers and men employed in retort and purifying houses, manufacturing gas, wheeling coal, coke, &c.	\$575,741	86
Coal.....	1,571,087	04
Freight.....	28,995	79
Gas bought.....	16,397	96
Oyster shells.....	11,863	21
Carting.....	8,926	36
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	\$2,213,012	22
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Repairs.

Wages of mechanics and laborers engaged in the repair of works.....	\$76,223	67
Castings.....	45,637	66
Meter repairs.....	44,517	42
Clay retorts, fire brick and tile.....	38,084	50
Gas holders.....	60,000	00
Machine and iron work.....	10,241	06
Iron bolts and nuts.....	9,856	03
Lumber.....	8,286	54
Oils, glass and paints.....	6,775	34
Wagon and harness repairs.....	5,637	42
Roofing.....	4,669	37
Hardware.....	4,511	44
Bricks.....	3,957	45
Paving.....	3,625	02
Mason work, bricklaying and plastering.....	3,470	03
Rebuilding retort beds.....	2,653	00
Tubing.....	2,528	39
Carting.....	2,033	15
Rubber goods, belting and hose.....	2,030	48
Stone, lime, sand and cement.....	1,892	24
Brushes and broom stuff.....	1,452	85
Telegraph repairs.....	1,219	09
Sawing and blinds.....	614	65
Blacksmithing, plumbing and gasfitting.....	510	12
Tin work.....	487	00
Clay and gravel.....	473	25
Iron borings.....	452	02
Wharf building.....	410	28
Buckets and ropes.....	376	49
Service and meter cocks.....	136	88
Scale repairs.....	88	00
Trunk boards.....	49	30
Freight.....	45	75
Railroad repairs.....	42	50
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	\$342,987	39
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Incidentals.

Salaries and wages.....	\$357,024 28
Carting.....	28,081 21
Rents, fares, interest and insurance.....	13,251 64
Hay, straw and feed.....	9,519 02
Lamp posts.....	8,918 00
Printing and stationery.....	7,137 86
Lamps, lanterns and repairs.....	6,420 59
Paints, oils and chemicals.....	5,728 32
Subscriptions and advertising.....	5,221 20
Car fares, tolls and stamps.....	4,530 90
Sundries and carriage hire.....	4,322 18
Glass.....	2,461 78
Lamp cocks and tubing.....	2,426 57
Matches.....	2,306 40
Horses and mules.....	2,305 00
Professional services.....	1,701 25
Photometrical tests and apparatus.....	1,285 40
Stove and blacksmith's coal.....	1,247 54
Hardware.....	705 69
Paving.....	621 97
Ice.....	537 32
Soap.....	406 09
Caps and badges.....	348 38
Office furniture.....	277 79
Inspecting boilers.....	171 36
Lumber.....	88 75
Burners and cleaners.....	68 10
Gum hose and packing.....	42 60
Testing scales.....	40 00
Mowing.....	32 50
Damages.....	15 00
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	\$467,244 69

City Registry.

1874.	Applications.	Removals and Discontin- tinances.	PRIVATE LIGHTS.		PUBLIC LIGHTS.		
			Added.	Totals.	Streets.	Market Houses.	Squares.
To January 1st.....	257,891	178,414	.....	1,073,568	8,856	129	140
January.....	1,113	949	4,443	1,078,011	8	.....	.....
February.....	1,059	955	2,715	1,080,726	.....	.....	.....
March.....	1,580	1,344	3,615	1,084,341	7	.....	.....
April.....	1,693	1,422	3,446	1,087,807	1	.....	.....
May.....	1,369	1,236	4,451	1,092,348	115	.....	.....
June.....	1,292	1,140	2,912	1,095,260	18	.....	.....
July.....	1,017	894	2,797	1,098,057	11	.....	.....
August.....	1,362	1,171	2,888	1,100,945	7	.....	.....
September.....	2,010	1,715	5,420	1,106,365	19	.....	.....
October.....	2,033	1,742	7,594	1,113,959	84	.....	.....
November.....	1,479	1,318	5,187	1,119,146	25	.....	.....
December.....	1,264	1,140	5,059	1,124,205	145	.....	.....
	17,271	15,036	50,637	.....	440	.....	.....
					Discontinued... 7	.....	.....
Brought down.....	257,891	178,414	1,073,568	.....	433	.....	.....
					8,856	129	140
Total.....	275,162	193,450	1,124,205	.....	9,280	129	140*

* 117 of the lamps in squares are paid for by meter, and should not be included in the number of public lamps.

Meters Set.

1873.	Services laid.	3 Light.	5 Light.	10 Light.	20 Light.	30 Light.	45 Light.	60 Light.	80 Light.	100 Light.	150 Light.	200 Light.	300 Light.	500 Light.	1500 Light.	2000 Light.	4000 Light.	Totals.
To Jan. 1st.	78,556	42,557	20,704	9,973	3,540	800	384	179	8	245	27	3	6	7	2	2	4	78,441
January.....	182	91	48	32	6	1	2	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	182
February....	124	59	41	19	3	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	124
March.....	200	90	63	34	8	3	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	200
April.....	208	113	65	22	7	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	208
May.....	209	77	80	41	6	3	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	209
June.....	151	71	50	26	2	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	151
July.....	114	63	28	22	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	114
August.....	167	99	46	19	2	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	167
September...	275	122	84	50	12	6	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	275
October.....	321	128	115	57	9	3	4	1	...	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	321
November..	184	86	56	30	10	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	184
December...	157	64	38	39	8	5	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	157
Total.....	2,292	1,063	714	391	74	22	12	6	...	9	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,292
Brought down.....	78,556	42,557	20,704	9,973	3,540	800	384	179	8	245	27	3	6	7	2	2	4	78,441
Grand total.	80,848	43,620	21,418	10,364	3,614	822	396	185	8	254	27	4	6	7	2	2	4	80,733

Main Pipe Laid in Streets.

1874.	1½ inch.	2 inch.	3 inch.	4 inch.	6 inch.	8 inch.	10 inch.	12 inch.	16 inch.	18 inch.	20 inch.	30 inch.	36 inch.	Totals.
To Jan. 1st.	6,952	240,895	1,401,874	985,137	244,503	120,310	20,680	79,398	39,446	18	45,103	203	1,220	3,194,741
January....			61	216	24									301
February....				9										9
March.....		315	31	132										478
April.....		7	291	4										302
May.....			2,358	748	352									3,458
June.....		378	612	216	352									1,558
July.....			1,789	160										1,949
August.....		1,064	1,840	1,356	84									4,344
September....			1,62	1,440	896	4								4,102
October.....			2,680	1,248	196	54								4,178
November....		2,088	1,311	4,640	112	1,432					256			9,839
December....			1,287	3,360	1,097									5,741
Total. . .		3,852	14,022	13,529	3,113	1,490					256			36,261
Brought down....	6,952	240,895	1,401,874	985,137	244,503	120,310	20,680	79,398	39,446	18	45,103	203	1,220	3,194,741
Grand total	6,952	253,747	1,415,896	998,666	247,616	121,800	20,680	79,398	39,446	18	45,359	203	1,220	3,231,003

Repairs of Services, &c.

1874.	Services Renewed.	Stop Cocks Renewed.	Stop Cock Boxes Renewed.	Rims and Covers Renewed.
January.....	10	10	23	19
February.....	9	9	25	6
March.....	9	9	43	11
April.....	10	10	83	34
May.....	13	6	98	26
June.....	15	15	99	37
July.....	10	12	218	43
August.....	13	13	124	37
September.....	15	15	129	31
October.....	13	13	72	21
November.....	14	14	68	13
December.....	8	8	44	30
Total.....	139	134	1,026	308

Statement of Gas

Paid for in each month of the year, made at all the Works managed under the Trust, being the amount of bills, as per meters, to the first of the month.

1874.	Private lights.	Public lights.	Totals.
January.....	135,471,000	27,538,788	163,009,788
February.....	149,984,000	24,161,376	174,145,376
March.....	129,659,500	26,603,391	156,262,891
April.....	129,926,800	25,571,967	155,498,767
May.....	118,373,300	21,699,231	140,072,531
June.....	88,311,700	19,457,860	107,769,560
July.....	80,779,650	18,721,225	99,500,875
August.....	66,003,450	21,562,926	87,556,376
September.....	52,547,300	25,332,583	77,879,883
October.....	69,827,850	27,353,355	97,181,205
November.....	95,617,900	27,429,997	123,047,897
December.....	102,229,400	29,461,774	131,691,174
	1,218,731,850	294,884,473	1,513,616,323
Inventory of stock of gas delivered and on hand:			
January 1st, 1875.....	309,613,110		
January 1st, 1874.....	293,022,300		
			16,590,810
			1,530,207,133

Annual Registry of Consumers and of Private and Public Lights.

DATE.	Applications.	Removals and discontinuances.	Total number of consumers.	PRIVATE LIGHTS.		PUBLIC LIGHTS.			
				Added.	Totals.	Streets.	Market Houses.	Squares.	Totals.
1836.....	301	24	277	2,952	2,952	165			165
1837.....	497	108	666	3,862	6,814	136			301
1838.....	849	174	1,341	4,288	11,102	133		62	496
1839.....	946	300	1,987	5,380	16,482	162	18		276
1840.....	788	382	2,393	3,317	19,799	112	1		789
1841.....	874	493	2,774	4,387	24,186	13	8		810
1842.....	845	541	3,078	3,054	27,240	30			840
1843.....	986	635	3,429	3,418	30,658	59			899
1844.....	1,000	503	3,926	4,940	35,598	195			1,094
1845.....	1,147	629	4,444	5,754	41,352	112			1,206
1846.....	1,465	717	5,192	8,138	49,490	96			1,302
1847.....	1,869	887	6,174	12,987	62,477	84	10		1,396
1848.....	1,956	1,002	7,128	13,935	76,412	21			1,417
1849.....	2,191	1,180	8,139	18,050	94,462	74			1,491
1850.....	2,227	1,150	9,216	20,542	115,004	72	13		1,576
1851.....	2,529	1,339	10,406	21,616	136,620	124			1,700
1852.....	3,004	1,747	11,663	20,550	157,170	118			1,818
1853.....	3,280	1,954	12,989	25,432	182,602	87		23	1,928
1854.....	2,884	1,969	13,904	18,127	200,729	27			1,955
1855*.....	17,479	8,485	22,898	82,487	283,216	1,368	26		3,349
1856*.....	6,272	4,626	23,544	32,225	315,441	84			3,433
1857.....	5,504	4,744	26,304	17,046	332,487	68			3,501
1858*.....	11,801	8,152	29,953	41,959	374,446	562	21	6	4,090
1859*.....	14,008	6,381	37,580	61,781	436,227	965	†18	49	5,079
1860.....	10,876	7,256	41,200	38,734	474,961	478	44		5,601
1861.....	11,594	8,784	44,010	30,996	505,937	398	4		6,003
1862.....	9,507	8,088	44,429	23,043	529,000	391			6,394
1863.....	9,581	7,482	46,528	28,979	557,979	492	1		6,887
1864.....	9,087	7,059	48,556	30,518	588,497	158			7,045
1865.....	8,868	6,937	50,487	29,273	617,770	53			7,098
1866.....	10,625	8,174	52,938	33,226	650,996	199			7,297
1867.....	10,814	8,198	55,554	39,326	690,322	184			7,481
1868.....	10,886	8,898	57,542	41,538	731,860	159	4		7,644
1869.....	14,664	9,813	62,393	70,017	801,877	152			7,896
1870.....	16,039	11,489	66,943	69,685	871,562	237			8,033
1871.....	15,803	11,972	70,774	62,122	933,684	289			8,322
1872.....	16,411	12,416	74,769	65,567	999,251	364			8,686
1873.....	18,434	13,726	79,477	74,317	1,073,568	435	4		9,125
1874.....	17,271	15,036	81,712	50,637	1,124,205	433			9,558
Totals.....	275,162	193,450	.....	1,124,205	.....	9,280	129	140	.....

* Including those received from private gas companies.

† During the year 1859, 18 lights were added in market houses, and 43 discontinued.

Statement of Meters Set Each Year.

DATE	Services laid.	3 Light.	5 Light.	10 Light.	20 Light.	30 Light.	45 Light.	60 Light.	80 Light.	100 Light.	150 Light.	200 Light.	300 Light.	500 Light.	1500 Light.	2000 Light.	4000 Light.
1836	251	108	98	31	9	2	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1837	411	301	77	19	6	2	3	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1838	690	442	159	61	13	9	12	1	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1839	649	421	118	75	26	6	33	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1840	350	198	78	54	13	3	2	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1841	375	203	93	63	14	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1842	299	157	76	57	6	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1843	348	180	110	50	7	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1844	503	292	129	72	5	3	1	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1845	523	311	151	49	7	4	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1846	761	390	237	113	14	4	2	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1847	999	481	300	202	12	1	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1848	971	408	333	196	25	4	3	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1849	1,029	366	366	234	46	7	5	2	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1850	1,079	435	412	165	50	6	3	3	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1851	1,211	534	373	204	76	15	4	2	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1852	1,261	638	334	200	60	18	7	3	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1853	1,364	688	360	167	92	23	12	6	.....	15	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1854	939	470	207	127	89	29	14	2	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1855 *	8,110	4,290	3,158	369	150	28	28	11	.....	23	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1856 *	2,323	1,055	698	375	144	23	15	8	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	.....
1857	734	209	220	184	95	12	9	2	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1858 *	3,717	2,491	643	298	166	40	8	3	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1859 *	7,529	5,432	1,213	548	249	47	16	10	.....	11	.....	.....	.....	2	1	.....	.....
1860	3,533	2,118	709	462	173	29	18	13	.....	10	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1861	2,829	1,621	599	392	174	17	15	5	.....	4	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....
1862	1,417	695	316	283	75	21	13	6	1	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	1
1863	1,977	999	429	370	125	13	17	9	1	12	1	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....
1864	2,017	887	431	496	151	19	9	12	.....	9	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1865	1,860	895	391	332	139	44	21	10	4	18	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1866	2,349	1,238	572	307	151	34	12	11	2	19	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1867	2,487	1,260	518	430	188	50	20	6	.....	14	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1868	1,958	780	531	337	219	58	16	6	.....	8	2	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
1869	4,811	2,422	1,494	610	204	43	17	6	.....	9	5	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1870	4,440	2,222	1,278	621	207	46	27	16	.....	19	1	1	2	.....	.....	.....	.....
1871	3,804	2,155	940	473	141	61	15	3	.....	11	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3
1872	3,897	2,032	1,111	545	124	43	16	9	.....	16	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
1873	4,751	2,733	1,442	402	95	28	25	11	.....	11	2	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....
1874	2,292	1,063	714	391	74	22	12	6	.....	9	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Totals	80,848	43,620	21,418	10,364	3,614	822	396	185	8	254	27	4	6	7	2	2	4

* Including those received from private gas companies

Length of Mains Laid in Streets. Each Year, in Lineal Feet.

DATE	1½ inch.	2 inch.	3 inch.	4 inch.	6 inch.	8 inch.	10 inch.	12 inch.	16 inch.	18 inch.	20 inch.	30 inch.	36 inch.	Totals.
1836	.....	2,310	15,951	10,184	4,018	.....	9,140	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	41,603
1837	.....	3,468	13,068	4,302	6,984	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	27,822
1838	.....	150	15,660	14,409	9,036	.....	27	10,881	2,340	.....	.....	.....	.....	52,503
1839	.....	1,704	11,629	11,997	4,419	3,726	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	33,475
1840	.....	222	1,674	576	261	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,733
1841	.....	204	8,874	7,137	27	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16,242
1842	.....	324	6,831	3,483	360	774	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11,772
1843	.....	966	32,796	16,767	1,395	1,053	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	52,977
1844	.....	30,696	38,655	23,555	2,358	3,663	891	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	99,818
1845	426	3,240	9,360	4,725	837	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18,588
1846	.....	10,734	9,855	8,442	378	2,070	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	31,479
1847	.....	4,164	6,660	2,808	900	135	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,667
1848	.....	1,734	7,578	3,897	1,458	477	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15,144
1849	.....	9,690	9,117	5,724	2,934	13,284	4,266	2,619	8,073	495	.....	.....	.....	56,102
1850	.....	6,666	9,513	6,345	2,718	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	25,242
1851	.....	11,901	18,441	10,755	720	324	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	42,141
1852	.....	18,864	19,710	14,958	.....	1,359	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,867	.....	.....	61,758
1853	.....	7,152	3,744	3,780	414	.....	.....	.....	720	7,257	.....	.....	.....	23,067
1854	.....	678	1,026	828	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,532
1855 *	.....	3,271	202,958	173,289	36,378	16,997	3,151	8,276	.....	.....	8,014	.....	.....	452,334
1856 *	.....	1,956	19,941	16,596	7,286	3,834	5	.....	.....	.....	504	.....	.....	50,122
1857	.....	363	1,844	325	117	34	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,683
1858 *	204	11,500	76,968	94,400	20,776	9,691	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	213,539
1859 *	236	18,606	250,715	92,467	58,041	17,173	2,614	2,570	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	442,422
1860	3,080	31,673	98,640	71,453	16,450	11,202	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	232,498
1861	347	16,355	65,575	27,694	1,093	462	.....	6,119	13,470	18	972	.....	.....	132,135
1862	1,125	17,123	33,797	33,707	6,343	3,964	9	1,316	.....	.....	697	.....	.....	98,081
1863	1,090	14,742	58,551	42,708	12,774	8	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	129,873
1864	354	2,718	19,049	13,139	3,593	156	.....	36	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	39,045
1865	90	2,358	24,317	27,982	17,524	9,456	.....	8,439	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	90,170
1866	.....	1,600	27,607	18,450	3,421	6	.....	2,861	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	53,945
1867	.....	606	18,555	13,987	669	2,132	287	.....	488	.....	.....	.....	.....	36,724
1868	.....	18	10,664	5,396	43	44	.....	.....	7,356	.....	.....	.....	.....	23,521
1869	.....	3,032	67,449	59,006	11,808	15,871	64	6,791	6,995	.....	16,237	.....	.....	187,253
1870	.....	4,247	73,542	47,840	6,046	171	.....	29,357	.....	.....	152	.....	.....	161,555
1871	.....	1,284	17,338	16,153	796	180	222	133	.....	.....	764	205	1,220	38,295
1872	796	35,329	36,379	1,352	1,364	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	75,224
1873	.....	2,750	58,893	39,494	776	700	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,144	.....	.....	105,757
1874	3,852	14,022	13,529	3,113	1,490	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	256	.....	.....	36,262
Totals	6,952	253,747	1,415,896	998,666	247,616	121,800	20,680	79,398	39,446	18	45,359	205	1,220	3,231,003

* Including those received from private gas companies.

Statement of Gas

Delivered to Public and Private Lights to December 31, in Each Year, by the Works in the First and Ninth Wards.

YEAR	Public Lights.	Private Lights.	Spring Garden.	Southwark.	Moyamensing.	West Philadelphia.	Germanatown.	Used at offices, shops and Works, loss by leaking, &c., &c.	Made at Works.
1836	978,819	4,752,740	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	749,748	6,481,300
1837	1,397,687	15,454,891	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,226,122	17,078,700
1838	3,013,546	22,366,004	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,977,450	27,357,000
1839	6,280,654	30,658,145	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,534,201	39,473,000
1840	8,028,818	31,874,380	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,506,802	45,410,000
1841	10,208,180	39,648,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,415,820	51,272,000
1842	13,292,000	36,596,830	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	922,170	50,811,000
1843	12,985,851	34,579,900	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,324,249	48,800,000
1844	13,608,356	40,022,800	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,152,884	54,784,000
1845	17,373,798	45,702,800	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	926,402	65,003,000
1846	19,164,106	55,219,800	163,400	.....	.....	.....	.....	906,694	75,454,000
1847	19,122,203	68,071,600	2,507,100	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,846,007	91,547,000
1848	19,924,700	78,921,350	6,817,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,109,950	106,773,000
1849	24,524,950	96,247,100	10,713,200	2,322,800	195,800	.....	.....	1,505,150	135,509,000
1850	28,482,800	131,258,400	17,650,600	3,457,800	417,900	.....	.....	748,500	182,016,000
1851	36,524,625	145,114,200	7,039,800	5,279,000	1,254,700	.....	.....	5,629,675	200,842,000
1852	38,306,250	162,033,100	.....	5,927,900	2,892,400	354,600	.....	6,641,750	216,216,000
1853	37,406,625	191,679,750	.....	10,458,200	5,810,700	2,765,720	.....	1,306,005	249,427,000
1854	40,177,874	209,354,300	.....	14,989,200	8,304,000	6,501,800	.....	2,816,826	282,224,000
1855	58,319,350	237,250,165	.....	15,039,000	7,660,600	10,380,200	.....	16,062,085	347,777,000
1856	80,835,200	304,961,250	.....	18,922,500	.....	.....	.....	29,853,050	434,742,000
1857	84,312,484	318,928,400	.....	20,830,000	.....	.....	7,962,000	37,004,116	469,067,000
1858	89,850,220	323,610,550	.....	24,078,200	.....	.....	6,462,000	35,577,021	480,208,000
Total	664,219,188	2,627,346,455	44,891,100	125,064,600	23,536,100	20,003,320	14,154,000	155,842,637	3,678,362,400

Statement of Gas

Made at all the Works managed under the Trust, and of that delivered to Public and Private Lights, December 31, 1874.

YEAR.	Made at Works in Twenty-sixth, Ninth, Fifteenth and Twenty-first Wards.	Public Lights.	Private Lights.	Used at the Works, offices of the Trust, loss by leakage, &c.
1859.....	562,110,000	98,900,345	395,228,000	67,981,655
1860.....	639,578,000	119,994,818	459,152,800	60,430,382
1861.....	632,545,600	134,372,343	437,627,100	60,546,157
1862.....	656,957,000	149,744,273	449,169,400	58,043,327
1863.....	735,698,000	163,201,929	512,121,562	60,374,509
1864.....	794,676,000	161,408,525	549,876,900	83,390,575
1865.....	844,516,000	166,085,951	565,939,500	112,490,549
1866.....	915,956,000	153,644,194	642,531,366	119,780,440
1867.....	981,642,000	132,681,858	687,539,000	161,421,142
1868.....	1,066,670,000	148,912,204	743,727,100	174,030,696
1869.....	1,163,162,000	151,942,222	829,589,000	181,630,778
1870.....	1,241,485,000	204,882,956	598,359,680	138,242,364
1871.....	1,338,972,000	229,120,197	952,238,454	157,613,349
1872.....	1,486,969,000	247,329,681	1,041,707,033	197,932,286
1873.....	1,648,587,000	279,622,442	1,217,432,033	151,532,525
1874.....	1,766,268,000	294,884,473	1,233,322,660	236,060,867
Made in twenty-three pre- vious years	16,475,791,600	2,836,728,411	11,617,561,588	2,021,501,601
	3,678,362,400			
	20,154,154,000			

Number of lamps under the care of the Department of Public Lighting, January 1, 1874.

	Gas.
City*—including Moyamensing, Southwark, West Philadelphia, Spring Garden, Kensington, Richmond, Germantown, Manayunk, Frankford and Nicetown.....	9,441
Northern Liberties†.....	464
	9,905

* Supplied directly from City Works, including twenty-three in Independence Square.

† Supplied from Northern Liberties Gas Works.

APPENDIX No. 41.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—In conformity with the provisions of the Ordinance creating the Fire Department, the Board of Commissioners respectfully submit this their fourth annual report of the condition and operation of the department for the year ending December 31st, 1874. Annexed hereto is a statement in detail of the expenditures, rolls of the several companies, the houses, apparatus and material owned by the City, and under the charge of this department, together with a statement of fires and alarms which have occurred during the past year, with the losses and insurance on the property exposed, and other matters of such general character as will tend to a correct knowledge of the workings of the department, and some suggestions that we deem of importance to its future success.

We take great pleasure in congratulating your honorable bodies upon the immunity the community has experienced in the absence of any great or serious conflagrations occurring in the City during the past year. The continued and increasing efficiency of the department has, no doubt, in a great measure tended to this result, for discipline is rapidly and surely bringing the Fire Department of the City of Philadelphia into such a state of perfection as to almost make it invincible against the fiery elements. The men ever on the alert, and anxious for duty, seem to take pleasure in their calling, striving to outdo each other in their several stations, and all aiming to arrive at the one object, "*pro bono publico.*" Even the animals have entered into the general enthusiasm, and understand the striking of the gong as well as the men, and it would take a strong halter to keep one of these trained steeds from taking his position at the tongue of the engine or hose cart, when the tocsin of the fire sounds its alarm from the station. Indeed, were we to enlarge or state facts in connection with the rapidity of the preparation of the men, or the state of intelligence of the horse to which the men have taught him to arrive at, it would be scarcely credited, but on the contrary, would seem extremely fabulous.

Your Commission would here add a few words in relation to the rapid driving of the apparatus to fires. It is necessary to reach the scene of disaster in the shortest time possible to prevent the spread of the flames, and should the department be slow or dilatory in reaching a fire, no one can calculate the damage which might have been averted had the apparatus been taken there in time. What, therefore, appears mere recklessness is really a grave necessity. To hamper the driver to a certain rate of speed, would, in a measure, destroy the morale of the whole department. For it is the excitement of his calling, and his anxiety to be first at his post, that kindles ambition in the breast of the true fireman. We wish to be understood as not justifying the break-neck and reckless rate of speed, for which we have discharged some drivers, but to impress on your minds that in case of dire calamity, some allowance should be made for the men whose only aim is the protection of life and property. The apparatus may appear to be going at an unnecessary rate of speed, but if a fire is checked ere it attains much headway by a prompt suppression of the flames, the public should justify the means taken to accomplish it.

There has been added to the department since last report, one new improved hook and ladder truck, built of the very best material, on platform springs, and carrying two additional thirty-five foot ladders, and fifteen thousand feet of rubber hose, to supply the place of worn out hose, to be used in the mercantile section of the City, together with seven four-wheeled hose carts, and five thousand feet of rubber lined linen hose, to be used in the rural districts. Your Commission have also purchased the patent right of Mayer's Automatic Relief Valve and Shut-off Nozzle. It is superior to anything of the kind now in use. It controls the pressure on hose, thereby avoiding unnecessary bursting, and with its accompanying nozzle, places the amount of water to be used under such control as to prevent the unnecessary quantity so often thrown into buildings, when it is not needed for the suppression of flames.

The number of horses in the department is one hundred and twenty-three (123); there have been purchased during the year thirty-four (34); during the same period five (5) have died, and there have been twenty-two (22) sold

by direction of the Board, and the proceeds, nineteen hundred and eighty two (1982) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents, together with four hundred and fifty-nine (459) dollars for sale of old hose carriages; three hundred and eighty-five (385) dollars for rents; two hundred and forty-three (243) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents for sale of manure, and five hundred and four (504) dollars and fifty-seven (57) cents for sale of old hose and other useless materials, making in all the sum of thirty-seven hundred and fifty-four (3,754) dollars and seven (7) cents paid over to the City Treasurer.

The Fire-Alarm Telegraph is still lacking in that efficiency which the wants of the community demand. Boxes sparsely situated; a few covering so vast an extent of territory, that the City has cause to thank Providence and not the telegraph, for its preservation from anything like a serious conflagration during the past year.

There are some parts of the City so exposed and unprotected, that under the same circumstances, before an alarm could be transmitted, a fire such as would almost rival Chicago or Boston, would sweep over Philadelphia, and leave the smoking ruins of warehouses and dwellings as a monument of the folly of trifling with the repeated warnings, which this Commission has so often and candidly striven to bring to your notice.

Your Commission would draw your attention to the appropriation for the year 1874, which was five hundred and thirty-six thousand four hundred (536,400) dollars, after paying salaries to the amount of three hundred and sixteen thousand one hundred and ninety-eight (316,198) dollars and fifty-three (53) cents, and twenty-five thousand (25,000) dollars for defraying expenses of fitting up arsenal for offices, machine and work shops, etc., etc., we have paid a deficiency of seventeen thousand one hundred and ninety-eight (17,198) dollars and seventy-three (73) cents, which the appropriation of the preceding year failed to cover. You will readily see that this Commission is endeavoring to economize and avoid unnecessary outlays, and they will endeavor to do their utmost to promote the usefulness of the department, and also protect the interest of the taxpayers, and strive to lessen the onerous burden now borne by a community who have placed so much confi-

dence in a Commission whose only recompense is the assurance we feel in doing our whole duty to our fellow-citizens.

Your Commission would further report to your honorable bodies, that they have now under their control, the following fire stations owned by the City : Nine, formerly the properties of companies belonging to the old volunteer department, and now occupied by companies numbers 1, 3, 5, 7, 8, 14, 15, 18, 22 and D ; four new stations, which have been built for companies, numbers 10, 21, 26 and A ; and also number 6, for the erection of which the contract has been awarded and appropriation made. These have been paid for out of loan of two hundred thousand (200,000) dollars, authorized October 26th, 1872. The above properties have cost the City one hundred and forty-nine thousand one hundred and six-two (149,162) dollars, are generally in good condition, and now worth far more than the purchase money.

In conclusion, the Commission desire to avail themselves of this opportunity to express their sincere thanks to the able and energetic gentlemen of the Committee on Fire Department, for the interest manifested, and their earnest co-operation in all matters tending to the success of the department.

JACOB LAUDENSLAGER,
President.

Attest—JNO. R. CANTLIN,
Secretary.

Secretary's Report.

Appropriation December 30, 1873.....	\$536,490 00
Less, to pay deficiencies of 1873.....	17,198 47
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	\$519,291 53
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EXPENDITURES.

Services.

Paid—	
Wm. H. Johnson, Chief Engineer.....	\$2,500 00
Wm. H. Dankel, assistant engineer.....	1,200 00
Wm. F. Mooney, assistant engineer.....	1,200 00
J. Henry Stephens, assistant engineer.....	1,200 00
Edwin J. Cress, assistant engineer.....	1,200 00
James C. Baxter, Jr., assistant engineer.....	1,200 00
John R. Cantlin, secretary.....	1,500 00
Henry C. Nagel, clerk of store house.....	1,000 00
Wm. J. Galbraith, messenger.....	800 00
Joseph Keesey, driver of supply wagon.....	438 71
Wm. Harris, driver of supply wagon.....	100 00
Geo. W. Kendrick, superintendent of stables, &c.	999 95
Henry Johnson, superintendent of repair shops.	1,200 00
Pay Roll, Engine Company No. 1.....	9,549 84
Pay Roll, Engine Company No. 2.....	9,529 67
Pay Roll, Engine Company No. 3.....	9,504 38
Pay Roll, Engine Company No. 4.....	9,488 08
Pay Roll, Engine Company No. 5.....	9,549 84
Pay Roll, Engine Company No. 6.....	9,549 84
Pay Roll, Engine Company No. 7.....	7,876 45
Pay Roll, Engine Company No. 8.....	9,549 84
Pay Roll, Engine Company No. 9.....	7,989 82
Pay Roll, Engine Company No. 10.....	9,549 84
Pay Roll, Engine Company No. 11.....	9,488 00
Pay Roll, Engine Company No. 12.....	7,959 84

Amount carried forward.....\$124,124 10

Amount brought forward.....	\$124,124	10
Pay Roll, Engine Company No. 13.....	9,482	62
Pay Roll, Engine Company No. 14	7,989	84
Pay Roll, Engine Company No. 15.....	9,549	84
Pay Roll, Engine Company No. 16.....	9,545	67
Pay Roll, Engine Company No. 17.....	9,527	52
Pay Roll, Engine Company No. 18.....	9,549	84
Pay Roll, Engine Company No. 19.....	7,989	82
Pay Roll, Engine Company No. 20	9,466	51
Pay Roll, Engine Company No. 21.....	9,549	84
Pay Roll, Engine Company No. 22.....	9,527	62
Pay Roll, Engine Company No. 23.....	9,549	84
Pay Roll, Engine Company No. 24.....	9,453	27
Pay Roll, Engine Company No. 25.....	9,549	84
Pay Roll, Engine Company No. 26.....	9,508	16
Pay Roll, Engine Company No. 27.....	9,529	67
Pay Roll, Truck Company A.....	9,987	86
Pay Roll, Truck Company B.....	9,971	72
Pay Roll, Truck Company C.....	9,965	19
Pay Roll, Truck Company D.....	9,979	80
Pay Roll, Truck Company E.....	9,999	96
Pay Roll, Hand Engine A.....	600	00
Pay Roll, Hand Engine B.....	600	00
Pay Roll, Hand Engine C.....	600	00
Pay Roll, Hand Engine D.....	600	00
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	\$316,198	53
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Apparatus.

Paid—		
John Neuhauser, for 7 horse carts.....	\$3,430	00
Alvarado Mayer, for "patent right.".....	2,500	00
Geo. W. Hetrick, for H. and L. Truck.....	2,284	00
J. Hindermeyer & Son, for relief valves.....	705	00
John W. Read, for carriage.....	400	00
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	\$9,319	00
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Repairs to Apparatus.

Paid—

Geo. W. Hetrick.....	\$18,706	70
Johnson, Hess & Co.....	3,440	82
Jacob Naylor.....	1,389	84
Gilman & Farran.....	1,807	47
Jas. S. Fleming.....	1,688	37
James P. Wood & Co.....	478	05
H. J. Horan.....	468	87
Robt. J. O'Neill.....	453	45
Davis & Dubois.....	425	00
C. Schanz.....	315	55
John W. Read.....	306	25
Joseph L. Travis.....	299	55
Richmond M. Dukes.....	250	83
Robert Johnson.....	198	25
Thomas Castor.....	172	65
Hindermeyer & Son.....	138	75
Thos. M. Holmes.....	110	15
Danl. P. Dieterich.....	105	75
Keterer & Scherer.....	86	90
Server & Brinz.....	79	15
Peter Castor.....	81	02
John Nowlan.....	66	94
Amoskeag Manufacturing Co.....	47	50
Chambers, Bro. & Co.....	37	03
Hugh Killip.....	34	75
Carey & Co.....	34	00
Jas. E. Packer & Son.....	34	00
R. S. Browning.....	31	77
Neafie & Levy.....	25	21
McCarrick & Smith.....	23	25
Thos. L. Vanborn.....	21	90
Insinger & Son.....	21	25
Patrick McQuade.....	20	00
Antrim & English.....	18	26
Tim. F. Conley.....	18	06
J. P. Morris & Co.....	15	74
John Maull.....	15	25

Amount carried forward..... \$31,463 28

Amount brought forward.....	\$31,468	28
Hydraulic Works.....	14	01
Albertus King... ..	11	50
Geo. C. Behring.....	14	37
Geo. H. Cooper.....	11	25
Danl. Maher.....	11	15
Fulton, Walker & Co.....	10	25
Geo. Magee & Son.....	10	45
Kelly, Howell & Co.....	10	25
A. J. Rapp.....	10	00
Thos. Carroll.....	9	80
Thos. H. Aurocker.....	9	25
W. Wilson & Son.....	8	00
M. T. Reynolds.....	8	64
H. Belfield & Co.....	8	45
Geo. Morrell.....	8	25
Nichols, Pickering & Co	8	03
A. D. Bacon.....	7	25
Robt. Mower.....	7	50
Wm. Ferguson.....	6	90
Philadelphia Axle Works.....	6	10
Saml. Y. Greer.....	5	50
John Cartright.....	5	80
Wilson J. Hansell.....	5	45
C. Dewees.....	5	00
David Lithgow.....	4	50
Wilhelm & Neumann.....	4	50
Eckersly & Co.....	3	78
H. A. Noble.....	3	00
Jas. Henshall.....	3	62
John Wentzell.....	3	80
James M. Hall.....	3	50
Geo. W. Heins.....	3	25
Wetherill & Halstead.....	3	05
John L. Knowlton.....	2	25
John Benson.....	2	00
James McGough.....	1	00

 \$31,719 68

Horses, Shoeing and Medicine.

Paid—

Joshua McCumsey, for horses.....	\$9,575 00
Thos. W. South, for horses.....	300 00
Wm. H. Thompson, for horses.....	300 00
Antrim & English, for shoeing.....	959 64
Chas. R. Jamison, for shoeing.....	237 84
Thos. McDevitt, for shoeing.....	219 49
Dempsey & O'Donnell, for shoeing.....	188 95
McCarrick & Smith, for shoeing.....	185 95
A. D. Bacon, for shoeing.....	175 90
John Hazlett, for shoeing.....	175 72
John Howlan, for shoeing.....	170 60
John Cartright, for shoeing.....	150 87
John Benson, for shoeing.....	115 95
Dennis Drislane, for shoeing.....	111 10
John Wentzell, for shoeing.....	98 54
Geo. Morrell, for shoeing.....	98 48
Howard & Bro., for shoeing.....	97 45
Hugh Killip, for shoeing.....	96 50
Desmond & Rodgers, for shoeing.....	93 61
Geo. C. Behring, for shoeing.....	79 99
H. & J. English, for shoeing.....	73 01
Thos. Carroll, for shoeing.....	70 61
Albertus King, for shoeing.....	63 45
James P. Kelly, for shoeing.....	62 45
W. J. Hansell, for shoeing.....	62 25
Peter Castor, for shoeing.....	60 20
Thos. L. Vanhorn, for shoeing.....	52 08
Danl. Maher, for shoeing.....	58 37
James McGough, for shoeing.....	41 50
John Black, for shoeing.....	20 00
Robt. Mower, for shoeing.....	12 75
Edwd. D. Chipman, for medicine.....	18 88
Wm. F. Simes & Son, for medicine.....	45 12
Geo. W. Allen, for veterinarian.....	20 00
Ch. Faivre, for veterinarian.....	42 05
M. W. Birch, for veterinarian.....	15 00

\$14,149 30

Feed.

Paid—

Wm. Allmendinger, for feed.....	\$12,990 26
Conrad & Brother, for feed.....	5,710 04
Mansur & Schofield, for feed.....	9 75
Haas & Grow, for horse keep.....	151 00
Edward Magee, for clipping.....	11 00
Wm. Tag, for pasturage.....	8 00
Geo. W. Kendrick, for horse keep.....	366 40
James Harvey, for attendance.....	243 00
W. S. Penrose, for attendance.....	110 00
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	\$19,599 45

Hose and Hose Expenses.

Paid—

Danl. P. Dietrich, for hose.. ..	\$17,350 00
Robt. J. O'Neill, for couplings.....	2,754 00
J. Hindermeyer & Son, for couplings.....	84 67
Saml. Y. Greer, for repairing hose.....	1,743 89
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	\$21,932 56

Rent of Houses.

Paid—

Humane Fire Company.....	\$1,000 00
Philadelphia Fire Company.....	700 00
Good Intent Fire Company.....	500 00
Decatur Fire Company.....	700 00
Franklin Fire Company.....	500 00
Shiffler Hose Company.....	1,000 00
Washington Fire Company.....	800 00
Manayunk Fire Company.....	500 00
Mechanic Fire Company.....	1,000 00
Taylor Hose Company.....	404 44
Monroe Hall Association.....	450 00
Good Will Fire Company.....	500 00
Spring Garden Fire Company.....	718 33
Ambrose Reiber.....	850 00

Amount carried forward..... \$9,622 77

Amount brought forward.....	\$9,622 77
Diligent Fire Company.	1,250 00
Northern Liberty Hose Company.. .	649 00
Resolution Hose Company.....	1,000 00
Warren Hose Company.....	500 00
Hugh Killip.....	800 00
Hope Hose Company.....	800 00
Conrow & Kirby.....	700 00
United States Fire Company.....	1,000 00
Friendship Fire Company.....	800 00
Fame Hose Company.....	650 00
Congress Fire Company.....	450 00
M. N. Shoemaker.....	350 00
Pascal J. Hoopes.....	300 00
Henry R. Allen.....	258 32
John W. Clark.....	2,200 00
H. McFadden.....	132 00
Geo. W. Kendrick.....	120 00
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	\$21,582 09

Cleaning Bunk Rooms.

Paid—

Mrs. Lawther, for station No. 1.....	\$120 00
Mrs. Feters, for station No. 2.....	120 00
Mrs. Smith, for station No. 3.....	130 00
Mrs. Baker, for station No. 4.....	120 00
Mrs. Boston, for station No. 5.....	138 00
Mrs. Worth, for station No. 6.....	123 00
Mrs. Getty, for station No. 7.....	120 00
Mrs. Lawrence, for station No. 8.....	130 75
Mrs. Thomas, for station No. 9.....	120 00
Mrs. Harburger, for station No. 10.....	135 00
Mrs. Winslow, for station No. 11.....	120 00
Mrs. Wertz, for station No. 12.....	120 00
Mrs. Lafferty, for station No. 13.....	120 00
Mrs. Pennington, for station No. 14.....	120 00
Mrs. Lee, for station No. 15.....	121 00
Mrs. Blake, for station No. 16.....	120 00
Mrs. Henk, for station No. 17.....	144 50

Amount carried forward..... \$2,122 25

Amount brought forward.....	\$2,122 25
Mrs. Auble, for station No. 18.....	120 00
Mrs. Lackman, for station No. 19.....	120 00
Mrs. Warner, for station No. 20.....	123 00
Mrs. Twaddell, for station No. 21.....	126 25
Mrs. Lawrence, for station No. 22.....	124 00
Mrs. Roates, for station No. 23.....	120 00
Mrs. Cox, for station No. 24.....	123 00
Mrs. Butterworth, for station No. 25.....	120 00
Mrs. Brillhoff, for station No. 26.....	130 00
Mrs. Osborn, for station No. 27.....	120 00
Mrs. Vansciver, for station A.....	120 00
Mrs. Dougherty, for station B.....	126 50
Mrs. Jones, for station C.....	120 00
Mrs. Smith, for station D.....	130 00
Mrs. Cox, for station E.....	136 25
Mrs. Baker, for office.....	395 00
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	\$4,376 25

Furniture, Bedding, &c.

Paid—

D. M. Karcher & Sons, desks, &c.....	\$1,214 00
Jacob Crouse, carpet.....	603 32
E. H. Johnson, shades, &c.....	298 45
N. Spering & Son, muslin.....	170 35
H. O. Atwood, carpet.....	169 00
G. B. Runyan, shades.....	119 25
A. Hillborn & Co., bedding.....	85 00
V. E. Archambault, muslin.....	71 55
M. Green, making sheets.....	48 84
M. Wilkins, making sheets.....	45 80
L. Baker, making sheets.....	33 65
Jas. Creagmile, shades.....	25 30
T. A. McClelland, chairs.....	24 00
John H. Murray, chairs.....	22 00
Jos. P. Dinan, repairing stove.....	23 50
Edwd. Cassady, repairing stove.....	19 00
Geo. L. Flick, repairing stove.....	8 75
Jas. B. Acton, repairing stove.....	4 50
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Amount carried forward..... \$2,986 26

Amount brought forward.....	\$2,986 26
Jas. P. Hehlig & Son, repairing stove.....	4 33
Matthew Hall, repairing stove.....	3 55
M. L. Watson, repairing stove.....	2 00
Eckersly & Co., repairing stove.....	1 20
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	\$2,997 34
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Harness and Repairs.

Paid—

John W. Callahan.....	\$2,034 17
S. D. Slonaker.....	663 10
C. Detwiler.....	17 00
Wm. Gillen.....	17 55
Wm. Godshall.....	7 05
Saml. Stanwood.....	34 24
Jesse Lee.....	4 75
Keim, Kennedy & Co.....	950 00
Edmund Bockius.....	6 75
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	\$3,734 61
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Gas.

Paid—

Trustees Philadelphia Gas Works.....	\$6,334 53
Northern Liberties Gas Co	426 12
Good Intent Fire Co	227 18
Conrow & Kirby.....	160 00
Monroe Hall Association.....	84 41
Chas. H. Timney.....	13 00
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	\$7,245 24
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Fuel for Engines.

Paid—

John J. Heisler, for coal.....	\$112 50
T. Convery & Co., for coal.....	247 50
Jos. B. Hancock, for coal.....	196 54
John A. Wilson, for coal.....	357 00
P. & R. Coal and Iron Co., for coal.....	1,185 71
Shaw & Son, for wood.....	658 25
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	\$2,757 50
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Fuel for Houses.

Paid—

Jos. B. Hancock, for coal.....	\$1,393 10
P. & R. Coal and Iron Co., for coal.....	569 54
Jas. Lyster & Son, for coal.....	7 00
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	\$1,969 64

Repairs to Houses.

Paid—

Joseph McIlvain, for alteration, &c.....	\$3,690 00
John O'Donnell, for alteration, &c..	2,681 00
Henry T. Suplee, for alteration, &c.....	1,180 00
Robt. J. Morrison, for carpenter work.....	778 75
Jos. H. Weston, for bricklaying.....	263 05
Ernst Drevet, for hose rack.....	250 00
Richmond M. Dukes, for plumbing, &c.....	217 87
Jas. Dealy, for carpenter work.....	170 38
Thos. H. Aurocker, for locks, &c.....	90 45
Michael B. Lynch, for painting.....	82 73
S. P. Faunce, for grading, &c.....	76 66
Chas. C. Muller, for carpenter work.....	71 66
Geo. C. Aikens, for glazing.....	64 35
Jas. H. Davis, for lumber.....	71 48
Wm. Keas, for carpenter work.....	51 84
J. K. Yarnell, for architect.....	60 00
E. H. Hayhurst, for carpenter work.....	40 21
Wm. Simpson, for carpenter work.....	38 00
John Manton, for cleaning well.....	24 00
Chas. O'Roop, for carpenter work.....	23 26
Thos. Taunton, for glazing.....	22 03
Wm. B. Brewster, for carpenter work.....	21 00
Jos. T. Hammond, for lumber.....	20 43
H. Evans, for lumber.....	19 28
Geo. Wilkinson, for carpenter work.....	19 01
Thomas, Vandegrift & Co., for hardware.....	16 66
Thos. F. Fenlin, for carpenter work.....	16 65
Jesse Lukens, for lumber.....	16 28
Jos. P. Dinan, for tin work.....	16 87

Amount carried forward.....\$10,093 80

Amount brought forward.....	\$10,093 80
J. S. Battersby, for glazing.....	16 00
H. L. Kalbach, for gas fitting.....	15 70
Chas. McDonald, for carpenter work.....	15 69
Robt. Wood & Co., for iron work.....	13 58
John Maxwell, for tin work.....	12 30
Ashmead & Co., for lumber.....	11 98
Walter P. Bates, for carpenter work.....	11 00
Coffin & Rau, for carpenter work.....	10 15
Rankin & Landon, for tin work.....	10 00
Thos. O. Davis, for cleaning well.....	10 00
McArdle & Co., for iron work.....	10 00
B. H. Shoemaker, for glass.....	8 96
French & Richards, for glass.....	7 64
Nice & Good, for sash.....	6 00
Murphy & Brown, for wire work.....	5 75
Wm. Cassady, for plumbing.....	5 00
Hayes, Ellis & Co., for lumber.....	4 85
Wm. Ferguson, for gas fitting.....	4 75
Chas. Timney, for gas fitting.....	3 50
Simon T. Shugart, for carpenter work.....	210 15
Henry J. Burke, for gas fitting.....	3 00
R. G. Bryan, for plumbing.....	2 75
Eckersly & Co., for carpenter work.....	2 25
Paul J. Field, for hinges.....	1 00
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	\$10,495 90
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Clothing.

Paid—

Engine Company No. 1.....	\$480 00
Engine Company No. 2.....	480 00
Engine Company No. 3.....	480 00
Engine Company No. 4.....	476 66
Engine Company No. 5.....	480 00
Engine Company No. 6.....	480 00
Engine Company No. 7.....	480 00
Engine Company No. 8.....	480 00
Engine Company No. 9.....	480 00
Engine Company No. 10.....	480 00

Amount carried forward..... \$4,796 66

Amount brought forward.....	\$4,796 66
Engine Company No. 11.....	480 00
Engine Company No. 12.....	480 00
Engine Company No. 13.....	480 00
Engine Company No. 14.....	480 00
Engine Company No. 15.....	480 00
Engine Company No. 16.....	480 00
Engine Company No. 17.....	480 00
Engine Company No. 18.....	480 00
Engine Company No. 19.....	430 00
Engine Company No. 20..	470 00
Engine Company No. 21.....	480 00
Engine Company No. 22.....	480 00
Engine Company No. 23.....	480 00
Engine Company No. 24.....	480 00
Engine Company No. 25.....	480 00
Engine Company No. 26.....	480 00
Engine Company No. 27.....	480 00
Truck Company A.....	520 00
Truck Company B.....	520 00
Truck Company C.....	520 00
Truck Company D.....	515 00
Truck Company E.....	520 00
Hand Engine A.	40 00
Hand Engine B.....	40 00
Hand Engine C	40 00
Hand Engine D.....	40 00
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	\$15,701 66
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*Alterations and additions to City Arsenal and fitting up
Repair Shop.*

Paid—

Henry B. Leskie, for builder.....	\$18,700 00
John K. Yarnall, for architect.....	500 00
Edward Weicke, for boiler.....	1,185 00
Jacob Naylor, for engine.....	1,119 27
Geo. V. Cresson, for shafting.....	147 50
Wm. B. Bement & Son, for tools.....	1,704 77
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Amount carried forward..... \$23,356 54

Amount brought forward.....	\$23,356 54
Hoopes & Townsend, for bolts.....	12 45
Potter & Hoffmann, for belting.....	9 86
Farrel & Herring, for setting boiler.....	75 00
John Overns, for inspecting boiler.....	5 70
Hindermeyer & Son, for valves.....	40 00
John McGrath, for gas fitting and plumbing....	718 20
Jas. Dealy, for carpenter work.....	364 51
Marriner & Buckingham, for carpenter work...	52 15
Michael Magee, for brick work.....	421 44
John G. Wilson, for painting.....	39 50
Richard Lynex, for wire guards.....	104 65
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	\$25,200 00

Miscellaneous Expenses.

Paid—

Samuel Y. Greer, for hose pipes and nozzles....	\$683 50
Jos. Hazzard, for brooms, soap, &c.....	651 85
Wm. L. Elkins, for oil.....	281 68
Carpenter, Henszey & Co., for supplies.. ..	283 72
Joseph Schofield, for cotton waste.....	264 24
James Johnson, for hardware.....	252 00
Francis Gwynn, for soap.....	215 14
John W. Callahan, for supplies.....	202 80
Thomas Jones, for supplies.....	244 00
T. W. Lillagore, for supplies.....	207 00
C. Brintzinghoffer, for brushes.....	158 75
Thomas M. Holmes, for lamps.....	144 20
John S. Lee & Co., for rope, &c.....	137 79
Daniel P. Dieterick, for supplies.....	148 00
Wm. F. Scheible, for flag.....	100 00
John Williamson, for supplies.....	84 00
W. G. Simpson, for shovels.....	75 00
Wm. G. Thomas, for sponge.....	72 62
M. Steppacher, for oil.....	75 00
John Campbell, for buckets.....	72 00
Wm. R. Elliott, for hardware.....	61 15
Baeder, Adamson & Co., for emery.....	60 00
Thomas J. Reynolds, for tinware.....	56 48

Amount carried forward..... \$4,530 92

Amount brought forward.....	\$4,530 92
Hachnlen Bros., for chamois.....	54 50
Wm. Brown, for mats.....	54 00
Darrance Evans, for crash.....	51 00
F. Foster, for books.....	48 00
Swift & Courtney, for matches.....	33 75
Thomas Vandegrift & Co., for baskets, &c.....	32 25
McFarland & Bro., for paper.....	30 00
James Nichols, for spittoons.....	27 50
Halfinan & Co., for flaxseed.....	19 40
John Gamphor, for buckets.....	18 00
G. W. Fitzwater, for forks and liniment.....	204 00
Jos. P. Dinan, for tinware.....	9 84
Hindermeyer & Son, for couplings.....	7 20
S. Stanwood, for straps.....	5 12
H Osler & Sons, for hods.....	2 50
Wilhelm & Neumann, for lamp glass	1 80
Geo. H. McCully & Co., for printing.....	573 10
Evening Bulletin, for advertising.....	364 10
Public Ledger, for advertising.....	346 80
F. Foster, for stationery.....	274 25
W. F. Murphy's Sons, for stationery.....	212 13
King & Baird, for report.....	198 00
Evening Star, for advertising.....	79 05
The New Age, for advertising.....	64 49
Co-operative Co., for printing.....	63 00
North American, for advertising.....	31 50
Sunday Transcript, for advertising.....	19 95
Evening Chronicle, for advertising.....	17 50
Sunday Mercury, for advertising.....	12 90
City Item, for advertising.....	5 40
Sunday Republic, for advertising.....	5 25
Sunday Times, for advertising.....	5 10
G. H. Harrison, for ink.....	4 00
Hugh Smith, for carriage hire.....	348 00
Fire Association, for insurance.....	282 75
R. J. Levis, for M. D.....	200 00
W. J. Galbraith, for incidentals.....	191 21
United Firemen's Insurance Co., for insurance.	168 75
Horstmann Bros. & Co., for buttons.....	147 95

Amount carried forward..... \$8,744 96

Amount brought forward.....	\$8,744 96
H. C. Nagel, for postage stamps.....	100 00
Weccacoe Fire Co., for insurance.....	87 50
A. McArdle & Co., for awning frame.....	50 00
Joshua Evans, for carriage hire.....	40 00
Farrel & Herring, for moving safe.....	40 00
H. Osler & Son, for sundries.....	36 59
J. S. Williams & Co., for sundries.....	34 40
Frank Nugent, for cleaning well.....	32 84
R. L. Dickson, for writing.....	55 00
G. W. Mumford, for hauling.....	30 75
Knickerbocker Co., for ice.....	26 96
Walter P. Bates, for stretcher.....	17 37
M. J. Moore, for hauling.....	17 00
Wm. Calhoun, for adjusting.....	16 50
John P. Jenkins, for carriage hire.....	15 00
James Nichols, for sundries.....	9 00
D. P. Dieterich, for gum bands.....	6 00
James Donnell, for hauling.....	5 00
N. L. Local Express, for hauling.....	8 50
J. B. Lippincott, for files.....	4 55
J. V. Foreman, for hauling.....	2 00
D. K. Jones, for hauling.....	1 50
King & Baird, for binding.....	1 25
C. Brintzinghoffer, for brush.....	1 00
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	\$9,383 67
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RECAPITULATION.

Appropriation December 30, 1873.....	\$536,490 00
Less to pay deficiency of 1873.....	17,198 47
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	\$519,291 53
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Expenditures.

Paid—	
Services.....	\$316,198 53
Apparatus.....	9,319 00
Repairs of apparatus.....	31,719 68
Horses and horse expenses.....	14,149 30
Feed.....	19,599 45
Hose and hose expenses.....	21,932 56
Rent of houses.....	21,582 09
Cleaning houses.....	4,376 25
Furniture, bedding, &c.....	2,997 34
Harness and repairs.....	3,734 61
Gas.....	7,245 24
Fuel.....	4,727 14
Repairs to houses.....	10,495 90
Clothing.....	15,701 66
Fitting up offices and repair shop.....	25,200 00
Printing, stationery, supplies and incidentals...	9,383 67
Balances merging.....	929 11
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	\$519,291 53
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SUMMARY OF EXPENDITURES.

Office.

Paid—	
Services.....	\$10,800 00
Apparatus.....	2,900 00
Feed.....	703 00
Shoeing, &c.....	120 00
Rent.....	800 00
Gas.....	142 02
Fuel for house.....	47 16
Cleaning.....	395 00
Furniture, bedding, &c.....	1,036 27
Repairs and gas fixtures.....	644 46
Harness and repairs.....	142 55
Miscellaneous expenses and supplies.....	5,319 06
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	\$23,049 52
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Store House.

Paid—	
Services.....	\$1,538 71
Feed.....	175 00
Shoeing, &c.....	75 00
Rent.....	400 00
Fuel for engines.....	106 42
Fitting up, &c.....	230 26
Harness and repairs.....	75 00
Repairs to wagons.....	241 15
Miscellaneous expenses and supplies.....	202 31
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	\$3,043 85
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Repair Shop.

Paid—	
Services.....	\$1,200 00
Fuel.....	178 50
Alterations to building.....	18,700 00
Architect.....	500 00
Boiler.....	1,265 70
Engine.....	1,159 27
Shafting, belting, &c.....	352 32
Tools.....	1,704 77
Brickwork.....	421 44
Gas fitting and plumbing.....	218 20
Carpenter work.....	195 78
Wire guards.....	104 65
Painting.....	39 50
Repairs to apparatus.....	58 00
Miscellaneous expenses and supplies.....	179 18
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	\$26,277 31
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Department Stable.

Paid—	
Services.....	\$999 95
Feed.....	2,022 58
Shoeing, &c.....	809 76
Rent.....	1,120 00
Gas.....	142 02
Harness and repairs.....	136 60
Horses.....	300 00
Repairs.....	75 72
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	\$5,606 63
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Engine Company No. 1.

Paid for	
Services.....	\$9,549 84
Feed.....	486 50
Shoeing, &c.....	91 05
Gas.....	249 32
Fuel for house.....	61 11
Fuel for engine.....	106 86
Cleaning bunk room.....	120 00
Clothing.....	480 00
Hose and hose repairs.....	718 52
Furniture, bedding, &c.....	48 95
Repairs to house.....	2,808 85
Harness and repairs.....	137 35
Repairs of engine.....	70 03
Repairs of other apparatus.....	497 30
Miscellaneous expenses and supplies.....	143 82
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	\$15,569 50

Engine Company No. 2.

Paid for	
Services.....	\$9,529 67
Feed.. ..	562 14
Shoeing, &c.....	79 99
Rent.....	1,000 00
Gas.....	270 02
Fuel for house.....	71 12
Fuel for engine.....	135 12
Cleaning bunk room.....	120 00
Clothing.....	480 00
Hose and hose repairs.....	903 52
Furniture, bedding, &c.....	48 95
Repairs to house.....	59 42
Harness and repairs.....	100 10
Repairs of engine.....	266 68
Repairs of other apparatus.....	395 97
Miscellaneous expenses and supplies.....	126 19
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	\$14,148 89

Engine Company No. 3.

Paid for	
Services.....	\$9,504 38
Apparatus.....	60 00
Feed.....	450 87
Shoeing, &c.....	78 74
Gas	258 02
Fuel for house.....	48 38
Fuel for engine.....	122 01
Cleaning bunk room.....	130 00
Clothing	480 00
Hose and hose repairs.....	1,506 17
Furniture, bedding, &c.....	203 87
Repairs to house.....	241 53
Harness and repairs.....	103 12
Repairs of engine.....	239 71
Repairs of other apparatus.....	241 62
Miscellaneous expenses and supplies.....	159 72
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	\$13,828 14
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Engine Company No. 4.

Paid for	
Services	\$9,488 08
Apparatus	60 00
Feed.....	598 34
Shoeing, &c.....	112 49
Rent.....	700 00
Gas.....	183 08
Fuel for house.....	70 61
Fuel for engine.....	171 87
Cleaning bunk room.....	120 00
Clothing	476 66
Hose and hose repairs.....	900 32
Furniture, bedding, &c.....	75 50
Repairs to house.....	42 57
Harness and repairs.....	115 80
Horses	300 00
Repairs of engine.....	182 10
Repairs of other apparatus.....	413 80
Miscellaneous expenses and supplies.....	138 55
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	\$14,149 77
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Engine Company No. 5.

Paid for	
Services	\$9,549 84
Apparatus	505 00
Feed	642 70
Shoeing, &c.....	93 61
Gas.....	173 88
Fuel for house.....	37 67
Fuel for engine.....	95 17
Cleaning bunk room.....	138 00
Clothing.....	480 00
Hose and hose repairs.....	40 52
Furniture, bedding, &c.....	50 50
Repairs to house.....	1,326 76
Harness and repairs.....	136 80
Horses.....	300 00
Repairs of engine.....	111 45
Repairs of other apparatus.....	351 03
Miscellaneous expenses and supplies	154 49
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\$14,187 42	
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Engine Company No. 6.

Paid for	
Services.....	\$9,549 84
Feed.....	499 07
Shoeing, &c.....	96 12
Rent.....	500 00
Gas.....	240 18
Fuel for house.....	49 16
Fuel for engine.....	123 16
Cleaning bunk room.....	123 00
Clothing.....	480 00
Hose and hose repairs.....	81 77
Furniture, bedding, &c.....	49 50
Repairs to house.....	89 40
Harness and repairs.....	71 85
Horses.....	600 00
Repairs of engine.....	592 17
Repairs of other apparatus.....	312 67
Miscellaneous expenses and supplies.....	170 91
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\$13,628 80	
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Engine Company No. 7.

Paid for	
Services.....	\$7,876 45
Apparatus	505 00
Feed.....	420 54
Shoeing, &c.....	52 08
Rent.....	700 00
Gas.....	168 82
Fuel for house.....	36 75
Fuel for engine.....	58 98
Cleaning bunk room.....	120 00
Clothing.....	480 00
Hose and hose repairs.....	1,279 32
Furniture, bedding, &c.....	48 50
Repairs to house.....	3 15
Harness and repairs.....	140 85
Repairs of engine.....	1,008 65
Repairs of other apparatus.....	123 77
Miscellaneous expenses and supplies.....	135 47
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	\$13,458 33

Engine Company No. 8.

Paid for	
Services.....	\$9,549 84
Apparatus.....	60 00
Feed.....	518 63
Shoeing, &c.....	114 02
Gas.....	240 81
Fuel for house.....	39 85
Fuel for engine.....	84 84
Cleaning bunk room.....	130 75
Clothing.....	480 00
Hose and hose repairs.....	893 32
Furniture, bedding, &c.....	58 25
Repairs to house.....	3,811 67
Harness and repairs.....	97 00
Horses.....	300 00
Repairs of engine.....	318 40
Repairs of other apparatus.....	272 65
Miscellaneous expenses and supplies.....	174 96
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	\$17,144 99

Engine Company No. 9.

Paid for

Services.....	\$7,989 82
Apparatus.....	505 00
Feed.....	427 52
Shoeing, &c.....	63 45
Rent.....	500 00
Gas.....	129 03
Fuel for house.....	30 73
Fuel for engine.....	67 22
Cleaning bunk room.....	120 00
Clothing.....	480 00
Hose and hose repairs.....	1,274 31
Furniture, bedding, &c.....	77 25
Repairs to house.....	17 08
Harness and repairs.....	62 40
Horses.....	300 00
Repairs of engine.....	2 75
Repairs of other apparatus.....	39 12
Miscellaneous expenses and supplies.....	131 57
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	\$12,217 25
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Engine Company No. 10.

Paid for

Services.....	\$9,549 84
Feed	517 64
Shoeing, &c.....	96 98
Rent.....	1,000 00
Gas.....	429 80
Fuel for house.....	55 31
Fuel for engine.....	100 30
Cleaning bunk room.....	135 00
Clothing.....	480 00
Hose and hose repairs.....	59 51
Furniture, bedding, &c.....	22 50
Repairs to house.....	24 19
Harness and repairs.....	75 65
Horses.....	300 00
Repairs of engine.....	617 35
Repairs of other apparatus.....	545 87
Miscellaneous expenses and supplies.....	187 75
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	\$14,197 69
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Engine Company No. 11.

Paid for	
Services.....	\$9,488 00
Apparatus	60 00
Feed.....	382 19
Shoeing, &c.....	99 95
Rent.....	800 00
Gas.....	150 97
Fuel for house.....	55 64
Fuel for engine.....	79 16
Cleaning bunk room.....	120 00
Clothing	480 00
Hose and hose repairs.....	47 51
Furniture, bedding, &c.....	22 50
Repairs to house.....	6 77
Harness and repairs.....	99 68
Horses.....	600 00
Repairs of engine.....	559 65
Repairs of other apparatus.....	650 10
Miscellaneous expenses and supplies.....	144 66
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	\$13,846 80

Engine Company No. 12.

Paid for	
Services.....	\$7,959 84
Apparatus	505 00
Feed	621 62
Shoeing, &c.....	71 12
Rent.....	632 00
Gas.....	120 06
Fuel for house.....	52 41
Fuel for engine.....	64 91
Cleaning bunk room.....	120 00
Clothing.....	480 00
Hose and hose repairs.....	1,256 31
Furniture, bedding, &c.....	49 50
Harness and repairs.....	54 85
Repairs of engine.....	540 11
Repairs of other apparatus.....	7 50
Miscellaneous expenses and supplies.....	134 72
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	\$12,669 95

Engine Company No. 13.

Paid for	
Services.....	\$9,482 62
Apparatus.....	60 00
Feed.....	546 55
Shoeing, &c.....	107 99
Rent.....	1,000 00
Gas.....	216 66
Fuel for house.....	55 30
Fuel for engine.....	147 56
Cleaning bunk room.....	120 00
Clothing.....	480 00
Hose and hose repairs.....	97 76
Furniture, bedding, &c.....	48 94
Repairs to house.....	17 85
Harness and repairs.....	181 80
Horses.....	300 00
Repairs of engine.....	258 57
Repairs of other apparatus.....	210 20
Miscellaneous expenses and supplies.....	178 21
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	\$13,510 01
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Engine Company No. 14.

Paid for	
Services.....	\$7,989 84
Apparatus.....	505 00
Feed.....	679 22
Shoeing, &c.....	99 08
Gas.....	216 20
Fuel for house.....	39 65
Fuel for engine.....	45 40
Cleaning bunk room.....	120 00
Clothing.....	480 00
Hose and hose repairs.....	1,274 31
Furniture, bedding, &c.....	50 14
Repairs to house.....	166 57
Harness and repairs.....	167 34
Horses.....	1,200 00
Repairs of engine.....	957 42
Repairs of other apparatus.....	291 18
Miscellaneous expenses and supplies.....	140 69
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	\$14,422 04
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Engine Company No. 15.

Paid for	
Services.....	\$9,549 84
Apparatus.....	60 00
Feed.....	547 98
Shoeing, &c.....	97 03
Rent.....	404 44
Gas.....	290 95
Fuel for house.....	52 10
Fuel for engine.....	86 10
Cleaning bunk room.....	121 00
Clothing.....	480 00
Hose and hose repairs.....	809 71
Furniture, bedding, &c.....	82 94
Repairs to house.....	20 73
Harness and repairs.....	77 20
Repairs of engine.....	263 52
Repairs of other apparatus.....	529 80
Miscellaneous expenses and supplies.....	155 16
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	\$13,628 50

Engine Company No. 16.

Paid for	
Services.....	\$9,545 67
Apparatus.....	505 00
Feed.....	797 40
Shoeing, &c.....	62 25
Rent.....	450 00
Gas.....	84 41
Fuel for house.....	24 78
Fuel for engine.....	57 77
Cleaning bunk room.....	120 00
Clothing.....	480 00
Hose and hose repairs.....	36 01
Furniture, bedding, &c.....	48 50
Repairs to house.....	19 28
Harness and repairs.....	158 87
Horses.....	300 00
Repairs of engine.....	46 78
Repairs of other apparatus.....	44 90
Miscellaneous expenses and supplies.....	136 23
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	\$12,917 85

Engine Company No. 17.

Paid for	
Services.....	\$9,527 52
Apparatus.....	60 00
Feed.....	486 33
Shoeing, &c.....	115 95
Rent.....	500 00
Gas.....	186 00
Fuel for house.....	71 05
Fuel for engine.....	116 55
Cleaning bunk room.....	144 50
Clothing.....	480 00
Hose and hose repairs.....	1,609 76
Furniture, bedding, &c.....	22 50
Repairs to house.....	61 56
Harness and repairs.....	85 10
Horses.....	300 00
Repairs of engine.....	598 56
Repairs of other apparatus.....	520 35
Miscellaneous expenses and supplies.....	185 27
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	\$15,071 00
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Engine Company No. 18.

Paid for	
Services.....	\$9,549 84
Feed.....	467 25
Shoeing, &c.....	64 65
Rent.....	718 33
Gas.....	394 00
Fuel for house.....	61 92
Fuel for engine.....	112 17
Cleaning bunk room.....	120 00
Clothing.....	480 00
Hose and hose repairs.....	99 26
Furniture, bedding, &c.....	22 50
Repairs to house.....	23 69
Harness and repairs.....	148 85
Horses.....	300 00
Repairs of engine.....	754 90
Repairs of other apparatus.....	106 75
Miscellaneous expenses and supplies.....	169 56
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	\$13,593 67
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*Appendix to the Journal**Engine Company No. 19.*

Paid for	
Services.....	\$7,989 82
Apparatus.....	505 00
Feed.....	590 55
Shoeing, &c.....	70 61
Rent.....	850 00
Gas.....	164 00
Fuel for house.....	49 16
Fuel for engine.....	49 16
Cleaning bunk room.....	120 00
Clothing.....	470 00
Hose and hose repairs.....	1,270 56
Furniture, bedding, &c.....	46 00
Repairs to house.....	23 26
Harness and repairs.....	69 00
Horses.....	600 00
Repairs of engine.....	16 66
Repairs of other apparatus.....	234 65
Miscellaneous expenses and supplies.....	138 22
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\$13,256 65	
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Engine Company No. 20.

Paid for	
Services.....	\$9,466 51
Feed.....	498 28
Shoeing.....	139 98
Rent.....	1,250 00
Gas.....	195 01
Fuel for house.....	55 66
Fuel for engine.....	123 41
Cleaning bunk room.....	123 00
Clothing.....	480 00
Hose and hose repairs.....	1,635 20
Furniture, bedding, &c.....	79 69
Repairs to house.....	48 00
Harness and repairs.....	156 00
Horses.....	300 00
Repairs of engine.....	358 51
Repairs of other apparatus.....	590 87
Miscellaneous expenses and supplies.....	160 90
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\$15,661 02	
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Engine Company No. 21.

Paid for	
Services.....	\$9,549 84
Apparatus	60 00
Feed.....	801 97
Shoeing, &c.....	80 48
Rent.....	649 00
Gas.....	193 71
Fuel for house.....	55 71
Fuel for engine.....	99 70
Cleaning bunk room.....	126 25
Clothing.....	480 00
Hose and hose repairs.....	884 76
Furniture, bedding, &c.....	22 50
Harness and repairs.....	172 05
Repairs of engine.....	1,239 78
Repairs of other apparatus.....	892 06
Miscellaneous expenses and supplies.....	175 46
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	\$15,483 27
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Engine Company No. 22.

Paid for	
Services.....	\$9,527 62
Apparatus	60 00
Feed.....	504 24
Shoeing, &c.....	111 10
Gas	252 54
Fuel for house.....	55 19
Fuel for engine.....	122 19
Cleaning bunk room.....	124 00
Clothing	480 00
Hose and hose repairs.....	1,217 43
Furniture, bedding, &c.....	41 50
Repairs to house.....	297 92
Harness and repairs.....	133 95
Horses	300 00
Repairs of engine.....	351 95
Repairs of other apparatus.....	548 52
Miscellaneous expenses and supplies.....	152 57
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	\$14,280 72
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Engine Company No. 23.

Paid for	
Services.....	\$9,549 84
Feed	581 44
Shoeing, &c.....	87 54
Rent	1,000 00
Gas... ..	219 65
Fuel for house.....	64 43
Fuel for engine.....	84 67
Cleaning bunk room.....	120 00
Clothing.....	480 00
Hose and hose repairs.	1,476 61
Furniture, bedding, &c.....	62 44
Repairs to houses.....	14 34
Harness and repairs.....	72 30
Horses.....	300 00
Repairs of engine.....	1,303 46
Repairs of other apparatus.....	597 46
Miscellaneous expenses and supplies.....	128 69
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\$16,142 87	
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Engine Company No. 24.

Paid for	
Services.....	\$9,453 27
Feed.....	540 95
Shoeing, &c.....	92 86
Rent.....	500 00
Gas.....	83 95
Fuel for house.....	42 82
Fuel for engine.....	63 82
Cleaning bunk room.....	123 00
Clothing.....	480 00
Hose and hose repairs.....	34 51
Furniture, bedding, &c.....	61 69
Repairs to house.....	20 27
Harness and repairs.....	73 05
Horses.....	600 00
Repairs of engine.....	350 05
Repairs of other apparatus.....	676 88
Miscellaneous expenses and supplies.....	143 46
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\$13,340 58	
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Engine Company No. 25.

Paid for	
Services.....	\$9,549 84
Feed	594 09
Shoeing, &c.....	96 50
Rent	800 00
Gas	250 47
Fuel for house.....	49 55
Fuel for engine.....	98 80
Cleaning bunk room.....	120 00
Clothing.....	480 00
Hose and hose repairs.....	895 46
Furniture, bedding, &c.....	48 94
Harness and repairs.....	65 25
Horses.....	300 00
Repairs of engine.....	245 45
Repairs of other apparatus.....	431 05
Miscellaneous expenses and supplies.....	154 57
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Engine Company No. 26.

Paid for	
Services.....	\$9,508 16
Apparatus	60 00
Feed.....	612 26
Shoeing, &c.....	133 79
Rent.....	800 00
Gas.....	375 16
Fuel for house.....	70 57
Fuel for engine.....	181 07
Cleaning bunk room.....	130 00
Clothing.....	480 00
Hose and hose repairs.....	1,542 86
Furniture, bedding, &c.....	79 50
Repairs to house.....	24 24
Harness and repairs.....	105 40
Horses.....	1,175 00
Repairs of engine.....	505 61
Repairs of other apparatus.....	622 45
Miscellaneous expenses and supplies.....	146 58
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	\$16,552 65
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Engine Company No. 27.

Paid for	
Services	\$9,529 67
Feed	482 84
Shoeing, &c.....	65 20
Rent.....	700 00
Gas	160 00
Fuel for house.....	21 61
Fuel for engines.....	53 11
Cleaning bunk room.....	120 09
Clothing.....	480 00
Hose and hose repairs.....	87 26
Furniture, bedding, &c.....	48 94
Harness and repairs.....	75 60
Horses	300 00
Repairs of engine.....	214 75
Repairs of other apparatus.....	396 86
Miscellaneous expenses and supplies.....	130 92
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	\$12,866 76
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Truck Company A.

Paid for	
Services.....	\$9,987 86
Feed.....	402 45
Shoeing, &c.....	139 50
Gas.....	284 28
Fuel for house.....	80 29
Cleaning bunk room.....	120 00
Clothing.....	520 00
Furniture, bedding, &c.....	48 95
Repairs to house.....	23 21
Harness and repairs.....	68 25
Horses	300 00
Repairs of truck.....	1,406 94
Miscellaneous expenses and supplies.....	118 71
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	\$13,500 44
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Truck Company B.

Paid for	
Services.....	\$9,971 72
Feed.....	394 09
Shoeing, &c.....	81 88
Rent.....	1,000 00
Gas.....	232 41
Fuel for house.....	85 96
Cleaning bunk room.....	126 50
Clothing.....	520 00
Furniture, bedding, &c.....	52 83
Repairs to house.....	38 42
Harness and repairs.....	68 00
Horses.....	300 00
Repairs to truck.....	527 41
Miscellaneous expenses and supplies.....	116 26
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	\$13,515 48
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Truck Company C.

Paid for	
Services.....	\$9,965 19
Feed.....	295 15
Shoeing, &c.....	77 09
Rent.....	800 00
Fuel for house.....	11 90
Cleaning bunk room.....	120 00
Clothing	520 00
Furniture, bedding, &c.....	48 94
Repairs to houses.....	110 65
Harness and repairs.....	115 75
Horses.....	300 00
Repairs to truck.....	227 04
Miscellaneous expenses and supplies.....	100 45
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	\$12,692 14
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Truck Company D.

Paid for	
Services	\$9,979 80
Apparatus	2,284 00
Feed	407 16
Shoeing.....	120 00
Gas.....	258 01
Fuel for house.....	48 38
Cleaning bunk room.....	130 00
Clothing	515 00
Furniture, bedding, &c.....	203 87
Repairs to house.....	818 17
Harness and repairs.....	124 20
Repairs of truck.....	510 60
Miscellaneous expenses and supplies.....	137 66
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	\$15,536 85
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Truck Company E.

Paid for	
Services.....	\$9,999 96
Feed	340 93
Shoeing, &c.....	76 46
Rent.....	650 00
Gas.....	208 15
Fuel for house.....	61 84
Cleaning bunk room.....	136 25
Clothing	520 00
Furniture, bedding, &c.....	83 99
Harness and repairs.....	67 05
Repairs to truck.....	679 80
Miscellaneous expenses and supplies.....	131 62
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	\$12,956 05
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Hand Engine "A," Chestnut Hill.

Paid for	
Services.....	\$600 00
Rent.....	450 00
Gas.....	24 15
Fuel for house.....	47 60
Clothing	40 00
Miscellaneous expenses and supplies.....	11 21
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	\$1,172 96
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Hand Engine "B," Roxborough.

Paid for	
Services.....	\$600 00
Rent.....	350 00
Gas.....	57 50
Fuel for house.....	17 85
Clothing	40 00
Miscellaneous expenses and supplies.....	26 11
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	\$1,091 46
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Hand Engine "C," Kingsessing.

Paid for	
Services.....	\$600 00
Rent.....	300 00
Fuel for house.....	11 90
Clothing	40 00
Miscellaneous expenses and supplies.....	17 86
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	\$969 76
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Hand Engine "D," Bridesburg.

Paid for	
Services.....	\$600 00
Rent.....	258 32
Clothing	40 00
Miscellaneous expenses and supplies.....	14 25
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	\$912 57
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Spare Apparatus.

Paid for	
Repairs of sub engine No. 1.....	\$930 78
Repairs of sub-engine No. 2.....	660 40
Repairs of sub-engine No. 3.....	241 62
Repairs of sub-engine No. 4.....	534 25
Repairs of sub-engine No. 5.....	497 63
Repairs of sub engine No. 6.....	500 34
Repairs of sub-engine No. 7	98 10
Repairs of sub-hose carts.....	603 95
Repairs of sub-hose and ladder truck.....	70 60
Repairs of fuel wagon.....	51 95
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	\$4,189 62
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Recapitulation of Expenditures to Companies.

Office.....	\$23,049 52
Storehouse.....	3,043 85
Repair shop.....	26,277 31
Department stable.....	5,606 63
Engine Company No. 1	15,569 50
Engine Company No. 2.....	14,148 89
Engine Company No. 3	13,828 14
Engine Company No. 4.....	14,149 77
Engine Company No. 5.....	14,187 42
Engine Company No. 6.....	13,628 80
Engine Company No. 7.....	13,458 33
Engine Company No. 8.....	17,144 99
Engine Company No. 9.....	12,217 25
Engine Company No. 10	14,197 69
Engine Company No. 11.....	13,846 80
Engine Company No. 12.....	12,669 95
Engine Company No. 13.....	13,510 01
Engine Company No. 14.....	14,422 04
Engine Company No. 15.....	13,628 50
Engine Company No. 16.....	12,917 85
Engine Company No. 17.....	15,071 00
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Amount carried forward.....	\$296,574 24

Amount brought forward.....	\$296,574	24
Engine Company No. 18.....	13,593	67
Engine Company No. 19.....	13,256	65
Engine Company No. 20.....	15,661	02
Engine Company No. 21.....	15,483	27
Engine Company No. 22.....	14,280	72
Engine Company No. 23.....	16,142	87
Engine Company No. 24.....	13,340	58
Engine Company No. 25.....	14,179	97
Engine Company No. 26.....	16,552	65
Engine Company No. 27.....	12,866	76
Truck Company A.....	13,500	44
Truck Company B.....	13,515	48
Truck Company C.....	12,692	14
Truck Company D.....	15,536	85
Truck Company E.....	12,956	05
Hand Engine A.....	1,172	96
Hand Engine B.....	1,091	46
Hand Engine C.....	969	76
Hand Engine D.....	912	57
Spare Apparatus.....	4,189	62
	<u>\$518,469</u>	<u>73</u>

RECAPITULATION.

Net appropriation, December 30th, 1873.....	\$519,291	53
Stock in storehouse, January 1st, 1874.....	1,796	34
	<u>\$521,087</u>	<u>87</u>
Expenditures to Companies, &c.....	\$518,469	73
Stock in storehouse, January 1st, 1875.....	1,689	03
Balances merging.....	929	11
	<u>\$521,087</u>	<u>87</u>

FIRE LOAN.

Brought forward from 1873.....	\$9,550 00
Appropriation, November 22, 1873.....	2,000 00
Appropriation, November 22, 1873.....	2,933 00
Appropriation, December 28, 1873.....	8,000 00
Appropriation, March 7, 1874.....	9,800 00
Appropriation, April 6, 1874.....	5,400 00
Appropriation, July 17, 1874.....	992 00
Appropriation, October 8, 1874.....	8,000 00
Appropriation, October 8, 1874.....	11,040 00
Appropriation, October 8, 1874.....	12,030 00
Appropriation, December 2, 1874.....	6,000 00
Appropriation, December 15, 1874.....	8,717 00
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	\$84,462 00
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Expenditures.

Henry B. Leskie.....	\$18,692 00
Taylor Hose Company.....	9,800 00
Hibernia Fire Company.....	8,000 00
Spring Garden Fire Company.....	8,000 00
Francis M. Jellett.....	7,066 80
Decatur Fire Company.....	6,000 00
Gotlieb Kurtz.....	5,400 00
Wm. L. Goldey.....	2,933 00
Joseph S. Allen.....	2,000 00
John K. Yarnall.....	250 00
Balance to forward.....	16,320 20
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	\$84,462 00
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Report of Chief Engineer.

PHILADELPHIA, January 1, 1875.

To the President and Members of the
Philadelphia Fire Commission :

GENTLEMEN:—In accordance with the requirements of the 11th section of the Ordinance approved on the 29th of December, 1870, creating and reorganizing the Fire Department of the City of Philadelphia, I have the honor to submit this the fourth annual report of the present condition and efficiency of the department in my charge, embracing a statement in detail of the number of fires, and the causes of such fires, the losses and insurances for the year, as near as has been possible to obtain them; also, a full and complete list of all the employees attached to the department, with their names, rank, age, residence and occupation, with a schedule of property held in charge by the different companies on the first day of January, 1875.

The department as now organized, consists of—

One chief engineer.

Five assistant engineers.

Twenty-seven foremen of engine companies.

Five foremen of hook and ladder companies.

Twenty-seven engineers of companies.

Twenty-seven firemen or stokers of companies.

Thirty-two drivers of companies.

Five tillermen of hook and ladder companies.

Eight temporary hosemen.

One hundred and ninety-eight permanent hosemen.

Sixty permanent hook and laddermen.

They are divided into thirty-two companies, as follows:

Twenty-seven steam engine companies, five hook and ladder companies, with addition of hose and hose carriage at each station.

There is also a hand engine, hose, hose carriage and all the necessary equipments at each of the following rural stations: Chestnut Hill, Roxborough, Kingsessing and Bridesburg.

There is also a hook and ladder truck at steam engine stations 12, 14 and 19, which are used in their immediate neighborhood.

There are also in the department seven steam engines and one hook and ladder truck used as substitutes.

Hose.

There is in use at stations forty-four thousand feet of rubber hose ; also, five thousand feet of linen hose, rubber lined, all with the Jones patent coupling.

Fuel Wagons.

There are six fuel wagons in the department, each capable of carrying one ton of engine coal, and one-half cord of wood, to be used in case of large fires, when more fuel is required than is carried by the engines.

One stationed at head-quarters, No. 1328 Race street.

One stationed at station No. 10, No. 1505 Moyamensing avenue.

One stationed at storehouse, No. 214 Pine street.

One stationed at station "E," corner of Twentieth and Hand streets.

One stationed at station No. 6, No. 134 Allen street.

One stationed at station "C," corner of Norris and Sepviva streets.

Fires.

The accompanying statement shows that the whole number of fires during the year was five hundred and ninety-two (592), with a loss of property estimated at seven hundred and fifty-four thousand six hundred and eighty-eight (754,688) dollars, which by a comparison with the previous year, shows a decrease of twenty-eight (28) fires, and a decreased loss to property of one hundred and eighty-three thousand seven hundred and ninety-two (183,792) dollars. The losses, as near as could be ascertained, are covered by insurances amounting to four million one hundred and eighty-four thousand seven hundred and seventy-two (4,184,772) dollars.

Deaths.

Total number of deaths in the department during the year 1874, have been four (4).

Accidents.

Total amount of accidents during the year, twenty-nine (29).

Deaths and Accidents.

It becomes my painful duty to record the deaths of and accidents to the following members, while in the discharge of their duties.

Deaths.

John A. Mecke, foreman of Engine Co. No. 13, June 17th, cause of death, consumption.

John W. Ege, foreman of Engine Co. No. 20, December 23d, cause of death, consumption.

George Devitt, hoseman attached to Engine Co. No. 3, killed by the falling of a wall at the burning of the Olympic Theatre, Market street, below Thirteenth, January 29th.

Charles O'Neill, hoseman attached to Engine Co. No. 4, killed by falling walls, same fire, time and place as above.

The fate of our associates, hosemen Geo. Devitt, of station No. 3, and Charles O'Neill, of station No. 4, who perished during their efforts at the disastrous fire of the Olympic Theatre, Market street, below Thirteenth, on the night of January 29th, I recall with sorrowful emotions. We mourn for them as firemen, as fellow-citizens, as friends and brothers. In their relations to the public as firemen, they displayed a loyalty that was ready to sacrifice their lives, if need be, in the faithful discharge of their responsible duties.

Accidents.

The following is a record of accidents that have occurred during the year:

Chief Engineer Wm. H. Johnson received compound fracture of right leg, caused by the slipping of a ladder at fire at McKean's sugar house, Lagrange street, below Third. Alarm from box 65, January 4th.

Assistant Engineer J. H. Stephens had his hand badly cut, caused by the breaking of skylight. Alarm from box 142, July 4th.

Assistant Engineer James C. Baxter, badly bruised about the head and body by being thrown from his carriage while proceeding to an alarm from box 282, November 9th.

Norman C. Ash, driver; Henry C. Hicks, fireman and

hoseman; Wm. B. Hetrick, Lorenzo C. Bitters, Joseph L. Fox, George K. Williamson, George W. Mervine, attached to Engine Company No. 2, slightly injured by the upsetting of hose cart while proceeding to an alarm of fire from box 237, March 12th.

Hugh McClintock, foreman of Engine Company No. 4, badly injured about the head and body, left hand severely burnt, caused by being caught under a falling wall at fire, Olympic Theatre. Alarm from Box 78, January 29th.

James P. Love, hoseman attached to Engine Company No. 4, had his hip dislocated, also badly cut about the head at same fire, time and place as above.

Ellwood Henecks, hoseman attached to Engine Company No. 4, severely burnt about the body and legs, and caused at the same time, fire and place as above

Daniel O'Neill, hoseman attached to Engine Company No. 4, was badly wounded about the head, face and body, at the same fire, time and place as above.

Wm. Tyson, hoseman attached to Engine Company No. 6, sprained his ankle at fire. Alarm from box 74, July 5th.

Wm. McNamara, hoseman attached to Engine Company No. 8, slightly injured by falling off of shed at fire. Alarm from box 43, April 29th.

Charles Reynolds, driver attached to Engine Company No. 10, severely injured by being kicked by horse at fire. Alarm from box 142, July 1st.

Wm. McCay, driver attached to Engine Company No. 15, severely injured by being thrown from his seat while proceeding to an alarm of fire from box 49, March 13th.

Jeremiah Mahoney, hoseman attached to Engine Company No. 15, slightly injured by being thrown from hose cart while proceeding to alarm from box 81, November 3d.

James McGauhey, foreman of Engine Company No. 17, received slight injuries, caused by the falling of a shed. Alarm from box 234, June 16th.

Wm. Westcott, engineer attached to Engine Company No. 17, back badly injured, caused by breaking of axle of engine while proceeding to alarm from box 3, June 22d.

Thomas H. Ball, hoseman attached to Engine Company

No. 17, badly injured by being thrown from hose cart, and being run over while proceeding to alarm from box 83, December 25th.

Lewis C. Lindsay, hoseman attached to Engine Company No. 20, received severe injuries to hand by being caught in the machinery of engine at fire. Alarm from box 65, January 4th.

Michael Doyle, hoseman attached to Engine Company No. 20, received injury to cap of knee by being thrown from hose cart while proceeding to local alarm of fire, at 927 Morgan street, January 12th.

Wm. Barr, ladderman attached to Truck Company A, received slight injuries by falling off of truck while proceeding to an alarm of fire from box 232, May 8th.

John Roats, ladderman attached to Truck Company C, received severe sprain of the ankle by being thrown from hose cart No. 25, on which he was riding, while proceeding to an alarm of fire. Alarm from box 172, November 2d.

Wm. C. Gibson, tillerman, and Samuel McKillan, ladderman, attached to Truck Company D, received slight injuries, caused by the breaking of an axle of truck while proceeding to an alarm of fire from box 216, May 5th.

James Hanley, ladderman attached to Truck Company D, received slight injuries, caused by the breaking of axle of truck while proceeding to alarm from box 65, July 3d.

Oliver Exley, ladderman attached to Truck Company E, received severe cure in the foot with an axe, at fire Twenty-third and Simes streets. Alarm from box 138, September 1st.

Fire Escapes.

In considering the wants of this department, in order to promote the greater efficiency, I would ask the Commission and our City Councils to make some move to obtain combination-ladders or fire escapes, so that we could reach the roofs and windows of our large modern built stores and warehouses. They could be so arranged that they could be raised to an elevation of eighty feet or more in a few minutes' time. When in position every floor of a six-story building should be accessible from the ladder. The escape should be so arranged that people could be rescued

from the upper floors of all our large hotels and other buildings, and their passage to the street rendered safe. The demand for such an escape may be evident at our coming Centennial Celebration, when the City, and especially our large hotels, will be crowded to overflowing with valuable human lives. In addition, I deem it my duty to recommend to the City Councils that an Ordinance be passed compelling the owners of hotels, manufacturing establishments and workshops, where men and women are employed in the upper stories, to maintain permanent fire-escapes from their several buildings; said escapes to be approved by the building Inspectors of our City.

Conclusion.

To the officers and members of this department, I desire to return my heartfelt gratitude for the faithful and efficient manner in which they have discharged every duty assigned them the past year, and especially I mention the valuable services rendered by Assistant Engineer J. H. Stephens, who was the acting officer in command during the time of my serious accident.

I desire to return my sincere thanks to his Honor the Mayor, Wm. S. Stokley, Chief of Police Kennard H. Jones, Fire Marshal James Thompson, and the officers and men under their command, for the prompt assistance rendered this department in time of fire.

I also desire to acknowledge the valuable services rendered, and efficiency of the members of the Insurance Patrol in charge of Captain T. McCusker.

And to you, gentlemen of the Fire Commission, accept my heartfelt thanks for the uniform kindness invariably extended toward me in my official duties, trusting that my humble endeavors to carry out your views and orders have met with your approval, and that the department has fully realized the expectations of its friends and the public.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM H. JOHNSON,
Chief Engineer of Fire Department.

Record of Fires for the year 1874.

JANUARY.

January 1. At 2.05 P. M., box 82.

No. 605 Poplar street, three-story brick building, O. Staron's tailor store; cause, accident, sparks on roof, from chimney.

Companies attending, 2, 6, 13, 15, 21, 23, A and B. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Cress and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$400. Loss \$40.

Personal estate insurance \$800.

January 1. At 5.19 P. M., box 264.

Carpenter's lane, Germantown, brush heap; no occasion for pulling box.

Companies attending, 9, 19, 23 and F. Engineer attending, Assistant Baxter.

January 2. At 2.20 A. M., local.

Southeast corner Ninth and Locust streets, three-story brick building, S. M. Gibson's grocery store; cause, carelessness, lighting gas.

Company attending, 11. Foreman Toomey in command.

Real estate insurance \$5,000. Loss \$155.

Personal estate insurance \$4,000. Loss \$550.

January 2. At 9.32 A. M., local.

No. 1207 South Fourth street, three-story brick building, W. Sullivan's dwelling; cause, children playing with matches.

Company attending, 10. Foreman Patterson in command.

Real estate loss \$300.

January 2. At 7.16 P. M., box 157.

Duval street, west of Main street, Germantown, one-story frame building, D. Richardson's carpenter shop; cause, incendiary.

Companies attending, 9, 19, 23 and F. Assistant Engineer Baxter in command.

Real estate loss \$100.

Personal estate loss \$50.

January 3. At 7.41 P. M., box 263.

Woodbine avenue, Germantown, two-story frame building, Catholic Convent stable; cause, incendiary.

Companies attending, 9, 19, 23 and F. Engineer attending, Assistant Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$1,000. Loss \$1,600.

Personal estate loss \$400.

January 4. At 12.20 A. M., box 175.

Tucker and Bermuda streets, Whitehall, one-and-a-half story frame building, E. Monk's shovel works ; cause, incendiary.

Companies attending, 7, 14, 25 and H. Assistant Engineer Baxter in command.

Real estate insurance \$3,500. Loss \$2,800.

Personal estate insurance \$3,500. Loss \$2,500.

January 4. At 7.40 P. M., box 65.

La Grange place below Third street, seven-story brick building, McKean, Newhall & Borie's sugar refinery ; cause, unknown.

Companies attending, 3, 8, 17, 20, 21, 22, 26, B and D. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Stephens, Dankel, Cress, Mooney and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$21,400. Loss \$3,760.

Personal estate insurance \$62,814. Loss \$9,337.

Chief Engineer Johnson received a compound fracture of right leg at this fire, caused by slipping off a large ladder.

January 7. At 10.55 P. M., local.

Northwest corner Nineteenth and Pennsylvania avenue, two-story frame building, Fitzgerald & Flagg's iron works ; cause, wood work caught from furnace.

Companies attending, 18 and A.

Foreman Williams in command.

Real estate loss \$25.

January 8. At 1.15 P. M., box 325.

No. 1116 South Front street, two-story brick building, Mrs. Lingware's dwelling, cause ; foul chimney.

Companies attending, 3, 10, 11, 24, 26, D and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Dankel and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$400. Loss \$14.80.

Personal estate loss \$40.

January 8. At 6 P. M., local.

No. 2317 Fairmount avenue, three-story brick building, Thomas Burwood's dwelling, cause, gas burner.

Company, attending A. Foreman Nicholson in command.

Personal estate loss \$25.

January 10. At 2.15 P. M., box 228.

No. 731 Race street, four-story brick building, William Seifeldt, musical instrument maker ; cause, carelessness, candle left burning in cellar.

Companies attending, 8, 11, 13, 17, 20, 22, 26, A and B. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Dankel, Baxter, Cress and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$2,500. Loss \$21.52.

January 11. At 4.10 P. M., box 351.

False alarm ; no occasion for pulling the box.

Companies attending, 9, 19, 23 and F. Engineers attending, Assistant Baxter.

January 11. At 6.16 P. M., local.

No. 1109 Race street, three-story brick building, Mrs. Hoffman's dwelling ; cause, accident, upsetting of a coal oil lamp.

Company attending, 17. Foreman McGahey in command.

January 11. At 8.15 P. M., local.

No. 1103 Chestnut street, three-story brick building, Schomaker's piano rooms ; cause, defective heater.

Company, attending 20. Foreman Ege in command.

Real estate insurance \$6,000.

Personal estate insurance \$2,000.

January 12. At 3.40 A. M., local.

No. 1223 Vine street, three-story brick building, James Stell wagon's bakery ; cause, accident, defective flue.

Company attending, 17. Foreman McGahey in command.

Real estate insurance \$3,000. Loss \$155.

January 12. At 1.20 P. M., local.

No. 927 Morgan street, two-and-a-half-story brick building, Conway & Co.'s umbrella frame manufactory ; cause, carboy vitriol burst.

Company attending, 20. Foreman Ege in command.

January 12. At 3.58 P. M., box 312.

False alarm ; no occasion for pulling the box.

Companies attending, 1, 4, 5, 16, 17, 18, A and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Mooney and Stephens.

January 12. At 4.26 P. M., box 317.

Corner of Island and Darby roads, three-story stone building, Ogden's mill ; cause, caught from picker.

Companies attending, 4, 5, 16 and E. Assistant Engineer Mooney in command.

Real estate insurance \$10,000. Loss \$10,000.

Personal estate insurance \$27,199. Loss \$22,655.70.

January 13. At 9.30 A. M., local.

No. 3106 Market street, three-story brick building, J. Walker's hotel ; cause, carelessness, children playing with matches.

Company attending, 5. Foreman Wilson in command.

Personal estate loss \$50.

January 13. At 6.30 P. M., local.

Leiper street below Sellers, Frankford, one-story frame building W. H. Corson's printing office ; cause, unknown.

Company attending, 14. Foreman Comly in command.

January 14. At 11.50 A. M., box 325.

No. 108 Federal street, two-and-a-half story frame building, W. Flaherty's milk house and dwelling ; cause, carelessness, light.

Companies attending 3, 10, 11, 24, 26, D and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Dankel and Mooney.

January 15. At 2 A. M., box 156.

No. 109 Penn street, Manayunk, two-and-a-half story, rough-cast building, F. McLaughlin's dwelling ; cause, accident, child with candle.

Companies attending, 12, 19 and A. Assistant Engineer Cress in command.

Real estate loss \$100.

January 15. At 3.30 P. M., box 264.

Corner Reilley's alley and Johnson street, Germantown, two-story frame building, dwelling ; cause, carelessness, child playing with fire.

Companies attending, 9, 19, 23 and F. Assistant Engineer Baxter in command.

January 17. At 12.55 A. M., box 123.

No. 902 South Nineteenth street, three-story brick building, dwelling ; cause, carelessness, overheated stove.

Companies attending, 1, 4, 10, 11, 17, 24, A and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Dankel and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$1,000. Loss \$582.

Personal estate insurance \$800.

January 17. At 12.50 P. M., box 128.

No. 413 Cherry street, three-story brick building, B. F. Paulin's hat block manufactory ; cause, accident, sparks on roof.

Companies attending, 8, 13, 17, 20, 21, 22, 26, B and D. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Dankel, Cress, Mooney and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$2,000. Loss \$17.05.

January 19. At 9.25 A. M., local.

No. 1011 Charlotta street, three-story brick building, M. Merklings upholstery ; cause, accident, sparks from stove.

Company attending, 21. Foreman Souder in command.

Personal estate insurance \$2,000. Loss \$100.

January 20. At 4.10 A. M., box 165.

Southwest corner of Ninth and Reed streets, two-story frame building, Barnett & Brother's starch manufactory ; cause, unknown.

Companies attending, 3, 10, 11, 24, D and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Dankel and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$5,000. Loss \$1,340.

Personal estate insurance \$5,000. Loss \$1,274.80.

January 20. At 1.30 P. M., box 326.

False alarm; no occasion for pulling the box.

Companies attending, 3, 10, 11, 24, D and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Mooney.

January 22. At 5.35 A. M., box 246.

Richmond and Alleghany avenue, three-story frame building, Baeder & Adamson's glue works; cause, unknown.

Companies attending, 6, 7, 15, 21, 23, 25 and C., first alarm.

Companies attending, 2, 8, 13, 27 and B., second alarm. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Cress and Baxter.

Total insurance \$420,500. Loss \$34,000.

January 22. At 11.20 A. M., local.

Cumberland and Mascher streets, three-story stone building, public school house; cause, defective heater.

Company attending, 25. Foreman Humphreys in command.

January 24. At 10.32 A. M., box 4.

Rear of No. 612 South Front street, three two-story frame buildings, Robbins, Gartland & Gallagher's stables; cause, incendiary.

Companies attending, 1, 3, 8, 10, 11, 22, 26, B and D. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Dankel and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$2,000. Loss \$79.09.

Personal estate loss \$70.00.

January 24. At 7.25 P. M., local.

Rear of No. 612 South Front street, three-story brick building, William Wright's dwelling; cause, rekindling of fire-alarm from box 4.

Companies attending, 3, 22, 26 and D. Assistant Engineer Dankel in command.

January 24. At 9.05 P. M., box 128.

No. 407 Vine street, three-story brick building, dwelling house; cause, accident, explosion of coal oil lamp.

Companies attending, 8, 13, 17, 20, 21, 22, 26, B and D. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Dankel, Cress, Baxter and Mooney.

January 24. At 10.20 P. M., box 263.

Wayne street, below School street, Germantown, three-story stone building, Mrs. Collins' barn; cause, incendiary.

Companies attending, 9, 19, 23 and F. Assistant Engineer Baxter in command.

January 24. At 10.20 P. M., local.

Township line and School lane, Germantown, one-story stone building, Wm. Kilpatrick's barn ; cause, supposed incendiary Companies attending, 9, 19, 23 and F. Assistant Engineer Baxter in command.

Real estate loss \$1,200.

Personal estate loss \$600.

January 25. At 12.05 P. M., box 212.

No. 1540 South Sixth street, three-story brick building, W. Eldridge's dwelling ; cause, carelessness, matches in clothing.

Companies attending, 1, 3, 10, 11, 20, 24, D and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Dankel.

Personal estate loss \$150.

January 25. At 1.10 P. M., local.

No. 121 South Eleventh street, four-story brick building ; Brisler & Bro., gilt moulding manufactory ; cause, defective heater.

Company attending, 20. Foreman Ege in command.

January 25. At 8.40 P. M., local.

Southeast corner Twenty-first and Naudain, three-story brick building, James Heavey's grocery store ; cause, unknown.

Company attending, E. Foreman Young in command.

January 26. At 1.59 P. M., box 4.

Rear of Nos. 606 and 608 South Front street, three two-story frame buildings, J. Mooney's stables and J. Flanigan's carpenter shop ; cause, incendiary.

Companies attending, 1, 3, 8, 10, 11, 22, 26, B and D. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Dankel, Mooney, Cress and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$7,100. Loss \$880.32.

Personal estate insurance \$1,000. Loss \$290.

January 26. At 5.45 P. M., local.

No. 1940 Germantown avenue, one story frame building, John Kelly's shed ; cause, unknown.

Company attending, 23. Foreman Garman in command.

January 27. At 1 A. M., box 34.

No. 2120 Vine street, three-story brick building, dwelling house ; cause accidental, defective flue.

Companies attending, 1, 4, 13, 17, 18, 20, A and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Cress and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$3,000. Loss \$63.02.

Personal estate loss \$75.

January 27. At 3.05 P. M., local.

Nos. 920, 922, 924 Huntingdon street, two-story frame building, N.

M. Rhoades' chair factory ; cause, accident, sparks on roof.

Company attending, C. Foreman Kochersperger in command.

Real estate loss \$50.

January 27. At 8.15 P. M., local.

No. 6 Eden place, two-story brick building, Mrs. Ferrick's dwelling ; cause, unknown.

Company attending, 3. Foreman Senatz in command.

January 29. At 2.42 A. M., box 73.

Nos. 1224, 1226, and 1228 Market street, three-story brick building, Olympic Theatre ; cause, incendiary.

Companies attending, 1, 4, 11, 13, 17, 20, B and E, first alarm

Companies attending, 3, 8, 18, 22, 26 and A, second alarm.

Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Dankel, Cress, Mooney and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$69,150. Loss \$3,405.99.

Personal estate insurance \$121,450. Loss \$16,836.

January 29. At 7.40 A. M., local.

No. 1229 Albert street, two-story frame building, Mr. Jackson's stable ; cause, unknown.

Company attending, 24. Foreman Napier in command.

January 29. At 11.50 A. M., local.

No. 1303 Fairmount avenue, three-story brick building, Mrs. Quinn's dwelling ; cause, unknown.

Companies attending, 2, 13 and A. Foreman Nicholson in command.

Real estate insurance \$1,000. Loss \$25.

Personal estate loss \$150.

January 29. At 5.56 P. M., box 14.

No. 1127 Sansom street, two-story brick building, J. H. Moore's printing office ; cause, accident, paper caught from gas jet.

Companies attending, 1, 4, 11, 17, 20, 22, 26, D and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Dankel and Mooney.

Personal estate insurance \$10,000. Loss \$573.33.

Real estate loss \$100.

January 29. At 10.06 P. M., local,

No. 816 and 818 Filbert street, two-story brick building, Lyons &

Co.'s brass foundry ; cause, carelessness, hot ashes.

Company attending, 20. Foreman Ege in command.

Real estate insurance \$3,500. Loss \$20.

Personal estate insurance \$2,500. Loss \$100.

Summary of Insurance and Loss during January.

Real Estate	Insurance...\$357,200	Loss...\$43,833 79
Personal Estate	Insurance... 453,313	Loss... 72,827 28
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FEBRUARY.

February 1. At 10.28 A. M., box 157.

Rittenhouse and Main streets, Germantown, two-story brick building, R. Walsh's segar store and dwelling ; cause, carelessness, throwing match among rubbish.

Companies attending, 9, 19, 23 and F. Engineer attending, Assistant Baxter.

February 1. At 11.38 A. M., local.

No. 305 North Twelfth street, two-story brick building, Jas.

Cahill's coach factory ; cause, accident, overheated stove pipe.

Company attending, 17. Foreman McGahey in command.

Real estate insurance \$600.

Personal estate insurance \$300.

February 2. At 9.40 A. M., local.

No. 420 North Twentieth street, three-story brick building, R.

Hamilton's shoemaker shop ; cause roof caught from chimney.

Company attending, 18. Foreman Williams in command.

February 2. At 1.40 P. M., local.

No. 460 North Fourth street, three-story brick building, Mr. Massey's dwelling ; cause, accident, defective flue.

Company attending, B. Foreman Cooper in command.

Real estate insurance \$5,000. Loss \$155.

Personal estate insurance \$5,000. Loss \$230.

February 2. At 4.25 P. M., box 263.

Limekiln pike and Godfrey's avenue, Germantown, one-story stone building, Grieves' woollen mill; cause, unknown.

Companies attending, 9, 19, 23 and F. Assistant Engineer Baxter in command.

Real estate loss \$500.

February 3. At 1.50 A. M., local.

No 41 South Eleventh street, three-story brick building, Schofield's hotel; cause, defective flue.

Company attending, 20. Foreman Ege in command.

February 3. At 10 06 P. M., box 49.

No. 1442 North Fourth street, four-story brick building, M. Berg's weaving shop; cause, defective flue.

Companies attending, 2, 6, 15, 21, 23, 25, B and C. Engineers attending, Assistants Baxter and Stephens.

February 4. At 3.40 A. M., box 6.

False alarm; no occasion for pulling the box.

Companies attending, 1, 3, 10, 11, 24, 26, D and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Dankel.

February 4. At 5.15 P. M., box 49.

No. 1408 Cadwalader street, three-story brick building, J. White, carpet weaver; cause, carelessness, rags in loft.

Companies attending, 2, 6, 15, 21, 23, 25, B and C. Engineers attending, Assistants Baxter, Cress and Stephens.

Personal estate insurance \$835.

February 5. At 2.10 P. M., box 72.

Corner Twenty-first and Washington avenue, two-story brick building, M. Buggy's cotton mill; cause, accident, picker.

Companies attending, 1, 4, 10, 11, 17, 24, A and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Mooney and Cress.

Real estate insurance \$1,000. Loss \$400.

Personal estate loss \$400.

February 6. At 10.14 A. M., box 153.

Trenton avenue below Otis street, one-story frame building, James Cully's shoddy mill; cause, accident, boiler.

Companies attending, 6, 7, 15, 21, 23, 25, B and C. Engineers attending, Assistants Baxter and Stephens.

February 7. At 7.15 A. M., local.

No. 122 Pegg street, one-story brick building, Herman Wischman's cooper shop; cause, accident, furnace.

Company attending, 21. Foreman Souder in command.

Real estate insurance \$3,000. Loss \$75.

Personal estate insurance \$2,000.

February 8. At 2.03 A. M., box 42.

No. 9 North Front street, four-story brick building, J. S. & F. Elkinton's commission house ; cause, accident, cigar in spittoon. Companies attending, 3, 8, 17, 20, 21, 22, 26, B and D. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Dankel, Mooney and Baxter.

Personal estate insurance \$3,250.

February 9. At 10.36 A. M., local.

No. 207 Diamond street, three-story brick building, Mrs. Mulholland's dwelling ; cause, accident, stove pipe.

Companies attending, 23 and 25. Foreman Garman in command. Real estate insurance \$600. Loss \$85.

Personal estate loss \$200.

February 11. At 2 P. M., local.

No. 2032 Sansom street, three-story brick building, Thomas McGonigle's dwelling ; cause, unknown.

Company attending, 4. Foreman McClintock in command.

Real estate insurance \$1,500. Loss \$85.

February 11. At 2.15 P. M., local.

River road, Manayunk, one-story stone building, J. Schofield's cotton mill ; cause, accident, picker.

Company attending, 12. Foreman Rumney in command.

February 13. At 3.58 P. M., box 162.

Corner of Main and Adams street, Frankford, one-story frame building, W. Marshall's bobbin factory ; cause, accident, defective flue.

Companies attending, 7, 14, 25 and H. Assistant Engineer Baxter in command.

February 14. At 5.23 A. M., box 212.

No. 710 Enue street, three-story brick building, Welden & Newell's pottery ; cause, accident, wood in cellar.

Companies attending, 1, 3, 10, 11, 20, 24, D and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Dankel and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$2,500.

Personal estate insurance \$3,000.

February 14. At 9.55 P. M., local.

No. 2440 Kensington avenue, three-story brick building, Mary Milliken's dry goods store ; cause, accident, gas in window.

Company attending, 25. Foreman Humphreys in command.

Personal estate loss \$50.

February 16. At 7.50 P. M., box 264.

Main street, below Sharpnack street, Germantown, one-story stone building, Dunkard Church ; cause, wood in cellar.

Companies attending, 9, 19, 23 and F. Assistant Engineer Baxter in command.

February 17. At 4.43 A. M., box 282.

Frankford road above Hart lane, two-story brick building, D. Allen's dye house ; cause, unknown.

Companies attending, 6, 7, 15, 21, 23, 25, B and C. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$1,700. Loss \$700.

Personal estate insurance \$4,600. Loss \$350.

February 17. At 11 A. M., local.

Southeast corner of Ninth and Filbert streets, three-story brick building, M. Yost's bird cage factory ; cause, sparks from bonfire.

Company attending, 20. Foreman Ege in command.

February 17. At 4.45 P. M., box 356.

Southwest corner of Thirty-fifth and Bridge streets, two-story rough-cast building, First Presbyterian Church of Mantua ; cause, accident, defective flue.

Companies attending, 4, 5, 16, 18 and A. Engineers attending, Assistants Mooney and Stephens.

Real estate insurance \$10,000. Lost \$1,950.

February 17. At 7.25 P. M., local.

No. 1503 Ogden street, two-story brick building, Mr. Brennar's stable ; cause, carelessness, light.

Company attending, 13. Foreman Mecke in command.

February 18. At 6.18 P. M., box 226.

Nos. 1717, 1719, 1721 St. Joseph's avenue, two two-story brick buildings, McArdle & Joy's stables ; cause, carelessness, candle in hay loft.

Companies attending, 1, 4, 11, 13, 17, 20, A and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Mooney and Stephens.

Real estate insurance \$3,400. Loss \$741.

Personal estate insurance \$2,500. Loss \$232.

February 19. At 12.55 P. M., local.

No. 1434 North Second street, three-story brick building, unoccupied store and dwelling ; cause, foul chimney.

Company attending, 15. Foreman Snyder in command.

February 19. At 1.45 P. M., local.

Aramingo, three story stone building, Welsh & Son's cotton mill ; cause, heating of journal.

Companies attending, 7 and 14. Foreman Comly in command.

February 20. At 7.15 P. M., local.

No. 424 South Tenth street, three-and-a-half story brick building, Leberman & Co., soap and perfumery manufactory ; cause, carelessness, lighting gas.

Companies attending, 11 and 20. Foreman Toomey in command.

Real estate insurance \$4,000. Loss \$150.

Personal estate insurance \$14,500. Loss \$5,750.

February 20. At 10.32 P. M., box 234.

Nos. 433 and 435 York road, four-story brick building, Wm. S.

Stewart's morocco manufactory ; cause, fire in cellar.

Companies attending, 8, 13, 17, 20, 21, 22, 26, B and D. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Dankel, Baxter and Cress.

Real estate insurance \$5,000. Loss \$180.27.

Personal estate insurance \$20,000.

February 21. At 7.09 P. M., box 228.

No. 231 North Eighth street, two-story brick building, W. & G.

Angel's toy and furnishing store ; cause, supposed incendiary.

Companies attending, 8, 11, 13, 17, 20, 22, 26, A and B. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Dankel, Cress, Baxter and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$15,000. Loss \$530.

Personal estate insurance \$20,000. Loss \$6,989.13.

February 23. At 6.50 P. M., local.

No. 2023 Coral street, three-story brick building, Albert Lawrence, rag dealer ; cause, explosion of coal oil lamp.

Companies attending, 25 and C. Foreman Kochersperger in command.

February 24. At 2.15 P. M., local.

No. 1934 Lombard street, three-story brick building, Wm. J.

Ovens' dwelling ; cause, leak in gas meter.

Company attending, E. Foreman Young in command.

February 27. At 4.15 A. M., box 9.

No. 1307 Christian street, three-story brick building, J. P. Robb's dwelling ; cause, carelessness, throwing lighted paper under stairway.

Companies attending, 1, 10, 11, 17, 20, 24, D and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Dankel, Cress and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$1,400. Loss \$14.40.

Summary of Insurance and Loss during February.

Real Estate	Insurance....\$54,700	Loss....\$5,565 67
Personal Estate	Insurance.... 75,985	Loss....14,201 13
	<hr/> \$130,685	<hr/> \$19,766 80

MARCH.

March 1. At 5.45 A. M., local.

No. 544 North Second street, three and a-half story brick building,

Jos. E. Capewell, glassware ; cause, caught from range.

Company attending, 21. Foreman Souder in command.

Real estate insurance \$3,000. Loss \$52.89.

Personal estate loss \$50.

March 1. At 10 A. M., local.

No. 3713 Walnut street, three-story rough cast building, J. B.

Wilson's dwelling ; cause, defective flue.

Company attending, 5. Foreman Wilson in command.

March 3. At 11 A. M., local.

Wallace street, below Twenty-fourth street, wagon load of hay ;
cause, caught from sparks from stove pipe.

Companies attending, 18 and A. Foreman Williams in command.

March 4. At 9.18 A. M., box 7.

Whitney street, east of Eighth street, two-story frame building,

Thos. Hilden's stable ; cause, incendiary.

Companies attending, 1, 3, 10, 11, 20, 24, D and E. Engineers
attending, Assistants Dankel, Stephens and Mooney.

March 5. At 12 30 A. M., box 19.

Otsego street, below Morris street, three-story brick building, John
T. Bailey & Co.'s rope and twine factory ; cause, accident,
picker.

Companies attending, 1, 3, 11, 24, 26, D and E. Engineers at-
tending, Assistants Stephens, Dankel and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$5,000. Loss \$3,000.

Personal estate insurance \$14,000. Loss \$12,131.25.

March 5. At 6.45 P. M., box 147.

Rear of No. 241 East Thompson street, two-story frame building,

Mr. Easter's weaving shop ; cause, spontaneous combustion.

Companies attending, 2, 6, 15, 21, 23, 25, B and C. Engineers at-
tending, Assistants Stephens, Baxter and Cress.

Real estate insurance \$300.

Personal estate insurance \$700. Loss \$60.

March 5. At 10.30 P. M., local.

No. 237 South street, two-story frame building, Jas. Markland's
dry goods store ; cause, rubbish around gas meter.

Company attending, 26. Assistant Engineer Dankel in com-
mand.

Personal estate insurance \$6,000. Loss \$13.45.

March 5. At 11.20 P. M., local.

No. 2346 North Second street, three-story brick building, John Porter's blacksmith shop; cause, upsetting of a boiler of fat.
Company attending, 25. Foreman Humphreys in command.

March 6. At 11.15 A. M., local.

No. 427 South Twentieth street, three-story brick building, A. Hazlit's dwelling; cause, sparks from chimney.
Company attending, E. Foreman Young in command.

March 6. At 8.42 P. M., box 61.

No. 123 Poplar street, two-story frame building, F. Spelissy's hat manufactory; cause, spontaneous combustion.
Companies attending, 2, 6, 13, 15, 21, 23, 25, B and C. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Baxter and Cress.
Personal estate insurance \$4,200.

March 7. At 1.05 P. M., box 84.

No. 1233 North Sixteenth street, two-story brick building, P. A. Widener and Wm. L. Elkins' stable; cause, carelessness, overheated stove.
Companies attending, 2, 13, 18, 23, 27, A and B. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Mooney, Cress and Baxter.
Real estate insurance \$1,000. Loss \$2,020.
Personal estate loss \$6,000.

March 8. At 12.30 A. M., box 263.

Shoemaker lane and Germantown Railroad, two-story stone building, Thos. MacKellar's barn; cause, accident, stove.
Companies attending, 9, 19, 23 and F. Assistant Engineer Baxter in command.
Real estate insurance \$2,000. Loss \$2,000.
Personal estate loss \$1,200.

March 9. At 11.50 A. M., local.

No. 626 North Front street, three and a-half story brick building, F. Kraus' dwelling and tavern; cause, accident, clothes caught from stove.
Company attending, 21. Foreman Souder in command.

March 9. At 2.35 P. M., local.

Nos. 527 and 529 North Fifteenth street, two three-story brick buildings, Geo. Ellinger and M. Murphy's dwellings; cause, accident, sparks.
Companies attending, 13, 17 and A. Assistant Engineer Cress in command.
Real estate insurance \$1,500. Loss \$70.23.

March 10. At 2.30 A. M., local.

Southeast corner of Delancy place and Nineteenth street, four-story brick building, Mrs. George Mead's dwelling; cause, accident, foul chimney.

Company attending, E. Foreman Young in command.

March 10. At 8.35 A. M., box 251.

No. 104 Wister street, Germantown, three-story brick building, Geo. Riddell's dwelling; cause, unknown.

Companies attending, 9, 19, 23 and F. Assistant Engineer Baxter in command.

Real estate loss \$100.

March 10. At 12.20 P. M., local.

Rear of No. 109 Callowhill street, two-and-a-half story brick building, P. Mullen's dwelling; cause, accident, overheated stove.

Company attending, 21. Foreman Souder in command.

March 10. At 5.23 P. M., local.

No. 812 Swanson street, two-and-a-half story frame building, Lewis Burch's dwelling; cause, accident, sparks on roof.

Companies attending, 3 and D. Foreman Gampher, in command.

March 10. At 6.05 P. M., local.

No. 2023 North Eleventh street, three-story brick building, unfinished dwelling; cause, supposed incendiary.

Companies attending, 2 and 23. Foreman Garman in command.

Real estate insurance \$2,500. Loss \$371.

March 11. At 2.30 A. M., box 9.

No. 760 South Broad street, one-story brick and frame building, P. S. Reeve's brass foundry; cause, accident, furnace.

Companies attending, 1, 4, 10, 11, 17, 24, D and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Dankel and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$500. Loss \$500.

Personal estate insurance \$5,000. Loss \$2,222.46.

March 11. At 5.40 P. M., box 128.

Southeast corner of Sixth and North streets, three-story brick building, G. Geoke's shirt manufactory; cause, accident, sparks from smoke stack.

Companies attending, 8, 13, 17, 20, 21, 22, 26, B and D. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Dankel, Mooney, Cress and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$3,333. Loss \$6 37.

Personal estate insurance \$13,000.

March 11. At 11 P. M., local.

No. 1532 Summer street, three-story brick building, Mr. Wallace's dwelling ; cause, accident, stove.

Company attending, 17. Foreman McGahey in command.

March 12. At 1 P. M., box 251.

No. 104 Wistar street, Germantown, three story brick building, Geo. Riddell's bobbin shop ; cause wood on boiler.

Companies attending, 9, 19, 23 and F. Assistant Baxter in command.

March 12. At 4.28 P. M., box 237.

Nos. 318, 320, 322, 324, 326, 328 North Twenty-third street, six two-and-a-half-story brick buildings, dwelling houses ; cause, accident, sparks on roof.

Companies attending, 2, 14, 13, 17, 18, 27, A and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Cress and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$4,000. Loss \$1,071.

Personal estate insurance \$150. Loss \$128.25.

March 13. At 5.02 A. M., box 231.

No. 125 North Second street, three-story brick building, Wm. H. Hyde & Son's stove store ; cause carelessness, tinner's pot under bench.

Companies attending, 3, 8, 17, 20, 21, 22, 26, B and D. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Dankel and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$5,000. Loss \$351.96.

Personal estate insurance \$5,000. Loss \$1,100.

March 13. At 5.30 A. M., box 15.

No. 1109 Bainbridge street, two-story brick building, Wm. Patgold's stable ; cause, accident, horse kicked over a lamp.

Companies attending, 1, 3, 10, 11, 20, 24, D and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Dankel and Mooney.

March 13. At 6.17 A. M., box 49.

No. 1608 Cadwalader street, two-story brick building, T. H. Craig's shoddy mill ; cause, accident, gas burner.

Companies attending, 2, 6, 15, 21, 23, 25, B and C. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Baxter.

Personal estate insurance, \$3,000.

March 13. At 7.50 P. M., box 271.

Southwest corner Forty-first and Walnut streets, three-story brick building, Mrs. Lord's dwelling ; cause, accident, gas jet.

Companies attending, 4, 5, 16 and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$5,000.

Personal estate insurance \$2,500. Loss \$25.

March 13. At 9.15 P. M., local.

Twenty-fourth and Dauphin streets, two-story frame building, Emil Kohler's tannery ; cause, accident, stove.

Companies attending, 2, 23, 27 and A. Foreman Garman in command.

Real estate loss \$800.

Personal estate insurance \$3,000. Loss \$3,675.

March 14 At 10.8 A. M., box 162.

No. 4058 Frankford avenue, two-and-a-half-story frame building, E. Ogden dwelling ; cause, accident, sparks from adjoining mill.

Companies attending, 7, 14, 25 and H. Assistant Engineer Baxter in command.

Real estate insurance \$800. Loss \$5.51.

March 14. At 1.20 P. M., box 281

No. 2330 Emerald street, two-story brick building, J. Meadowcraft and Son's, shoddy mill ; cause, accident, carder.

Companies attending, 6, 7, 15, 21, 23, 25, B and C. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$4,000. Loss \$50.

Personal estate insurance \$12,000. Loss \$1,788.

March 15. At 12.20 A. M., box 151.

Thirty-fifth and Clearfield streets, three-story brick building, Wm. Elliott's dwelling ; cause, accident, bed caught from lamp.

Companies attending, 12, 13, 16, 19, 27 and A. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Baxter and Cress.

March 15. At 10.43 A. M., local.

Nos. 916 and 918 Filbert street, four-story brick building, Chas. Lippincott and Co.'s, soda fountain manufactory ; cause furnace.

Company attending, 20. Assistant Engineer Stephens in command.

Real estate insurance \$6,000.

Personal estate insurance \$25,000.

March 15. At 6.20 P. M., box 151.

False alarm ; no occasion for pulling the box.

Companies attending, 12, 13, 16, 19, 27 and A. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Cress and Baxter.

March 16. At 2.25 P. M., box 276.

Forty seventh and Lancaster avenue, one-story stone building, Catholic church ; cause, unusual smoke.

Companies attending, 4, 5, 16, 18 and A. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Mooney and Baxter.

March 17. At 1.20 A. M., local.

Holmesburg, two-story stone building, Methodist church ; cause, accident, stove.

Companies attending, 7 and 14. Foreman Comly in command.

Real estate insurance \$1,200. Loss \$2,000.

Personal estate loss \$400.

March 17. At 5.15 A. M., box 25.

Southwest corner of Seventh and Cherry, six-story brick building, Sherman & Co., printers ; cause, spontaneous combustion.

Companies attending, 8, 13, 17, 20, 22, 26, B and D. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Dankel and Cress.

Real estate insurance \$72,500. Loss \$850.

Personal estate insurance \$238,499.99. Loss \$17,576.48.

March 17. At 6.45 P. M., local.

No. 222 Christian street, two story frame building, A. S. Heitzelberg, restaurant and dwelling ; cause, accident, boiling over of kettle of fat.

Companies attending, 3, 10, 26 and D. Assistant Engineer Dankel in command.

Real estate insurance \$1,000.

Personal estate loss \$40.

March 18. At 2.30 A. M., local.

No. 8 Fetter lane, three-and-a-half-story brick building, Philip Crane, packing-box maker ; cause, incendiary.

Company attending, 8. Foreman Smith in command.

Personal estate insurance \$13,000.

March 19. At 1.35 A. M., box 152.

Nos. 1437 and 1439 Hutchinson street, two-story brick building, Insul & Davy's wagon spring works ; cause, accident, boiler.

Companies attending, 2, 6, 13, 15, 23, 27, A and C. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Cress, Baxter and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$3,700. Loss \$2,550.

Personal estate insurance \$11,350. Loss \$7,268.75.

March 19. At 6.40 P. M., box 153.

No. 517 East Dauphin street, three-story brick building, Wm. Hart's china store and dwelling ; cause, accident, matches.

Companies attending, 6, 7, 15, 21, 23, 25, B and C. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$800. Loss \$15.

Personal estate insurance \$1,000.

March 20. At 7.57, box 17.

Gray's Ferry road and Maiden lane, one-story frame building, Robinson & Pratt's ink works; cause, accident, boiling over of a kettle of linseed oil.

Companies attending, 1, 4, 5, 11, 24, A and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Dankel and Mooney.

March 20. At 11.05 P. M., box 232.

Corner of Twenty-fifth and Spring Garden streets, four-story brick building, Fairmount worsted mill; cause, accident, dry room.

Companies attending, 2, 4, 13, 17, 18, 27, A and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Mooney, Cress and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$2,000. Loss \$1,237.50.

Personal estate insurance \$4,500. Loss \$2,469.71.

March 22. At 1 45 A. M., local.

Bread street, below New street, two-story brick building, Smith & Egan's stable; cause, supposed incendiary.

Company attending, 8. Foreman Smith in command.

Real estate insurance \$400. Loss \$28.

Personal estate loss \$600.

March 22. At 12.48 P. M., local.

No. 272 Levant street, three-and-a-half-story brick building, Capt. Bussier's dwelling; cause, sparks from chimney.

Company attending, 22. Foreman Tibbitt in command.

Real estate insurance \$3,000. Loss \$5.84.

March 23. At 2.55 P. M., local.

No. 222 Reed street, three-story brick building, Wm. Wiser's dwelling; cause, accident, caught from stove.

Company attending, 10. Foreman Patterson in command.

March 23. At 7.15 P. M., box 172.

Ash street, below Girard avenue, lumber yard, Brown & Woellper; cause, accident, sparks from foundry.

Companies attending, 6, 7, 15, 21, 23, 25, B and C. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Baxter.

March 24. At 12.40 A. M., box 73.

Beach and Norris streets, two-story brick building, Wm. Cramp & Son's machine shop; cause, spontaneous combustion.

Companies attending, 6, 7, 15, 21, 23, 25, B and C, first alarm.

Companies attending, 2, 8, 13, 27 and A, second alarm. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Mooney, Cress and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$25,000. Loss \$16,579.

Personal estate insurance \$114,750. Loss \$100,894.80.

March 24. At 1.46 A. M., box 71.

No. 2014 Orkney street, two-story frame building, G. Elinger's slaughter house and stable ; cause, accident, furnace.

Companies attending, 7, 17, 18, 20, 22, A and D. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Cress, Mooney and Baxter.

Real estate loss \$600.

Personal estate insurance \$400. Loss \$400.

March 24. At 2.29 A. M., box 173.

Petty's Island, three-story frame building, A. & J. Manderson's saw mill, unoccupied ; cause, sparks from Cramp's fire.

Company attending, 7. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Cress, Mooney and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$8,000. Loss \$8,000.

March 24. At 3.40 A. M., local.

No. 827 Vine street, three-story brick building, H. Waxstock's cigar factory and dwelling ; cause, fillings around hot stove.

Company attending, 20. Foreman Ege in command.

Real estate insurance \$9,000. Loss \$300.

Personal estate insurance \$2,000. Loss \$746.

March 24. At 12.10 P. M., local.

No. 129 Pine street, three-story brick building, J. McDonald's dwelling ; cause accident, sparks on roof.

Companies attending, 3, 22, 26 and D. Foreman Jenners in command.

Real estate insurance \$1,000.

March 24. At 12.25 P. M., local.

Third street above Dauphin street, three-story brick building, J. C. Miller's dwelling ; cause accident, defective flue.

Companies attending, 23, 25 and C. Foreman Garman in command.

March 25. At 12.05 A. M., local.

Rear of 635 St. Mary street, four-story brick building, George Mann's tenement house ; cause, drunkenness, stove upset.

Company attending, 26. Assistant Engineer Dankel in command.

March 25. At 12.27 A. M., box 24.

Nos. 840 and 842 North Third street, two and four-story brick and frame buildings, Wilkie & Marx's dye house and cork factory ; cause, accident, boiler.

Companies attending, 6, 8, 13, 15, 21, 23, B and C. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Cress and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$11,000. Loss \$4,140.

Personal estate insurance \$6,600. Loss \$2,518.75.

March 25. At 2.10 A. M., box 76.

Falls of Schuylkill, one-story frame building, J. Dobson's store house of mill ; cause, unknown.

Companies attending, 12, 13, 16, 19, 27 and A. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Baxter.

Real estate loss \$500.

Personal estate loss \$2,000.

March 25. At 1.52 P. M., box 162.

Green and Main streets, Frankford, two-and-a-half-story stone building, Wright & Hedyard's machine shop ; cause, accident, sparks from blacksmith shop.

Companies attending, 7, 14, 25 and H, first alarm. Companies attending, 6, 15, 23 and C, second alarm. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Mooney and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$3,000. Loss \$3,000.

Personal estate insurance \$5,000. Loss \$10,000.

March 25. At 2.35 P. M., box 274.

No. 3921 Ludlow street, two-story brick building, dwelling house ; cause, accident, sparks from burning rubbish.

Companies attending, 1, 4, 5, 16, 17, A and E. Assistant Engineer Cress in command.

Real estate insurance \$1,000. Loss \$200.

March 25. At 2.50 P. M., local.

Nos. 18 and 20 Church street, Frankford, two-and-a-half-story brick building, J. Radcliffe and P. Greiner's dwellings ; cause, accident, sparks on roof.

Companies attending, 23 and C. Assistant Engineer Baxter in command.

Real estate insurance \$3,000. Loss \$270.

March 25. At 3.30 P. M., local.

No. 529 Vincent street, two-story frame building, G. Munce's bakery and dwelling ; cause, accident, defective flue.

Company attending, 21. Foreman Souder in command.

Real estate loss \$75.

March 25. At 6.40 P. M., box 231.

No. 210 North Front street, three-story brick building, P. Taggart, dealer in cotton and woollen waste ; cause, spontaneous combustion.

Companies attending, 3, 8, 17, 20, 21, 22, 26, B and D. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Dankel and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$3,000.

Personal estate insurance \$2,000. Loss \$420.

March 26. At 6 A. M., local.

No. 238 South Front street, two-and-a-half-story brick building, unoccupied dwelling ; cause, accident, adjoining flue.

Company attending, 22. Foreman Tibbitt in command.

Real estate loss \$10.

March 26. At 8.45 P. M., local.

No. 127 Queen street, three-story brick building, Mrs. Benner's grocery store and dwelling ; cause, explosion of coal oil lamp.

Companies attending, 3 and D. Foreman Gampher in command.

March 28. At 9.15 A. M., box 72.

Northeast corner of Twenty-first and Washington avenue, two-story brick building, M. Buggy's cotton and woollen mill ; cause, accident, picker.

Companies attending, 1, 4, 10, 11, 17, 24, A and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Dankel and Mooney.

Real estate loss \$400.

March 29. At 1.45 A. M., local.

No. 37 North Tenth street, three-story brick building, Corfield's tooth manufactory ; cause accident, furnace fell in.

Company attending, 20. Foreman Ege in command.

March 29. At 4.33 A. M., box 56.

Southeast corner Twelfth and Willow streets, three-story brick building, S. E. Seaman's machine shop ; cause, incendiary.

Companies attending, 4, 13, 17, 18, 20, 21, A and B. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Baxter, Cress and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$2,000. Loss \$285.

Personal estate insurance \$5,000. Loss \$1,081.66.

March 30. At 6.12 A. M., box 264.

Main street, below Johnson, Germantown, two-and-a-half-story stone building, Dr. H. Johnson's dwelling ; cause, chimney.

Companies attending, 9, 19, 23 and F. Assistant Engineer Baxter in command.

March 30. At 10.41 A. M., box 347.

Baltimore avenue, below Gray's lane, three-story stone building, Callahan & Bro.'s Angora woollen mill ; cause, accident, picker.

Companies attending, 4, 5, 16 and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Mooney.

Personal estate loss \$200.

Summary of Insurance and Loss during March.

Real Estate	Insurance...\$194,533	Loss...\$51,444 24
Personal Estate	Insurance... 497,650	Loss. .175,009 56
	<hr/> \$692,183	<hr/> \$226,453 80

APRIL.

April 1. At 3.30 A. M., local.

No. 709 North Front street, two-story frame building, Mrs. S. Shermer's dwelling ; cause, incendiary.

Company attending, 21. Foreman Souder in command.

Real estate loss \$30.

Personal estate loss \$30.

April 3. At 10 A. M., local.

Northwest corner Adams and Emerald streets, three-story brick building, Elmsley & Brother's cotton mill ; cause, accident, picker.

Companies attending, 15, 25 and C. Assistant Engineer Baxter in command.

Real estate insurance \$1,000.

Personal estate insurance \$2,000.

April 4. At 1.45 P. M., box 9.

Northwest corner Washington avenue and Broad street, one-story frame building, Baltimore and Wilmington Railroad, milk shed and tool house ; cause, accident, sparks from locomotive.

Companies attending, 1, 4, 10, 11, 17, 24, D and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Dankel.

Real estate loss \$200.

April 4. At 4.55 P. M., local.

No. 2308 North Second street, three-story brick building, J. Wakel's rag store ; cause, accident, sparks from foundry.

Companies attending, 15, 23, 25 and C. Foreman Humphreys in command.

Real estate insurance \$800. Loss \$42.42.

April 5. 10.50 P. M., local.

No. 562 Taylor street, three-story brick building, Mrs. C. Nolen's dwelling ; cause, carelessness, child with candle.

Company attending, A. Foreman Nicholson in command.

Real estate insurance \$400. Loss \$3.75.

Personal estate loss \$10.

April 6. At 8.45 P. M., box 25.

No. 510½ Arch street, four-story brick building, D. Rosenheim, millinery and straw goods ; cause, supposed incendiary.

Companies attending, 8, 11, 13, 17, 20, 22, 26, B and D. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Dankel and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$5,000.

Personal estate insurance \$17,000. Loss \$300.

April 6. At 11.45 P. M., local.

Sixteenth and Hamilton streets, one-story brick building, W. Sellers' machine and blacksmith shop; cause, accident, sparks from forge in smith shop.

Company attending, 18. Foreman Williams in command.

Real estate insurance \$3,000.

Personal estate insurance \$2,000.

April 7. At 10.15 A. M., local.

No. 159 West Cumberland street, three-story brick building, D. Houseworth's dwelling; cause, accident, defective flue.

Company attending, 25. Foreman Humphreys in command.

Real estate insurance \$500. Loss \$57.83.

April 8. At 5 P. M., box 17.

Christian street wharf, Schuylkill, one-story frame building, W. J. Laird's paraffine oil refinery; cause, accident, boiling over of kettle of oil.

Companies attending, 1, 4, 5, 11, 24, A and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Cress and Mooney.

Real estate loss, \$75.

Personal estate insurance \$2,000. Loss \$171.

April 9. At 1.30, box 32.

No. 2016 Market street, one-story brick building, Wm. Deacon's lumber yard and drying house; cause, accident, drying kiln.

Companies attending, 1, 4, 5, 17, 18, 20, A and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Mooney, Cress and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$2,000. Loss \$2,375.

Personal estate insurance \$17,800. Loss \$1,861.

April 10. At 3 P. M., local.

No. 4625 Frankford road, two-and-a-half-story brick building, S. McBride's shoe store and dwelling; cause, carelessness, children playing with matches.

Company attending, 14. Foreman Conly in command.

Real estate insurance \$600.

Personal estate insurance \$2,000.

April 11. At 6.10 P. M., box 56.

Southwest corner of Twelfth and Buttonwood streets, four-story brick building, Thomas' mill; cause, carelessness, sparks from boiler.

Companies attending, 4, 13, 17, 18, 20, 21, A and B. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Cress and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$7,000. Loss \$800.

Personal estate insurance \$22,200. Loss \$8,025.

April 11. At 11.45 P. M., local.

Manayunk, one-story frame building, W. Harding's paper mill ;
cause, burning of waste.

Company attending, 12. Foreman Rumney in command.

April 12. At 12.58 A. M., local.

No. 1557 Germantown avenue, two-and-a-half story frame building,
John Pfout, feather renovator ; cause, carelessness, furnace.

Company attending, 23. Foreman Garman in command.

Real estate loss \$50.

Personal estate insurance \$1,500. Loss \$800.

April 12. At 12 55 P. M., local.

No. 3626 Sansom street, two-story frame building, L. Martine's
dwelling ; cause, accident, defective flue.

Company attending, 5. Foreman Wilson in command.

April 12. At 5 P. M., local.

No. 108 Green lane, Manayunk, two-story frame building, Mrs.
Whitworth's dwelling ; cause, accident, sparks from locomotive.

Company attending, 12. Foreman Rumney in command.

Real estate insurance \$200. Loss \$75.

Personal estate loss \$200.

April 14. At 2.12 A. M., local.

No. 522 Diamond street, one-story brick building, B. Crouse's out-
house ; cause, incendiary.

Company attending, 23. Foreman Garman in command.

April 14. At 1.15 P. M., box 182.

No. 1702 Lombard street, three-story brick building, dwelling ;
cause, unknown, chest of clothes.

Companies attending, 1, 4, 11, 17, 18, 24, A and E. Engineers
attending, Assistant Stephens.

Real estate insurance \$700. Loss \$94.

Personal estate loss \$200.

April 14. At 1.20 P. M., local.

No. 5 Chancery lane, three-story brick building, H. Tetlow, soap
manufactory ; cause, unknown.

Company attending, 8. Foreman Smith in command.

Real estate insurance \$2,600. Loss \$13.87.

Personal estate insurance \$10,000. Loss \$524.

April 14. At 4 26 P. M., local.

No. 1222 Pearl street, three-story brick building, Mr. Burton's
dwelling ; cause, sparks from stove.

Company attending, 17. Assistant Engineer Stephens in com-
mand.

Real estate insurance \$600. Loss \$27.

April 16. At 4 P. M., local.

Pennsylvania Railroad and Forty-ninth street, one-story frame building, T. W. Heston's coal sheds; cause, accident, sparks from locomotive.

Company attending, 16. Foreman Evans in command.

April 16. At 10.15 P. M., local.

No. 2132 Harmstead street, three-story brick building, Charles Knowles' stable; cause, accident, sparks from chimney.

Company attending, E. Foreman Young in command.

April 17. At 3.47 A. M., box 7.

False alarm; no occasion for pulling the box.

Companies attending, 1, 3, 10, 11, 20, 24, D and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Dankel and Mooney.

April 17. At 8.15 A. M., local.

No. 1332 Beach street, three-story brick building, Jas. Flanagan's dwelling; cause, accident, stove pipe hole.

Company attending, 6. Foreman McKinley in command.

Real estate insurance \$1,000.

Personal estate loss \$10.

April 17. At 9.52 A. M., local.

No. 2524 North Sixth street, three-story brick building, unoccupied dwelling; cause, accident, defective flue of adjoining building.

Company attending, 23. Foreman Garman in command.

April 19. At 12.05 A. M., local.

Rear of 1117 Cherry street, two-story brick building, Mr. Winner's dwelling; cause, accident, explosion of oil lamp, extinguished by employees of head quarters. Engineer attending, Assistant Stephens.

April 20. At 8.45 P. M., local.

Canal street, below George street, four-story brick building, F. Doll's morocco manufactory; cause, carelessness, flue covered with newspaper.

Company attending, 21. Assistant Engineer Baxter in command.

Real estate insurance \$3,000.

Personal estate insurance \$6,000.

April 21. At 4.07 A. M., box 6.

False alarm; no occasion for pulling the box.

Companies attending, 1, 3, 10, 11, 24, 26, D and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Dankel and Mooney.

April 21. At 5.33 P. M., box 14.

Southwest corner of Twelfth and Chestnut, four-story brick building, A. & H. Lejambre's upholstery ; cause, carelessness, boy playing with benzine.

Companies attending, 1, 4, 11, 17, 20, 22, 23, D and E. Engineers attending, Stephens, Mooney and Dankel.

Real estate insurance \$8,000. Loss \$30.

Personal estate insurance \$4,500. Loss \$200.

April 22. At 740 A. M., box 36.

No 306 North Seventeenth street, two-story brick building, dwelling house ; cause, accident, defective flue.

Companies attending, 1, 4, 13, 17, 18, 20, A and E. Engineers attending, Stephens, Cress, Baxter and Mooney

Real estate insurance \$250. Loss \$65.

Personal estate loss \$30.

April 22. At 10.30 A. M., local.

Nos. 124 and 126 South Second street, three-story brick building, J. M. Newbold, broker, and other offices ; cause, accident, defective flue.

Companies attending, 8, 22 and 26. Foreman Tibbitt in command.

Real estate insurance \$4,200. Loss \$34.22.

Personal estate insurance \$700.

April 23. At 9 55 P. M., box 96.

No. 4026 Market street, two-story frame building, J. G. Clarks' house furnishing goods ; cause, carelessness, clothes left hanging too near stove.

Companies attending, 4, 5, 16, 18 and A. Engineers attending, Stephens and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$1,000. Loss \$54.65

Personal estate insurance \$600. Loss \$200.

April 24. At 11.27 P. M., box 185.

No. 1523 Mascher street, one-story frame building, G. Heller's smoke house ; cause, accident, smoking hams.

Companies attending, 2, 6, 15, 21, 23, 25, B and C. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Cress and Baxter.

Personal estate loss \$80.

April 26. At 12.17 A. M., box 212.

False alarm ; no occasion for pulling the box.

Companies attending, 1, 3, 10, 11, 20, 24, D and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Dankel and Stephens.

April 27. At 10.20 A. M., box 265.

Corner of Centre and Word streets, Manayunk, three-story stone building, Leech & Bro.'s woollen mill ; cause, accident, picker. Companies attending, 12, 16, 19 and G. Foreman Rumney in command.

Personal estate insurance \$100.

April 27. At 11.13 A. M., box 272.

No. 3029 Chestnut street, three-story stone building, Robert Hershaw's cotton mill ; cause, accident, picker.

Companies attending, 1, 4, 5, 16, 17, 18, A and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Mooney and Stephens.

Real estate insurance \$5,000.

Personal estate insurance \$16,000. Loss \$138.

April 27. At 11.51 P. M., box 223.

No. 610 Market street, two-story brick building, G. Miller's confectionery ; cause, accident, furnace.

Companies attending, 4, 8, 11, 17, 20, 22, 26, B and D. Engineers attending, Stephens, Mooney and Dankel.

Real estate insurance \$12,100. Loss \$180.

Personal estate insurance \$40,400. Loss \$750.

April 28. At 4.45 P. M., local.

No. 123 Bowen street, two-story brick building, L. Hunt's dwelling ; cause, accident, sparks from boiler shop.

Companies attending, 3, 10 and D. Assistant Engineer Dankel in command.

April 28. At 10.20 P. M., local.

Richmond street below Vienna, one-story frame building, A. Horner's bedstead manufactory ; cause, accident, sparks.

Companies attending, 6 and 21. Assistant Engineer Baxter in command.

April 29. At 2.35 P. M., box 256.

Gorgas lane and Wissahickon pike, three-story stone building, M. Gorgas' wadding mill ; cause, accident, picker.

Companies attending, 9, 12 and Hand Engine B. Assistant Engineer Baxter in command.

Real estate loss \$500.

Personal estate loss \$400.

April 29. At 7.40 P. M., box 43.

Callowhill street wharf, Delaware, Steamship Mediator, J. Lorillard, New York, owner ; cause, unknown.

Companies attending, 8, 13, 17, 20, 21, 22, 26, B and D. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Cress, Baxter and Mooney.

April 29. At 11.58 P. M., box 327.

False alarm ; no occasion for pulling the box.

Companies attending, 1, 10, 11, 24, D and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Mooney and Stephens.

Summary of Insurance and Loss during April.

Real Estate	Insurance...	\$58,950	Loss...	\$1,757 74
Personal Estate	Insurance...	145,100	Loss...	14 429 00
		<u>\$204,050</u>		<u>\$19,186 74</u>

MAY.

May 1. At 10.25 A. M., local.

No. 823 East Norris street, three-story brick building, Mrs. Carbon's dwelling ; cause, incendiary.

Companies attending, 15 and C. Foreman Kochersperger in command.

Real estate insurance \$500. Loss \$50.

May 3. At 4.40 A. M., box 312.

Nos. 1223 and 1225 South Sixth street, two-story brick buildings, James Frazer, unfinished dwellings ; cause, supposed incendiary.

Companies attending, 1, 3, 10, 11, 20, 24, D and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Mooney.

Real estate loss \$600.

May 3. At 10.52 A. M., box 4.

No. 218 South street, two-and-a-half-story brick building, James Carr's carpet store ; cause, accident, sparks on roof.

Companies attending, 1, 3, 8, 10, 11, 22, 26, B and D. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$1,000.

May 4. At 6.10 A. M., local.

Corner of Godfrey and Lehman streets, Germantown, two-and-a-half-story brick building, George Hug's dwelling ; cause, incendiary.

Company attending, 19. Foreman Whiteman in command.

Real estate loss \$150.

Personal estate loss \$40.

May 5. At 8.25 P. M., box 153.

Gordon and Sepviva streets ; cause, bonfire on lot.

Companies attending, 6, 7, 15, 21, 23, 25, B and C. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Baxter.

May 5. At 9.17 P. M., box 216.

No. 252 Quince street, two-story brick building, Wm. Furgerson's dwelling ; cause, accident, explosion of lamp.

Companies attending, 1, 3, 4, 11, 17, 20, D and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$450. Loss \$271.75.

Personal estate loss \$100.

May 6. At 8.30 P. M., local.

Main street, Manayunk, four-story stone building, Masonic Hall ; cause, accident, flag caught from gas jet.

Company attending, 12. Foreman Rumney in command.

May 6. At 9.20 P. M., local.

Location unknown. Company 14 proceeded as far as Milltown, but were unable to reach the fire.

Foreman Comly in command.

May 7. At 2.35 P. M., local.

Montgomery county, four-story stone building, Thomas Schofield's woollen mill ; cause, accident, picker.

Company attending, 12. Foreman Rumney in command.

May 8. At 3.20 P. M., box 232.

Callowhill street, above Twenty-fifth, one-story brick building, boiler room of Hoppen's cotton and woollen mill ; no fire ; cause, explosion of boiler.

Companies attending, 2, 4, 13, 17, 18, 27, A and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Cress, Baxter and Mooney.

May 8. At 8 P. M., local.

Northwest corner of Twentieth and Lombard streets, three-story brick building, Wm. Carr's provision store ; cause, accident, explosion of lamp.

Company attending, E. Foreman Young in command.

May 9. At 8.55 A. M., box 2.

No. 310 Chestnut street, three-story brick building, J. Gibson's offices ; cause, accident, explosion of gas metre.

Companies attending, 3, 4, 8, 17, 20, 23, 26, B and D. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Mooney.

May 9. At 9.20 A. M., local.

Pier No. 20 South Delaware avenue, one-story frame shed, Boston and Philadelphia Steamship Company ; cause, accident, boiling over of a kettle of pitch.

Companies attending, 3 and 16. Foreman Jenners in command.

May 9. At 6.55 P. M., local.

No. 514 South Twentieth street, three-story brick building, Mr. Davis' dwelling ; cause, accident, explosion of gas.

Companies attending, 1 and E. Foreman Patterson in command.

May 10. At 1.00 A. M., box 93.

Twenty-fourth street, below Fairmount avenue, two story brick building, George Jeffrey's stable ; cause, carelessness, light in stable.

Companies attending, 2, 4, 13, 17, 18, 27, A and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Cress, Baxter and Mooney.

Personal estate loss \$50.

May 10. At 8 P. M., local.

Seventeenth and Fitzwater streets, three-story brick building, Rosengarten & Son's laboratory ; cause, accident, explosion of carboy of vitriol.

Companies attending, 1 and E. Foreman Patterson in command.

May 11. At 10.20 A. M., local.

Thirtieth and South streets, one-story frame building, J. H. Cofford's tool house ; cause, accident, upsetting of pot of boiling glue.

Company attending, 5. Foreman Wilson in command.

Real estate loss \$100.

Personal estate loss \$1,000.

May 11. At 9.05 P. M., box 261.

Godfrey and Wister streets, Germantown, one-story brick building, J. Bardsley, boiler room ; cause, spontaneous combustion.

Companies attending, 9, 19, 23 and F. Assistant Engineer Baxter in command.

Real estate insurance \$1,500. Loss \$445 30.

Personal estate insurance \$2,000. Loss \$53.90.

May 13. At 6.25 A. M., box 153.

No. 429 Taylor street, three-story brick building, John Doerr's carpet manufactory ; cause, supposed incendiary.

Companies attending, 6, 7, 15, 21, 23, 25, B and C. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$3,000. Loss \$10.

Personal estate insurance \$1,000. Loss \$1,500.

May 13. At 2 P. M., local.

No. 124 North Front street, three-and-a-half-story brick building, J. Woodbridge's saddlery shop and dwelling ; cause, accident, sparks on roof.

Company attending, 8. Foreman Smith in command.

Real estate insurance \$2,000. Loss \$40.

Personal estate insurance \$2,000.

May 14. At 7.30 A. M., local.

Front street above Brown, three-and-a-half-story brick building, T. C. Harris, cooper ; cause, accident, sparks from a locomotive.

Company attending, 21. Foreman Souder in command.

May 15. At 3.15 P. M., local.

No. 1803 Ridge avenue, three-story brick building, Wm. Pollock's grocery and dwelling ; cause, carelessness, burning straw.

Company attending, 13. Acting Foreman Walker in command.

Real estate insurance \$800.

May 17. At 7.26 A. M., box 263.

Pulaski avenue, near Queen street, Germantown, two-story brick building, dwelling ; cause carelessness, rubbish in cellar.

Companies attending, 9, 19, 23 and F. Assistant Engineer Cress in command.

Real estate insurance \$700. Loss \$35.

Personal estate loss \$60.

May 19. At 9.30 A. M., local.

Main street, Manayunk, six story stone building, Patterson's cotton mill ; cause, accident, picker.

Company attending, 12. Foreman Rumney in command.

May 20. At 8 A. M. local.

No. 1806 Kater street, three-story brick building, Mr. Gallagher's dwelling ; cause carelessness, children playing with matches.

Company attending, 1. Foreman Patterson in command.

May 22. At 1.23 A. M., box 283.

No. 2143 North Seventh street, two-story brick building, John Enoch's carpenter shop and stable ; cause, supposed incendiary.

Companies attending, 2, 6, 15, 21, 23, 25, B and C. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$2,400. Loss \$1,035.52.

Personal estate loss \$2,000.

May 22. At 11 A. M., local.

No. 1111 Peale street, three-story brick building, Mrs. Schurr's dwelling ; cause, carelessness, clothing in trunk.

Companies attending, 6, and 21. Assistant Engineer Baxter in command.

May 22. At 3.30 P. M., local.

Nos. 1908 and 1910 Otsego street, three-story brick buildings, W. Saunders and J. Wren's dwellings ; cause, accident, sparks from factory.

Company attending, 10. Foreman Patterson in command.

Real estate insurance \$1,100. Loss \$56.79.

May 23. At 7.40 P. M., local.

No. 113 Mechanic street, Manayunk, three-story stone building, Mrs. Hause's dwelling ; cause, carelessness, boys playing with powder.

Company attending, 12. Foreman Rumney in command.

May 23. At 9.45 P. M., local.

No. 774 South Front street, three-and-a-half-story brick building, Mr. Taylor's bakery and dwelling ; cause, fireworks.

Companies attending, 3 and D. Foreman Senatz in command.

May 23. At 10.26 P. M., box 59.

Corner of Twelfth and Ogden streets, two-story brick and frame building, F. D. Fulmer's feed store and livery stable ; cause, supposed incendiary.

Companies attending, 2, 6, 13, 17, 20, 21, A and B. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Baxter and Cress.

Real estate insurance \$7,100. Loss \$1,805.

Personal estate insurance \$6,915. Loss \$4,285.

May 23. At 11.11 P. M., box 82.

Northeast corner of Eighth and Girard avenue, three-story brick building, Wm. H. Hazel's planing mill ; cause, incendiary.

Companies attending, 2, 6, 13, 15, 18, 20, 21, 23, 27, A and B.

Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Baxter and Cress.

Real estate insurance \$6,600. Loss \$3,630.

Personal estate insurance \$8,900. Loss \$6,460.

May 24. At 1.13 A. M., box 327.

False alarm ; no occasion for pulling the box.

Companies attending, 1, 10, 11, 24, D and E. Engineers attending Assistants Stephens, Dankel and Mooney.

May 25. At 1.15 P. M., local.

No. 1824 Montrose street, two-story brick building, Mr. Bryson's dwelling ; cause, accident, coals dropping from range.

Companies attending, 1 and 24. Foreman Patterson in command.

Personal estate loss \$10.

May 27. At 1.45 A. M., local.

No. 54 North Third street, five-story rough cast building, M. Schenck, St. Charles Hotel ; cause, supposed incendiary.

Company attending, 8. Foreman Smith in command.

Real estate insurance \$13,500. Loss \$28.59.

Personal estate insurance \$15,000.

May 27. At 10.09 A. M., box 17.

No. 3035 Gray's Ferry road, one-story frame building, Pennsylvania Felt Roofing Works ; cause, accident, boiling over of kettle of pitch.

Companies attending, 1, 4, 5, 11, 24, A and E. Engineers attending Assistants Stephens and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$1,250. Loss \$111.39.

Personal estate insurance \$1,500. Loss \$94.50.

May 28. At 7.55 P. M., local.

No. 1117 South Twentieth street, three-story brick building, Wm.

McIntyre's bakery ; cause, accident, gas jet in bulk window.

Company attending, 24. Foreman Napier in command.

May 28. At 10.16 P. M., box 153.

Trenton avenue and Blair street, one-story frame building, F.

Fredericks' blacksmith shop ; cause, accident, sparks from forge.

Companies attending, 6, 7, 15, 21, 23, 25, B and C. Engineers

attending, Assistants Stephens and Baxter.

Real estate loss \$100.

Personal estate insurance \$400. Loss \$400.

May 29. At 2.50 A. M., box 83.

No. 11 North Sixth street, four-story brick building, E. C. McKinstry's liquor saloon ; cause, incendiary.

Companies attending, 3, 8, 17, 20, 21, 22, B and D. Engineers attending, Assistants, Stephens, Dankel and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$10,500. Loss \$590.

Personal estate insurance \$37,500. Loss \$2,093.80.

May 29. At 8.10 A. M., box 175.

Melrose and Tucker streets, Bridesburg, one-and-a-half story frame building, M. Deever's stable ; cause, carelessness, smoke pipe.

Companies attending, 7, 14, 25, C and Hand Engine D. Assistant Engineer Baxter in command.

Personal estate loss \$10.

May 30. At 12.50 A. M., box 231.

Nos. 222 and 224 Race street, two-story brick building, John Pfeiffer's hod and shovel manufactory ; cause, accident, forge.

Companies attending, 3, 8, 17, 20, 21, 22, 26, B and D. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Dankel and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$9,000. Loss \$80.

Personal estate insurance \$8,300. Loss \$515.

May 31. At 2 P. M., box 331.

Forty-eighth and Market streets, four-story brick building, Wm.

Whitaker's Good Intent Cotton Mill ; cause, accident, sparks from stack.

Companies attending, 4, 5, 16 and E. Engineer attending, Assistant Stephens.

Real estate insurance \$20,000. Loss \$2,700.

Personal estate insurance \$55,000. Loss \$3,896.56.

May 31. At 2.20 P. M., local.

No. 763 South Second street, two story frame building, J. Hicks' plumber shop and dwelling ; cause, accident, lighted segar.

Companies attending, 3 and D. Foreman Senatz in command.

Real estate insurance \$3,000.

Summary of Insurance and Loss during May.

Real Estate	Insurance...	\$84,400	Loss...	\$11,839 34
Personal Estate	Insurance...	141,515	Loss...	22,573 76
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		\$225,915		\$34,413 10
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JUNE.

June 1. At 1.15 A. M., local.

No. 44 North Twelfth street, four-story brick building, H. C. Baxter, house furnishing goods ; cause, supposed incendiary.

Company attending, 20. Foreman Ege in command.

Real estate insurance \$28,000. Loss \$153.

Personal estate insurance \$50,300. Loss \$148.13.

June 1. At 4.15 P. M., box 76.

Scott's lane, above Ridge avenue, Falls of Schuylkill, two-and-a-half story stone building, John Dobson's cotton mill ; cause, accident, picker.

Companies attending, 12, 13, 16, 19, 27 and A. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Baxter.

June 1. At 5.40 P. M., local.

Drinker's alley, above Front street, two-and-a-half story brick building, D. Smith's stable ; cause, accident, sparks on roof.

Company attending, 8. Foreman Smith in command.

June 1. At 6.47 P. M., local.

No. 902 Christian street, three-story brick building, Mr. Rust's hotel ; cause, accident, sparks from foundry.

Companies attending, 3 and D. Foreman Senatz in command.

Real estate loss \$20.

June 1. At 8.10 P. M., local.

Southeast corner of Fifth and Race streets, three-and-a-half story brick building, M. Eisenbrey's gents' furnishing store ; cause, accident, sparks on roof.

Company attending, 8. Foreman Smith in command.

June 2. At 8.18 A. M., box 32.

No. 2316 Market street, three-story brick building, Wm. Trenter's beer saloon and dwelling ; cause, accident, explosion of gas.

Companies attending, 1, 4, 5, 17, 18, 20, 26, A and E. Engineers attending, Assistant Stephens.

June 2. At 2.30 P. M., local.

No. 1323 Vine street, four-story brick building, Mrs. Behm's dwelling ; cause, accident, sparks from chimney.

Company attending, 17. Foreman McGauhey in command.

Real estate insurance \$3,500. Loss \$17.

June 3. At 12.20 A. M., box 252.

Main street, below Tulpehocken, Germantown, two-story stone building, M. Weaver's unoccupied barn ; cause, incendiary.

Companies attending, 9, 19, 23 and F. Assistant Engineer Baxter in command.

Real estate insurance \$200. Loss \$200.

June 3. At 5.15 P. M., local.

No. 1602 Locust street, three-story brick building, dwelling ; cause, accident, foul chimney.

Company attending, 4. Foreman McClintock in command.

June 3. At 7.25 P. M., local.

Northeast corner of Ontario and Poplar streets, two-story brick and frame building, Mrs. Dobson's rag store ; cause, accident, foul chimney.

Company attending, 13. Acting Foreman Walker in command.

June 4. At 5.30 P. M., local.

No. 911 Filbert street, three-story brick building, Jos. Doyle, carpenter and builder ; cause, accident, foul chimney.

Company attending, 20. Foreman Ege in command.

June 4. At 11.15 P. M., box 47.

No. 2426 Lombard street, two-story brick building, McElroy & Co.'s clay pipe manufactory ; cause, accident, roof caught from chimney.

Companies attending, 1, 4, 11, 17, 24, A and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Mooney.

Real estate loss \$25.

June 8. At 11.50 P. M., local.

Twentieth and Sansom streets, three-story brick building, Mr. Worrell's dwelling ; cause, accident, curtain caught from gas jet.

Company attending, 4. Foreman McClintock in command.

June 9. At 4.45 P. M., local.

Hope street above York, three-story brick building, Leedom, Shaw & Co.'s carpet mill ; cause, incendiary.

Company attending, 25. Foreman Humphreys in command.

June 9. At 10.55 P. M., local.

No. 235 Queen street, two-and-a-half story brick building, J. S. Kennelly's undertaker's office and dwelling; cause, accident, curtain caught from gas jet.

Companies attending, 3 and D. Foreman Senatz in command.

June 14. At 3.53 A. M., box 83.

No. 25 North Sixth street, four-story brick building, Jacob Fry's liquor saloon; cause, incendiary.

Companies attending, 3, 8, 17, 20, 22, 26, B and D. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Baxter, Mooney and Dankel.

Real estate insurance \$7,500. Loss \$285.

Personal estate insurance \$9,500. Loss \$233.30.

June 15. At 2.45 A. M., local.

Northwest corner of Adams and Emerald streets, two-story brick building, William Emsley & Bro.'s cotton mill; cause, accident, heat from boiler.

Company attending, 25. Foreman Humphreys in command.

Real estate insurance \$12,200.

Personal estate insurance \$27,800.

June 15. At 2.55 A. M., box 342.

Alarm sent wrong from Central Station.

Companies attending, 1, 4, 10, 11, 17, 24, A and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Mooney and Dankel.

June 15. At 7.50 A. M., local.

Southeast corner of Second and Oxford streets, four-story brick building, J. Long & Sons' cotton and woollen mill; cause, accident, overheated journal.

Company attending, 15. Foreman Snyder in command.

June 16. At 9.05 A. M., local.

Nos. 137 and 139 Jarvis street, two two-story brick buildings, Midwinter & Denny's dwellings; cause, accident, sparks from chimney.

Companies attending, 3, 10 and D. Foreman Patterson in command.

Real estate insurance \$800. Loss \$179.

Personal estate loss \$50.

June 16. At 5.55 P. M., local.

No. 2 Reed street, three-story brick building, John Burn's dwelling; cause, accident, defective flue.

Companies attending, 3, 10 and D. Foreman Patterson in command.

June 16. At 9.32 P. M., box 234.

Nos. 460 and 466 York road, two-story brick and frame buildings,
Thomas & Fedgely's feed stores and stables ; cause, incendiary.

Companies attending, 3, 6, 8, 13, 15, 17, 20, 21, 22, B and D. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Cress, Mooney, Baxter and Dankel.

Real estate insurance \$7,000. Loss \$2,138.67.

Personal estate insurance \$9,000. Loss \$2,137.91.

June 16. At 9.40 P. M., local.

No. 1143 Beach street, two-story brick building, J. Albertson's boat shop ; cause, carelessness, shavings around stove.

Company attending, 6. Foreman McKinley in command.

June 17. At 3.44 A. M., box 243.

Nos. 1012 and 1014 North Front, two-story frame building, T. Slater's dye house ; cause, accident, bleach house.

Companies attending, 2, 6, 15, 21, 23, 25, B and C. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$3,000.

Personal estate insurance \$5,000.

June 17. At 6.50 A. M., box 123.

No. 2052 and 2054 Catharine street, three-story brick building, M. O'Brien's Hall ; cause, carelessness, cigar stump.

Companies attending, 1, 4, 10, 11, 17, 24, A and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Dankel and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$3,000. Loss \$77.50.

June 17. At 3.50 P. M., local.

No. 1405 South Front street, two-and-a-half-story brick building, Lowery & Guggenheim's rag store ; cause, accident, sparks.

Companies attending 3, 10 and D. Assistant Engineer Dankel in command.

June 17. At 5.40 P. M., box 219.

No. 402 South Delaware avenue, four-story brick building, Spear & Cooper's paint and oil store ; cause, accident, ignition of benzine.

Companies attending, 1, 3, 8, 10, 11, 22, B and D. Engineers attending, Assistants Dankel and Cress.

Real estate insurance \$7,500 Loss \$1,400.

Personal estate insurance \$3,500. Loss \$3,999.

June 18. At 6.50 P. M., box 252.

Osceola and Heinman streets, Germantown, three-story stone building, Thomas Eldridge's woollen mill ; cause, accident, waste about boiler.

Companies attending, 9, 19, 23 and F. Assistant Engineer Baxter in command.

June 18. At 7.48 P. M., box 17.

Christian street wharf, Schuylkill, three-story brick building, Wm.

G. Laird's coal oil refinery ; cause, accident, bursting of still.

Companies attending, 1, 4, 5, 11, 24, A and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Cress and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$1,200. Loss \$1,200.

Personal estate insurance \$1,364. Loss \$1,364.

June 18. At 10.45 P. M., box 18.

No 2022 Walnut street, four story brown stone building, Mr. Cox's dwelling ; cause, accident, candle.

Companies attending, 1, 4, 11, 17, 18, 24, A and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Cress and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$30,000. Loss \$235.

Personal estate loss \$25.

June 18. At 11.20 P. M., box 6.

False alarm ; no occasion for pulling the box.

Companies attending, 1, 3, 10, 11, 22, D and E. Engineers attending, Assistant sStephens and Dankel.

June 19. At 2.25 A. M., box 257.

Hipple lane, near Levick street, Manayunk, two-story frame building, J. Atkinson's barn ; cause unknown.

Companies attending, 12, 16, 19 and G. Assistant Engineer Baxter in command.

Real estate loss \$300.

Personal estate loss \$700.

June 19. At 12.58 A. M., box 18.

Southwest corner Twenty-first and Chestnut, two-story brick building, Adams Express Co.'s stables ; cause, accident, blacksmith shop.

Companies attending, 1, 4, 11, 17, 18, 24, A and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Cress and Mooney.

June 20. At 3.09 A. M., box 158.

Hartwell avenue and Gold street, Chestnut Hill, two-story frame building, Owen McGinnis' barn ; cause, incendiary.

Companies attending, 9, and hand engine A. Assistant Engineer Baxter in command.

Real estate loss \$500.

Personal estate loss \$2,500.

June 20. At 4.16 A. M., box 24.

No. 1416 Randolph street, three-story brick building, Mrs. Whitmire's dwelling ; cause, accident, defective flue.

Companies attending, 2, 6, 13, 15, 21, 23, B and C. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Cress and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$1,500. Loss \$25.12.

June 21. At 11.23 P. M., local.

New York Railroad and Ellwood lane, train of cars; cause accident on railroad.

Company attending, 23. Foreman Garman in command.

June 22. At 1.34 A. M., box 271.

No. 4123 Market street, lumber on lot; cause, incendiary.

Companies attending, 4, 5, 16 and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Mooney.

June 22. At 7.58 A. M., box 3.

No. 228 South Second street, four-story brick building, Pugh & Creauther's cabinet manufactory; cause, unknown.

Companies attending, 3, 4, 8, 17, 20, 22, B and D. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Cress, Dankel and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$2,750. Loss \$380.

Personal estate insurance \$13,600. Loss \$3,750.

June 23. At 4.10 P. M., local.

No. 1772 Fittler street, three-story brick building, John Cregan's dwelling; cause, carelessness, children playing with matches.

Company attending, 15. Foreman Snyder in command.

June 24. At 2.50 P. M., local

No. 333 Coates street, three-and-a-half story brick building, T. Brown's dwelling; cause, accident, sparks from furnace.

Company attending, 21. Foreman Souder in command.

June 24. At 8.11 P. M., local.

No. 2055 Germantown avenue, three-story brick building, M. Greenwald's dry goods store; cause, accident, gas jet in window.

Company attending, 23. Foreman Garman in command.

Real estate insurance \$2,900. Loss \$90.

Personal estate loss \$300.

June 25. At 11 A. M., local.

Beach street, above Shackamaxon, two-story brick building, Croonan & Baker's saw mill; cause, accident, heating of journal.

Company attending, 6. Foreman McKinley in command.

June 25. At 11.49 P. M., box 23.

No. 816 Sansom street, three-story brick building, E. Conklin's stable; cause, carelessness from smoking.

Companies attending, 4, 8, 11, 17, 20, 22, B and D. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Mooney and Dankel.

June 25. At 12.05 P. M., local.

No. 7 Fayette street, three-story brick building, Mrs. Masterson's dwelling; cause, carelessness, child playing with matches (child burnt to death).

Company attending, 20. Assistant Engineer Mooney in command.

June 29. At 1.50 P. M., local.

No. 1747 Germantown avenue, one-story brick building, D. L.

Witmar's store room for drugs ; cause, accident, phosphorus.

Company attending, 23. Foreman Garman in command.

June 29. At 6.30 P. M., local.

Kensington avenue, above Alleghany, one-story frame building,

Joseph Firth's brick yard ; cause, accident, furnace.

Company attending, 25. Foreman Humphreys in command.

June 29. At 8.15 P. M., local.

No. 523 South Twenty-first street, three-story brick building, L.

Simmonds' confectionery and dwelling ; cause, accident, explosion of fire-works in window.

Companies attending, 1 and E. Foreman Young in command.

Personal estate loss \$56.

June 30. At 1.03 A. M., box 87.

Broad street and Germantown road, Excelsior brick yard ; cause, accident, frame shed, caught from kiln.

Companies attending, 2, 13, 19, 23, 27, A and C. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Cress and Baxter.

June 30. At 12.34 A. M., box 32.

No. 2114 Market street, two-story brick building, Thomas Carland's liquor store ; cause, incendiary.

Companies attending, 1, 4, 13, 17, 18, 20, A and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Cress and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$2,000. Loss \$85.

Personal estate insurance \$1,500.

June 30. At 5.35 P. M., box 2.

No. 28 Bank street, four-story brick and stone building, Robinson & Co.'s notion house ; cause, carelessness, matches thrown among waste paper.

Companies attending, 3, 4, 8, 17, 20, 22, B and D. Engineers attending, Assistants Dankel, Mooney and Cress.

Real estate insurance \$14,500. Loss \$118.

Personal estate insurance \$66,500. Loss \$3,436.17.

June 30. At 8.35 P. M., local

No. 1826 Callowhill street, three-story brick building, L. Conrow's gents' furnishing store ; cause, accident, explosion of coal oil lamp.

Company attending, 18. Foreman Williams in command.

June 30. At 9.20 P. M., box 23.

No. 624 Catharine street, three-story brick building, dwelling ;
cause, accident, fireworks.

Companies attending, 1, 3, 10, 11, 20, D and E. Engineers attend-
ing, Assistants Stephens and Dankel.

Real estate insurance \$1,000. Loss \$5.

Summary of Insurance and Loss during June.

Real Estate	Insurance...	\$128,550	Loss...	\$7,423
Personal Estate	Insurance...	188,064	Loss...	18,693
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		\$316,614		\$26,116
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JULY.

July 1. At 1.50 A. M., box 93.

No. 2320 Fairmount avenue, one-story brick building, C. Klein's
smoke house ; cause, accident, ham falling in fire.

Companies attending, 2, 4, 13, 18, 26, 27, A and E. Engineers
attending, Assistants, Stephens, Cress, Baxter and Mooney.

Personal estate loss \$100.

July 1. At 9 A. M., local.

No. 113 Onas street, two-and-a-half-story brick building, Ed. Con-
cannon's dwelling ; cause, accident, stove pipe.

Company attending, 21. Assistant Engineer Baxter in command.

July 1. At 11.40 A. M., box 142.

No. 732 Pine street, three-story brick building, Mrs. McLean's
dwelling ; cause, accident, defective flue.

Companies attending, 1, 3, 10, 11, 20, D and E. Engineers at-
tending, Assistants Stephens and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$10,500. Loss \$299.

Personal estate insurance \$5,000. Loss \$170.

July 1. At 5.25 P. M., local.

No. 605 Vincent street, two-and-a-half-story frame building, Thos.
Prower's dwelling ; cause, accident, fireworks.

Company attending, 21. Assistant Engineer Baxter in com-
mand.

Real estate loss \$200.

July 3. At 12.53 A. M., box 37.

Southeast corner Broad and Wallace streets, three-story brick building, H. Loth's sewing machine case factory ; cause, carelessness, boiler.

Companies attending, 2, 13, 17, 18, 26, 27, A and B, first alarm.

Companies attending, 4, 20, 21, 23 and E, second alarm. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Stephens, Cress, Baxter and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$1,000. Loss \$500.

Personal estate insurance \$12,150. Loss \$17,477.

July 3. At 1.48 P. M., box 267.

No. 4703 Paul street, Frankford, three-story brick building, dwelling ; cause, accident, fireworks.

Companies attending, 7, 14, 25 and H. Assistant Engineer Baxter in command.

Real estate insurance \$2,500. Loss \$850.

Personal estate insurance \$1,000. Loss \$571.20.

July 3. At 2.15 P. M., local.

No. 113 Levering street, Manayunk, three-story stone building, Edw. Metzler's cigar store and dwelling ; cause, fireworks.

Company attending, 12. Foreman Rumney in command.

July 3. At 3.45 P. M., local.

No. 252 North Twelfth street, three-story brick building, Mrs. Haas' dwelling ; cause, accident, fireworks.

Company attending, 17. Assistant Engineer Stephens in command.

July 3. At 9.30 P. M., local.

No. 863 Charlotte street, three-story brick building, J. Speilman's dwelling ; cause, accident, fireworks.

Company attending, 21. Assistant Engineer Baxter in command.

July 3. At 9.50 P. M., local.

No. 503 Franklin street, three-story brick building, Wm. Morgan's dwelling ; cause, accident, fireworks.

Company attending, 26. Foreman Jenners in command.

Real estate insurance \$3,000. Loss \$26.20.

July 3. At 6.20 P. M., box 65.

No. 132 North Third street, five-story brick building, E. Rosenwig's hat and cap manufactory ; cause, unknown.

Companies attending, 3, 8, 17, 20, 21, 22, 26, B and D. Engineers attending, Assistants, Stephens, Dankel and Baxter.

Personal estate insurance \$34,500. Loss \$90.

July 3. At 10.42 P. M., box 219.

Nos. 405, 407 and 409 South Third street, three-story brick buildings, dwelling houses ; cause, accident, fireworks.

Companies attending, 1, 3, 8, 10, 11, 22, B and D. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Dankel.

Real estate insurance \$5,800. Loss \$465.

Personal estate insurance \$1,500. Loss \$130.

July 4. At 3.45 A. M., box 237.

No. 2227 Wood street, one-story stone building, Walker & Co.'s machine shop ; cause, accident, fireworks.

Companies attending, 4, 13, 17, 18, 26, 27, A and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Cress, Baxter and Mooney.

Personal estate insurance \$2,000.

July 4. At 1.20 P. M., box 15.

No. 1334 Kater street, three-story brick building, Wm. Campbell's dwelling ; cause, accident, fireworks.

Companies attending, 1, 11 and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Dankel and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$500. Loss \$83.

July 4. At 3 P. M., local.

Twenty-fourth and Berks streets, two-story stone building, unoccupied dwelling ; cause, incendiary.

Company attending, 27. Foreman Doyle in command.

July 4. At 3.10 P. M., local.

No. 616 Barclay street, two-and-a-half-story frame building, tenement house ; cause, accident, fireworks.

Company attending, 22. Foreman Tibbitt in command.

July 4. At 3.51 P. M., local.

No. 2018 Kater street, two-story brick building, Wm. McFadden's dwelling ; cause, children playing with matches.

Companies attending, 1 and E. Foreman Patterson in command.

Real estate insurance \$800. Loss \$10.22.

July 4. At 3.51 P. M., box 142.

No. 636 Pine street, three-story brick building, Rev. B. B. Jones' dwelling ; cause, accident, fire-works.

Companies attending, 11, 20, D and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Dankel and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$1,500. Loss \$387.

July 4. At 4.45 P. M., local.

No. 910 Market street, three-story brick building, John Mellon's clothing store ; cause, accident, fireworks.

Company attending, 20. Foreman Ege in command.

Real estate insurance \$5,000.

Personal estate insurance \$5,000.

July 4. At 7.15 P. M., local.

No. 921 North Third street, two-and-a-half-story brick building, J. L. Fryer's rag store ; cause, accident, fireworks.

Company attending, 21. Assistant Engineer Baxter in command. Real estate insurance \$500. Loss \$40.

July 4. At 8.50 P. M., local.

Green and Johnston streets, Germantown ; brush heap on lot.

Company attending, 19. Foreman Whiteman in command.

July 4. At 9.27 P. M., local.

No. 1115 Bainbridge street, four-story brick building, Jos. Miskey's sugar store and dwelling ; cause, accident, explosion of fireworks.

Company attending, 11. Foreman Toomey in command.

July 5. At 1.20 A. M., box 74.

No. 1240 Salmon street, two-story frame building, P. Donnegan's shoe shop and dwelling ; cause, accident, fireworks.

Companies attending, 6, 7, 15, 21, 23, 25, B and C. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$1,200. Loss \$50.

July 5. At 5 A. M., local.

Belgrade and Dauphin streets, three-story brick building, E. Simons' grocery store ; cause, incendiary

Company attending, C. Foreman Kochersperger in command.

July 6. At 1.10 A. M., box 172.

No. 1000 Dauphin street, three-story brick building, E. Simon's grocery store ; cause, incendiary.

Companies attending, 6, 7, 15, 21, 23, 25, B and C. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Baxter.

Personal estate insurance \$2,000. Loss \$600.

July 6. At 2.20 P. M., local.

No. 2224 Alter street, two-story brick building, unoccupied dwelling ; cause, children with matches.

Company attending, 24. Foreman Napier in command.

July 7. At 12.19 A. M., box 56.

No. 1024 Ridge avenue, two-and-a-half story brick building, D. Goodwin's cigar store ; cause, carelessness, cigar smoking.

Companies attending, 13, 17, 18, 20, 21, 26, A and B. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Cress, Baxter and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$1,900. Loss \$60.

Personal estate insurance \$350. Loss \$65.

July 7. At 12.55 P. M., local.

No. 2224 Alter street, two-story brick building, unoccupied dwelling ; cause incendiary.

Company attending, 24. Foreman Napier in command.

July 8. At 1.15 P. M., local.

No. 1304 Ridge avenue, three-story brick building, A. Kiedel's cigar store and dwelling ; cause, carelessness, lighted match.

Companies attending, 13, 18, and 26. Foreman Jenners in command.

Real estate insurance \$1,200.

Personal estate insurance \$2,500.

July 8. At 6.40 P. M., box 237.

Southeast corner Twenty-third and Hamilton streets, three-story brick building, C. H. Grant & Co.'s, soap works ; cause, carelessness from candle.

Companies attending, 4, 13, 17, 18, 26, 27, A and E. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Stephens, Cress, Baxter and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$6,000. Loss \$1,165.80.

Personal estate insurance \$22,569. Loss \$3,111.93.

July 9. At 5.35 P. M., local.

No. 1607 Annapolis street, two-story frame building, H. Freeley's stable ; cause, accident, fireworks.

Companies attending, 3 and D. Foreman Senatz in command.

Real estate loss \$10.

July 9. At 6.40 P. M., local.

Nos. 620 and 624 South Sixth street, three-story brick building, John Agnew's rag store ; cause, spontaneous combustion.

Company attending, 11. Foreman Toomey in command.

July 10. At 7.25 P. M., box 154.

Ridge road and Schurr's lane, Roxborough, two-story stone building, J. Kidd's barn ; cause, accident, struck by lightning.

Companies attending, 12, G and Hand Engine B. Engineers attending, Assistants Baxter and Stephens.

Real estate insurance \$1,000. Loss \$1,500.

Personal estate loss \$2,000.

July 10. At 7.42 P. M., box 352.

Pulled for the above fire.

Companies attending, 16, 19 and 27.

July 11. At 9.15 P. M., box 65.

No. 126 North Fourth street, four-story brick building, P. Kerri-gan, rag and paper cuttings ; cause, unknown.

Companies attending, 3, 8, 17, 20, 21, 22, 26, B and D. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Stephens, Dankel and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$3,000. Loss \$125.

Personal estate insurance \$10,600. Loss \$562.52.

July 12. At 2.20 A. M., local.

No. 517 Norris street, two-story brick building, J. H. Felmenter's rag store ; cause, unknown.

Company attending, 23. Foreman Garman in command.

Real estate insurance \$600.

Personal estate loss \$100.

July 12. At 8.50 P. M., local.

Southwest corner Twenty-fourth and Brown streets, one-story frame building, John Bower's smoke house ; cause, accident, ham falling in fire.

Company attending, A. Foreman Nicholson in command.

Real estate insurance \$300.

Personal estate insurance \$700.

July 14. At 11.45 P. M., box 276.

Forty-eighth and Lancaster avenue, two-story frame building, Chas. Depley's slaughter house ; cause, carelessness, smoking hams.

Companies attending, 4, 5, 16, 18 and A. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Mooney.

Real estate loss \$100.

Personal estate loss \$100.

July 15. At 6 A. M., box 343.

No. 1523 to 1531 Bainbridge street, three-story brick building, John Kater, market house and club room ; cause, carelessness, cigar thrown in saw dust spittoon.

Companies attending, 1, 4, 11, 17, 18, 24, A and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Mooney and Dankel.

Real estate insurance \$6,000. Loss \$648,

Personal estate loss \$200.

July 15. At 8.01 P. M., box 12.

Seventh street below Bainbridge, two-story brick building, First African Presbyterian Church ; cause, accident, fireworks.

Companies attending, 1, 3, 10, 11, 20, 22, D and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Dankel.

Real estate insurance \$3,000.

July 16. At 11.27 P. M., local.

Fifth and Lehigh avenue, one-story frame building, H. Wisler's brick yard ; cause, accident, falling of roof of brick kiln.

Company attending, 23. Foreman Garman in command.

July 17. At 11.53 A. M., box 12.

No. 631 Dorsey street, three-story brick building, C. O'Conner's dwelling ; cause, carelessness, stove.

Companies attending, 1, 3, 10, 11, 20, 22, D and E. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Stephens, Mooney and Dankel.

Real estate insurance \$370.

July 17. At 2 P. M., box 95.

Northwest corner of Ninth and Columbia avenue, one-story brick and frame building, John McVeigh's trimmings manufactory ; cause, accident, picker.

Companies attending, 2, 13, 15, 23, 26, 27, A and C. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Stephens, Mooney and Baxter.

Real estate loss \$300.

Personal estate loss \$250.

July 17. At 8.30 P. M., local.

Chelton avenue, above Hancock street, Germantown ; cause, burning of brush heap.

Company attending, 19. Foreman Whiteman in command.

July 18. At 4.34 A. M., box 231.

Nos. 212 and 214 New street, two-story brick building, J. Karsner, box maker and cooper shop ; cause, carelessness, lumber piled too near flue.

Companies attending, 3, 8, 17, 20, 21, 22, 26, B and D, first alarm.

Companies attending, 4, 6, 11, 13 and A, second alarm. Engineers, Chief Johnson, Assistants Stephens, Baxter, Mooney and Dankel.

Real estate insurance \$9,066.66. Loss \$3,624.

Personal estate insurance \$3,400. Loss \$6,195.

July 18. At 9.16 A. M., box 135.

Huntingdon and Park streets, two-story stone building, Ehrett & Co.'s patent roofing establishment ; cause, carelessness, plumbers in carpenter shop.

Companies attending, 2, 13, 19, 23, 27 and A. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Baxter.

Personal estate insurance \$5,000. Loss \$4,500.

July 19. At 2.15 P. M., local.

Paul and Meadow streets, Frankford, one-and-a-half-story frame building, Feigel and Ornick's foundry ; cause, accident, furnace.

Companies attending, 7 and 14. Foreman Comly in command.

Real estate insurance \$800. Loss \$25.

Personal estate insurance \$3,200. Loss \$20.

July 19. At 3.23 P. M., local.

Twenty-third and Pennsylvania avenue, one-story frame building,
L. Diehlman's slaughter house ; cause, accident, sparks from
locomotive.

Companies attending, 18 and A. Foreman Williams in command.
Real estate loss \$30.

July 19. At 11.50 P. M., local.

No. 905 Nectarine street, three-story brick building, Mrs. Flohr's
dwelling ; cause, carelessness, candle.

Company attending, 26. Foreman Jenners in command.

Real estate insurance \$1,000. Loss \$180.

Personal estate insurance \$800, Loss \$80.

July 20. At 2.50 P. M., local.

No. 4 Crooked place, three-story brick building, Mrs. Murphy's
dwelling ; cause, accident, foul chimney.

Company attending, 21. Foreman Souder in command.

July 20. At 8.35 P. M., local.

No. 112 Spruce street, four-story brick building, John Wright &
Co.'s machine shop ; cause, accident, defective flue.

Companies attending, 3, 22 and D. Foreman Tibbitt in command.

Real estate insurance \$2,000. Loss \$100.

July 21. At 1.42 A. M., box 36.

Willow street below Fifteenth, two-story brick building, Farrel &
Herring's safe manufactory ; cause, accident, defective flue.

Companies attending, 4, 13, 17, 18, 20, 26, A and E. Engineers
attending, Assistants Stephens, Mooney and Baxter.

Personal estate insurance \$11,000.

July 21. At 11.10 A. M., local.

Front and Laurel streets, two-story frame building, H. Disston's
Keystone Saw Works ; cause, accident, heating of journal.

Companies attending, 6 and 21. Foreman Souder in command.

July 22. At 7.30 A. M., local.

No. 209 Pear street, three and a half-story brick building, Farson
& Browns' refrigerator manufactory ; cause, accident, sparks
from chimney.

Company attending, 22. Foreman Tibbitt in command.

July 22. At 11.45 A. M., local.

River road, Manayunk, one-story stone building, T. Schofield's
picker room of woollen mill ; cause, accident, picker.

Company attending, 12. Foreman Rumney in command.

July 22. At 1.18 P. M., box 283.

Seventh street above York road, two-story frame building, Jos.

Litherman's stable ; cause, supposed incendiary.

Companies attending, 2, 6, 15, 21, 23, 25, B and C. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Baxter and Mooney.

Real estate loss \$400.

Personal estate loss \$700.

July 22. At 3.31 P. M., local.

No. 6 Christian street, three story brick building, Charles Rodger's dwelling ; cause, accident, sparks on roof.

Companies attending, 3 and D. Foreman Senatz in command.

July 22 At 6.15 P. M., box 45.

Nos. 417, 419 and 421 North Third street, three-story brick buildings, Charles Rossels' cork cutter ; cause, furnace.

Companies attending, 6, 8, 20, 21, 22, 26, B and D. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Baxter, Mooney and Dankel.

Real estate insurance \$9,500. Loss \$1,306.50.

Personal estate insurance \$17,300. Loss \$3,966.46.

July 23. At 3.14 P. M., box 3.

No. 211 South Second street, three-story brick building, A. Miller's cabinet warerooms ; cause, carelessness, smoking.

Companies attending, 3, 4, 8, 17, 20, 22, B and D. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Dankel and Baxter.

Personal estate insurance \$2,000. Loss \$36.25.

July 23. At 5.29 P. M., box 74.

No. 1356 Salmon street, one-story frame building, Dennis Comony's stable ; cause, supposed incendiary.

Companies attending, 6, 7, 15, 21, 23, 25, B and C. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Baxter.

Real estate loss \$75.

Personal estate loss \$40.

July 24. At 1.41 A. M., box 361.

Front street above Somerset, two-story frame building, Faxon & Smith's planing mill ; cause, carelessness, furnace.

Companies attending, 6, 7, 15, 21, 23, 25, B and C. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Baxter.

Real estate loss \$1,000.

Personal estate loss \$2,000.

July 24. At 8.02 P. M., box 19.

Tasker street wharf, burning of rubbish on lot ; no occasion for pulling the box.

Companies attending, 3, 10, 11, 22, 24, D and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Dankel and Mooney.

July 25. At 7 P. M., box 261.

Lime Kiln pike and Chelton avenue, Germantown, one-story frame building, J. Collins' brick shed ; cause, accident, caught from kiln.

Companies attending, 9, 19, 23 and F. Assistant Engineer Baxter in command.

July 26. At 3.55 P. M., local.

No. 10 Burrs' avenue, three-story brick building, Mrs. Shields' dwelling ; cause, accident, foul chimney.

Company attending, 17. Foreman McGahey in command.

July 27. At 9.10 A. M., local.

No. 610 Market street, three-story brick building, Miller's confectionery ; cause, accident, foul chimney.

Company attending, 20. Foreman Ege in command.

July 27. At 6.14 P. M., box 65.

No. 111 North Third street, five-story brick building, M. Browns' cap manufactory ; cause, overheated stove.

Companies attending, 3, 8, 17, 20, 21, 22, 26, B and D. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Dankel, Baxter and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$16,500. Loss \$106.

Personal estate insurance \$10,000. Loss \$696.43.

July 28. At 10.14 A. M., box 9.

Rear of 1332 Washington avenue, one-story frame building, Chas. Dougherty's paint manufactory ; cause, accident, upsetting of varnish on fire.

Companies attending, 1, 4, 10, 11, 17, 24, D and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Mooney and Dankel.

Real estate loss \$75.

Personal estate loss \$25.

July 28. At 1. 20 P. M., local.

No. 864 North Third street, three-story brick building, D. Hammerstein's satchel manufactory ; cause, carelessness, children with matches.

Company attending, 21. Foreman Souder in command.

Real estate insurance \$400.

July 28. At 1.40 P. M., box 1.

No. 4 Library street, five-story brick building, Goldsmith's Hall ; cause, foul chimney.

Companies attending, 3, 4, 8, 17, 20, 22, B and D. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Stephens, Dankel and Mooney.

July 28. At 2.50 P. M., local.

No. 2346 North Third street, three-story brick building, Thomas Miller's dwelling ; cause, accident, defective flue.

Company attending, 23. Foreman Garman in command.

July 29. At 7.50. P. M., local.

Bonfire at Whitehall.

Company attending, 14. Foreman Comly in command.

July 30. At 6.45 A. M., box 167.

No. 1225 William street, three-story frame building, dwelling ; cause, accident, foul chimney.

Companies attending, 6, 7, 15, 21, 23, 25 and C. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Baxter.

July 30. At 9.12 P. M., box 238.

No. 232 North Eighth street, two-and-a-half-story brick building, J. R. Alexander's jewelry store and dwelling ; cause, carelessness, gas stove in closet.

Companies attending, 8, 11, 13, 17, 20, 26, A and B. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Baxter and Dankel.

Real estate insurance \$500. Loss \$198.

Personal estate insurance \$1,500. Loss \$678.90.

July 31. At 2 P. M., local.

No. 2060 Philip street, three-story brick building, Mrs. Bleil's dwelling ; cause, accident, sparks from saw mill.

Companies attending, 23 and C. Foreman Garman in command.

July 31. At 4 P. M., box 175.

Tucker and Stiles streets, Whitehall, one-and-a-half-story brick building, Edward Ayres & Co.'s lamp black manufactory ; cause, accident, furnace.

Companies attending, 7, 14, 25, C and hand engine D. Assistant Engineer Baxter in command.

Real estate loss \$200.

Personal estate loss \$200.

Summary of Insurance and Loss during July.

Real Estate	Insurance...	\$101,536 00	Loss...	\$14,138 72
Personal Estate	Insurance...	159,069 00	Loss...	44,665 69
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		\$260,605 00		\$58,804 41
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AUGUST.

August 1. At 3.30 A. M., box 153.

Tulip and Dauphin streets, three-story brick building, Sellers & Kenderdine's grocery store; cause, carelessness, candle left in cellar.

Companies attending, 6, 7, 15, 21, 23, 25, B and C. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$2,500. Loss \$75.

Personal estate insurance \$1,500. Loss \$117.14.

August 1. At 9.23 A. M., box 57.

No. 1415 Buttonwood street, three-story brick building, E. H. Prince's dwelling; cause, accident, sparks from foundry.

Companies attending, 2, 13, 17, 18, 20, 26, A and B. Engineers attending, Assistant Stephens and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$500.

August 2. At 5.20 P. M., box 216.

No. 1327 Lombard street, three-story brick building, Mrs. Grafton's grocery store and dwelling; cause, accident, chimney.

Companies attending, 1, 3, 4, 11, 17, 20, D and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Dankel and Mooney.

Personal estate insurance \$2,000.

August 3. At 8.30 A. M., local.

Willow Grove avenue, Germantown, three-story stone building, Mr. Audenreid's barn; cause unknown.

Company attending, 9. Foreman Maxwell in command.

August 3. At 9.15 A. M., local.

No. 1705 Chestnut street, two-and-a-half-story brick building, Carlyle & Joy's paint shop; cause, accident, melting wax over gas light.

Company attending, 4. Foreman McClintock in command.

Real estate insurance \$1,500.

Personal estate insurance \$2,500.

August 3. At 4.35 P. M., box 6.

No. 1203 South Fourth street, three-story brick building, G. Phillips' dwelling; cause, accident, sparks from foundry.

Companies attending, 1, 3, 10, 11, 24, D and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Dankel.

Real estate insurance \$3,200. Loss \$308.71.

August 3. At 5 P. M., box 64.

No. 1926 North Second street, one-story frame building, McGrath & Co.'s waterproof roofing establishment; cause, accident, boiling over of pot of pitch.

Companies attending, 2, 6, 15, 21, 23, 25, B and C. Engineers attending, Assistants Baxter and Stephens.

Real estate insurance \$600. Loss \$209.10.

Personal estate loss \$400.

August 4. At 1.30 A. M., local.

No. 149 North Third street, two-and-a-half-story brick building, Pritchard & Co.'s liquor store; cause, accident, gas jet.

Company attending, 8. Foreman Smith in command.

August 4. At 2.42 A. M., box 95.

Northwest corner of Columbia avenue and Germantown Railroad, two-and-a-half-story brick building, Hansell & McVeigh's trimmings factory; cause, spontaneous combustion.

Companies attending, 2, 13, 15, 23, 26, 27, A and E. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Stephens and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$13,000. Loss \$4,750.

Personal estate insurance \$24,925. Loss \$25,324.75.

August 6. At 10.50 A. M., box 163.

Kensington avenue and Harrowgate lane, two-story frame building, Wm. Grousha's dwelling; cause, accident, kitchen stove.

Companies attending, 7, 14, 25 and H. Assistant Engineer Baxter in command.

Real estate insurance \$500. Loss \$500.

August 6. At 5.14 P. M., box 73.

Gunners' run and Delaware river, schooner G. W. Baker, loaded with hay; cause, accident, stove.

Companies attending, 6, 7, 15, 21, 23, 25, B and C. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Stephens and Baxter.

Personal estate loss \$1,600.

August 6. At 6.30 P. M., local.

Main street, Manayunk, four-story stone building, Patterson's cloth mill; cause, accident, heating of journal.

Company attending, 12. Foreman Rumney in command.

August 7. At 12.20 P. M., local.

Mount Moriah lane and Darby road, one-story stone building, dwelling; cause, accident, defective flue.

Companies attending, 5 and hand engine C. Foreman Wilson in command.

August 8. At 3.45 A. M., local.

Thompson street above Tioga, two-story frame dwelling, and three one-story frame stables, Butchley & Sylvester's; cause, carelessness, set fire by vagrants.

Companies attending, 7, 25 and C. Foreman Humphries in command.

Real estate insurance \$4,500. Loss \$2,575.

August 8. At 8.34 P. M., box 157.

Main and Rittenhouse streets, Germantown, two and-a-half-story brick building, Ingards' bakery; cause, steam from furnace; on fire.

Companies attending, 9, 19, 23 and F. Assistant Engineer Baxter in command.

August 9. At 4.29 P. M., box 4.

No. 610 South Front street, two-story frame building, Mrs. Kirk's stable; cause, carelessness, boys smoking in hayloft.

Companies attending, 1, 3, 8, 10, 11, 22, B and D. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Dankel.

Real estate loss \$50.

Personal estate loss \$100.

August 10. At 2.46 P. M., box 85.

Nos. 1714 and 1716 Ridge avenue, two-story brick building, E. H. Darnell's flour and feed store; cause, carelessness, vagrants.

Companies attending, 2, 13, 17, 18, 26, 27, A and B. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Stephens, Cress and Dankel.

Real estate insurance \$5,000. Loss \$2,040.

Personal estate insurance \$2,000. Loss \$1,400.

August 10. At 9.50 P. M., box 223.

Northwest corner of Eighth and Market streets, four-story brick building, Strawbridge and Clothier, dry goods; cause, accident, explosion of gas.

Companies attending, 4, 8, 11, 17, 20, 22, 26, B and D. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Dankel and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$40,000. Loss \$25.

Personal estate insurance \$200,000. Loss \$200.

August 11. At 4 A. M., local.

Forty-sixth and Westminster avenue, three-story brick building, James Duffy's tavern; cause, accident, explosion of coal oil lamp.

Company attending, 16. Foreman Evans in command.

August 11. At 1.44 A. M., box 261.

Dauphin and Berks streets, three-story brick building, Enterprise Hardware Works ; cause, spontaneous combustion.

Companies attending, 6, 7, 15, 21, 23, 25, B and C. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$10,500. Loss \$4,050.

Personal estate insurance \$24,800. Loss \$9,000.

August 11. At 1 P. M., local.

Hope street below Dauphin, two-story frame building, N. Miller's dwelling ; cause, accident, defective flue.

Company attending, 25. Foreman Humphreys in command.

August 11. At 4.23 P. M., box 282.

Jasper street and Hart lane, Frankford, one-story frame building, Felton, Rau & Sibley's varnish factory ; cause, accident, explosion of benzine.

Companies attending, 6, 7, 15, 21, 23, 25, B and C. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Baxter.

Real estate loss \$50.

Personal estate loss \$50.

August 11. At 7 P. M., local.

Long lane and Buck road, one-story frame building, Hallowell's varnish works ; cause, accident, boiling over of varnish.

Company attending, 24. Foreman Napier in command.

August 12. At 8.30 P. M., box 175.

False alarm ; no occasion for pulling the box.

Companies attending, 7, 14, 25 and C. Engineer attending, Assistant Baxter.

August 13. At 11.14 P. M., box 7.

False alarm ; no occasion for pulling the box.

Companies attending, 1, 3, 10, 11, 20, 24, D and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Dankel and Mooney.

August 14. At 7.50 A. M., local.

Main street, Manayunk, five-story stone building, D. Schofield's blanket mill ; cause, accident, picker.

Company attending, 12. Foreman Rumney in command.

August 15. At 10.30 P. M., local.

No. 614 South Twentieth street, three-story brick building, H.

McCafferty's dwelling ; cause, carelessness, straw in cellar.

Companies attending, 1 and E. Foreman Young in command.

Real estate insurance \$3,000.

August 16. At 6.40 A. M., box 153.

Holman and Abigal streets, three-story brick building, Leffert & Sample's saw and planing mill ; cause, carelessness, furnace.

Companies attending, 6, 7, 15, 21, 23, 25, B and C. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$1,000.

Personal estate insurance \$3,000.

August 17. At 2.45 A. M., local.

Second and Olney streets, two-and-a-half-story stone building, Jesse Reese's barn ; cause, supposed incendiary.

Companies attending, 7, 14 and 23. Foreman Comly in command.

August 17. At 3.12 P. M., box 12.

Northwest corner of Sixth and Bainbridge streets, two-and-a-half-story frame building, grocery and dwelling ; cause, accident, foul chimney.

Companies attending, 1, 3, 10, 11, 20, 22, D and E. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants, Stephens, Dankel and Mooney.

August 17. At 11.12 P. M., box 68.

No. 445 Fairmount avenue, three-story brick building, J. G. Nichols' tavern and dwelling ; cause unknown.

Companies attending, 6, 13, 15, 21, 23, 26, A and B. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$500.

August 18. At 2.04 A. M., box 142.

No. 11 Cross alley, one-story frame building, Mrs. Collins' dwelling ; cause, accident, lamp upset.

Companies attending, 1, 3, 10, 11, 20, D and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Mooney and Dankel.

Real estate insurance \$500.

August 18. At 2.12 P. M., box 164.

No. 1124 Marks lane, two-story brick building, M. J. Moore's stable ; cause, incendiary.

Companies attending, 4, 11, 13, 17, 20, 26, A and B. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Stephens, Baxter, Cress, Dankel and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$16,700. Loss \$437.

Personal estate insurance \$10,000. Loss \$300.

August 18. At 6.30 P. M., box 12.

No. 724 Spafford street, one-story brick building, John Agnew's rag store ; cause, carelessness, smoking.

Companies attending, 1, 3, 10, 11, 20, 22, D and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Dankel and Mooney.

August 18. At 10.10 P. M., box 182.

No. 338 Bradford street, three-story brick building, dwelling ; cause, accident, candle.

Companies attending, 1, 4, 11, 17, 18, 24, A and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$1,000.

August 19. At 6.15 A. M., local.

No. 163 Allen street, three-story brick building, Brady & Co.'s saw and planing mill ; cause, accident, shavings in engine room.

Companies attending, 6 and C. Foreman McKinley in command.

August 19. At 11.57 P. M., box 212.

False alarm ; no occasion for pulling the box.

Companies attending, 1, 3, 10, 11, 20, 24, D and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Dankel and Mooney.

August 23. At 213 A. M., box 26.

No. 108 North Tenth street, three-story brick building, Philadelphia Dental College ; cause, carelessness, gas stove.

Companies attending, 4, 11, 13, 17, 20, 26, B and D. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Mooney, Cress and Dankel.

Real estate insurance \$3,000. Loss \$128.

Personal estate insurance \$7,140. Loss \$1,967.75.

August 23. At 9 04 A. M., box 1.

No. 321 Chestnut street, four-story brick building, Reed & Eldridge's clothing store ; cause, carelessness, barrel of hot ashes.

Companies attending, 3, 4, 8, 17, 20, 22, B and D. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Stephens, Mooney and Dankel.

Real estate insurance \$6,000. Loss \$155.

Personal estate insurance \$20,500. Loss \$350.

August 25. At 1.20 A. M., local.

Nos. 212, 214 and 216 North Front street, four-story brick building, T. Watson's cracker bakery ; cause, accident, burning bread.

Company attending, 8. Foreman Smith in command.

Real estate insurance \$30,000.

Personal estate insurance \$40,000.

August 25. At 3.50 P. M., box 139.

No. 1110 Ash street, three-story brick building, unoccupied dwelling ; cause, accident, sparks from foundry.

Companies attending, 6, 7, 15, 21, 23, 25, B and C. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$2,400. Loss \$10.

August 25. At 12.30 P. M., local.

Allen lane and Cresson creek Germantown, two-story stone building, Joseph Hill's cotton mill ; cause, accident, picker.

Company attending, 9. Foreman Maxwell in command.

August 26. At 2.28 P. M., local.

No. 129 North Twenty-third street, two-story frame building, John Kyle's dwelling ; cause, accident, defective flue.

Company attending, 18. Engineer attending, Assistant Mooney.

August 27. At 1.15 A. M., local.

York road and Fisher's lane Germantown, two-story frame building, Dr. S. Roberts' store house ; cause, incendiary.

Company attending, 23. Foreman Garman in command.

August 27. At 2 P. M., box 49.

No. 249 Oxford street, two-story brick building, P. Taggart's cotton waste factory ; cause, accident, picker.

Companies attending, 2, 6, 15, 21, 23, 25, B and C. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Baxter and Cress.

Real estate insurance \$500.

Personal estate insurance \$2,700. Loss \$850.

August 27. At 4.55 P. M., box 217.

Northeast corner Twenty-first and Spruce streets, six-story brick building, Baltz & Co.'s brewery ; cause unknown.

Companies attending, 1, 4, 11, 17, 18, 24, A and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Mooney.

August 28. At 10 A. M., local.

Northwest corner Tenth and Filbert streets, six-story brick building, William Massey's ale brewery ; cause, accident, friction of machinery.

Companies attending, 20 and 26. Foreman Ege in command.

August 28. At 1.20 P. M., local.

No. 263 South Third street, three-and-a-half story brick building, Mrs. Johnson's boarding house ; cause, accident, sparks from chimney.

Company attending, 22. Foreman Tibbitt in command.

August 28. At 2.30 P. M., local.

No. 49 Ash street Bridesburg, stack of hay, Robert Wilson, owner.

Companies attending, 7 and hand engine D. Foreman Castor in command.

August 28. At 4.10 P. M., local.

Northwest corner Tenth and Filbert streets, six-story brick building, William Massey's ale brewery ; cause, accident, friction of machinery.

Company attending, 20 Foreman Ege in command.

August 29. At 2.05 P. M., local.

No. 1317 Race street, three-story brick building, J. Pfaffs' musical instruments; cause, accident, sparks from chimney.

Company attending, 17. Foreman McGahey in command.

Real estate insurance \$1,500. Loss \$10.

August 29. At 10 P. M., box 251.

Green lane and North Pennsylvania Railroad, two-story stone building, S. S. Price's barn; cause, carelessness, candle.

Companies attending, 9, 19, 23 and F. Engineer attending, Assistant Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$1,000. Loss \$6,300.

Personal estate insurance \$3,500. Loss \$1,555.

August 29. At 10.30 P. M., box 261.

Cause, pulled for fire box 251.

Companies attending, 9, 19, 23 and F. Engineer attending, Assistant Baxter.

August 31. At 7.30 P. M., local.

Northwest corner Fourth and Race streets, five-story brick building, William Waterall's paint and color store; cause, spontaneous combustion.

Company attending, B. Foreman Cooper in command.

Personal estate insurance \$10,000.

August 31. At 7.50 P. M., box 356.

Thirty-third street and Pennsylvania Railroad, three freight cars loaded with whiskey and tobacco; cause, accident, brakeman's lamp.

Companies attending, 4, 5, 16, 18 and A. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Mooney.

Personal estate loss \$5,000.

Summary of Insurance and Loss during August.

Real Estate	Insurance...\$156,900	Loss...\$21,672 81
Personal Estate	Insurance... 354,565	Loss... 48,214 64
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	\$511,465	\$69,887 45
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SEPTEMBER.

September 1. At 3.15 A. M., box 138.

Northwest corner of Twenty-third and Simes streets, two-story brick building, James Wright's carpet-yarn manufactory ; cause, accident, picker.

Companies attending, 1, 4, 5, 17, 18, 24, A and E. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Stephens and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$9,000. Loss \$1,325.50.

Personal estate insurance \$11,100. Loss \$9,398.39.

September 1. At 7.34 P. M., box 37.

No. 1306 Atmore street, one-story frame building, Fedley & Smith's stable ; cause, carelessness, smoking pipes.

Companies attending, 2, 13, 17, 18, 26, 27, A and B. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Stephens and Cress.

Personal estate loss \$100.

September 2. At 12.40 A. M., box 127.

No. 507 Pine street, three-story brick building, A. Moyn's dwelling ; cause, accident, lighting gas.

Companies attending, 3, 4, 8, 11, 20, 22, B and D. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$1,500. Loss \$6.44.

September 2. At 12 45 A. M., box 152.

Rear of 1415 Hutchinson street, two-story brick building, James Donnelly's stable ; cause, carelessness, lantern.

Companies attending, 2, 6, 13, 21, 23, 26, A and B. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Cress and Baxter.

September 2. At 1.41 A. M., box 276.

Fifty-second and Lancaster avenue, car loaded with coal oil, Pennsylvania Railroad ; cause, accident, sparks from locomotive.

Companies attending, 4, 5, 16, 18 and A. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Mooney.

Personal estate loss \$2,500

September 2. At 6.25 A. M., box 6.

No. 1338 South Fifth street, two-story brick building, James Balenger's stables ; cause unknown.

Companies attending, 1, 3, 10, 11, 24, D and E. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Mooney and Dankel.

Real estate insurance \$500. Loss \$395.

Personal estate insurance \$7,000. Loss \$85.

September 3. At 11.10 P. M., box 48.

Thirtieth street below Bridge, one-story frame building, Charles Lafferty's stables ; cause, incendiary.

Companies attending, 1, 4, 5, 10, 16, 17, 18, 26, A and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Mooney and Dankel.

Real estate loss \$100.

Personal estate insurance \$8,000. Loss \$8,895.78.

September 4. At 4.20 A. M., local.

Thirtieth and Bridge streets, pile of lumber owned by Keystone Bridge Company ; cause, rekindling of the above fire.

Company attending, 15. Foreman Wilson in command.

September 5. At 3.55 A. M., box 25.

Nos. 108 and 110 Eutaw street, five-story brick building, Geo. B. Bains' trunk manufactory ; cause unknown.

Companies attending, 8, 17, 20, 22, 26, B and D, first alarm.

Companies attending, 3, 4 and 21, second alarm. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Stephens, Mooney, Dankel and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$6,900. Loss \$2,957.

Personal estate insurance \$5,500. Loss \$5,500.

September 5. At 11.15 P. M., local.

No. 1303 Hick street, two-story brick building, Mrs. McCormick's dwelling ; cause, accident, upsetting coal oil lamp.

Company attending, 24. Foreman Napier in command.

Personal estate loss \$40.

September 6. At 10.25 P. M., box 251.

Seymour and Main streets, Germantown, two-story stone building, E. S. Richards' barn ; cause, supposed incendiary.

Companies attending, 9, 19, 23 and F. Assistant Engineer Baxter in command.

Real estate loss \$3,000.

Personal estate loss \$1,500.

September 7. At 10.30 A. M., local.

Broad street above League Island, two-story iron building, John Woodruff's Sons lampblack manufactory ; cause, accident, explosion of coal oil.

Companies attending, 1 and 24. Assistant Engineer Mooney in command.

Real estate insurance \$5,100. Loss \$2,550.

Personal estate insurance \$150.

September 7. At 1 P. M., box 227.

Northwest corner of Thirteenth and Race streets, three-story brick building, John Boyland, cabinet maker ; cause, carelessness, boiling glue.

Companies attending, 4, 13, 17, 18, 20, 26, A and B. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Stephens, Dankel and Cress.

Real estate insurance \$5,200. Loss \$297.

September 7. At 1.10 P. M., local.

No. 147 North Thirteenth street, two-and-a-half-story brick building, dwelling ; cause, accident, sparks from engine.

Company attending, 20. Foreman Ege in command.

September 7. At 1.16 P. M., box 83.

No. 439 Market street, four-story brick building, Dungan, Wheelan & Co.'s drug house ; cause unknown.

Companies attending, 3, 8, 17, 20, 21, 22, 26, B and D. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Stephens, Baxter, Dankel and Cress.

Real estate insurance \$9,000. Loss \$30.

Personal estate insurance \$10,000. Loss \$250.

September 7. At 3.44 P. M., box 323.

No. 115 Dock street, four-story brick building, Wm. F. Comly, auctioneer ; cause, accident, sparks from chimney.

Companies attending, 3, 4, 8, 20, 22, 26, B and D. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Dankel.

Real estate insurance \$12,000. Loss \$501.72.

Personal estate insurance \$4,500. Loss \$125.

September 7. At 7.26 P. M., local.

No. 826 Market street, five-story brick building, Commercial Hotel ; cause, explosion of can of coal oil.

Company attending, 20. Foreman Ege in command.

September 7. At 9.54 P. M., box 14.

False alarm ; no occasion for pulling the box.

Companies attending, 4, 11, 17, 20, 22, 26, D and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Dankel.

September 9. At 3.57 A. M., local.

Twenty-second and Nicetown lane, two-story frame building, Fred. Goodwin's barn ; cause, carelessness, lantern.

Companies attending, 19 and 23. Foreman Garman in command.

Real estate loss \$50.

Personal estate insurance \$342. Loss \$342.

September 9. At 2.27 P. M., local.

Twenty-fifth and Reed streets, one-story frame building, J. & F. Gillespie's brick yard shed; cause, accident, caught from brick kiln.

Company attending, 24. Foreman Napier in command.

Real estate loss \$20.

Personal estate loss \$50.

September 11. At 4.45 A. M., box 27.

No. 14 South Broad street, four-story brick building, J. W. Price's restaurant; cause, carelessness, kitchen range.

Companies attending, 1, 4, 11, 13, 17, 20, A and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Mooney, Dankel and Cress.

Real estate insurance \$2,000. Loss \$700.

Personal estate insurance \$3,000. Loss \$1,000.

September 13. At 7.30 P. M., local.

Southwest corner of Beach and Coates streets, three-and-a-half-story brick building, T. Conrow's fruit canning establishment; cause, carelessness, coals dropping from furnace.

Company attending, 21. Foreman Souder in command.

September 14. At 10.27 P. M., local.

Northwest corner Seventeenth and Callowhill streets, two-story brick building, Charles Este, office of lumber yard; cause, accident, roof caught from fire balloon.

Company attending, 18. Foreman Williams in command.

September 15. At 8.50 P. M., local.

No. 42 Tasker street, two-story brick building, Thomas Lutmer, wheelwright; cause, accident, sparks from forge.

Company attending, 10. Assistant Engineer Dankel in command.

September 15. At 11.28 P. M., box 49.

No. 1608 Cadwalader street, two-story brick building, G. H. Craig's shoddy mill; cause, accident, picker.

Companies attending, 2, 6, 15, 21, 23, 25, B and C. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson and Assistant Baxter.

Real estate loss \$500.

Personal estate insurance \$3,000. Loss \$1,550.

September 16. At 5.07 A. M., box 351.

Manheim and Wayne streets, Germantown, two-story stone building, Mr. Johnson's unoccupied barn; cause, supposed incendiary.

Companies attending, 9, 19, 23 and F. Assistant Engineer Baxter in command.

Real estate loss \$200.

September 20. At 2.15 P. M., box 23.

No. 731 Chestnut street, four-story brick building, Thomas Green's restaurant and dwelling ; cause, carelessness, sweepings in cellar. Companies attending, 4, 8, 11, 17, 20, 22, 26, B and D. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Mooney, Dankel and Stephens.

Real estate insurance \$20,000.

Personal estate insurance \$10,000.

September 21. At 2.30 A. M., local.

Long lane and Mifflin street, oil tank, Wm. King's coal oil works ; cause, accident, explosion coal oil.

Company attending, 24. Foreman Napier in command.

September 24. At 10.20, box 42.

False alarm ; no occasion for pulling the box.

Companies attending, 3, 8, 17, 20, 21, 22, 26, B and D. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Stephens, Dankel and Baxter.

September 25. At 1.30 P. M., local.

No. 427 St. John street, six-story brick building, Edw. Evans' morocco manufactory ; cause, accident, boiling over of pot of pitch.

Companies attending, 8, 21 and B. Assistant Engineer Stephens in command.

September 25. At 6.30 P. M., local.

No. 783 South Second street, three-story brick building, John Kolhoff's confectionery ; cause, accident, gas explosion.

Companies attending, 3 and D.

Personal estate loss \$40.

September 26. At 9 P. M., box 49.

No. 1540 Cadwalader street, one-story frame building, Adam Ackerly's stable ; cause, carelessness, lamp left burning.

Companies attending, 2, 6, 15, 21, 23, 25, B and C. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Baxter and Cress.

Personal estate loss \$40.

September 26. At 11.15 P. M., local.

Rear of No. 1314 Corn street, two-story frame building, John Coleman's dwelling ; cause, accident, explosion of coal oil lamp.

Company attending, 10. Foreman Patterson in command.

September 28. At 12.08 P. M., box 239.

No. 2104 Fairmount avenue, three-story brick building, C. Schmitt's beer saloon and dwelling ; cause, accident, sparks from chimney. Companies attending, 2, 4, 13, 18, 26, 27, A and E. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Baxter, Cress, Mooney and Stephens.

Real estate insurance \$2,000. Loss \$800.

Personal estate insurance \$3,100. Loss \$107.95.

September 28. At 8.15 P. M., local.

No. 239 Raspberry alley, three-story brick building, B. F. Brown's stable ; cause, carelessness, candle left burning.

Company attending, 11. Foreman Toomey in command.

September 30. At 9.37 A. M., box 167.

Edgement and Ann streets, one-story frame building ; cause, accident, boiling over of a pot of pitch.

Companies attending, 6, 7, 15, 21, 23, 25 and C. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Baxter.

Summary of Insurance and Loss during September.

Real Estate Insurance...	\$73,200	Loss.....	\$13,432 66
Personal Estate Insurance...	70,692	Loss.....	31,524 12
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	\$143,892		\$44,956 78
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OCTOBER.

October 2. At 7.55 A. M., box E3.

No. 46 North Sixth street, three-story brick building ; T. Brusch's cigar store and dwelling ; cause, accident, explosion of benzine. Companies attending, 3, 8, 17, 20, 21, 22, 26, B and D. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Stephens, Dankel and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$5,000. Loss \$29.04.

Personal estate insurance \$2,000. Loss \$400.

October 5. At 7.25 P. M., local.

No. 328 Dean street, three-story brick building, Wm. Bell's dwelling ; cause, accident, gas burner.

Company attending, 11. Foreman Toomey in command.

Real estate insurance \$500.

October 6. At 11 A. M., local.

No. 316 Richmond street, two three-story brick buildings, E. S. Garner's umbrella store and dwelling ; cause, accident, sparks from chimney.

Company attending, 6. Foreman McKinley in command.

Real estate insurance \$2,700. Loss \$132.

Personal estate loss \$40.

October 6. At 5.15 P. M., local.

No. 309 North Second street, four-story brick building, George C. Comins' furniture store ; cause, carelessness.

Company attending, B. Foreman Cooper in command.

October 6. At 10.25 P. M., local.

No. 1207 South street, three-story brick building, Mrs. A. McCrosson's cigar store and dwelling ; cause, accident, explosion of coal oil lamp.

Company attending, 11. Foreman Toomey in command.

Real estate insurance \$2,000.

Personal estate insurance \$1,000. Loss \$237.90.

October 7. At 1 A. M., box 4.

No. 624 South Front street, three-story brick building, Edward Rahl's dwelling ; cause, accident, sparks on roof.

Companies attending, 1, 3, 8, 10, 11, 23, B and D. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Stephens, Mooney and Dankel.

Real estate insurance \$1,000. Loss \$329.78.

Personal estate loss \$200.

October 7th. At 11.20 A. M., box 71.

Philip street, above Berks, three-story brick building, George Snyder's carpenter shop ; cause, carelessness, children playing with fire.

Companies attending, 6, 7, 15, 21, 23, 25, B and C. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Baxter.

Real estate loss \$300.

October 10. At 10.49 P. M., box 128.

No. 229 North Sixth street, three-story brick building, James Palmer's dwelling ; cause, carelessness, light in loft.

Companies attending, 8, 17, 20, 21, 22, 26, B and D. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Mooney, Baxter and Dankel.

Real estate insurance \$4,000. Loss \$96.55.

Personal estate insurance \$1,000. Loss \$125.

October 12. At 3.55 P. M., box 243.

Nos. 1115, 1117 and 1119 Dunton street, two-story frame building,
James Flanigan's stable ; cause, supposed incendiary.

Companies attending, 2, 6, 15, 21, 23, 25, B and C. Engineers
attending, Assistants Stephens and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$7,150. Loss \$146.60.

Personal estate loss \$75.

October 12. At 4.30 P. M., local.

No. 512 Market street, four-story brick building, Graeff, Watkins
& Co.'s boot and shoe house ; cause unknown.

Company attending, 20. Acting foreman Brewster in command.

Real estate insurance \$10,000. Loss \$30.

Personal estate insurance \$105,000. Loss \$101.70.

October 12. At 4.30 P. M., local.

Nos. 1045 and 1047 Frankford road, three-story brick buildings,
Thomas Haig's dwellings ; cause, accident, sparks from Dunton
street fire.

Company attending, 6. Foreman Kochersperger in command.

October 12. At 4.50 P. M., local.

Pine street wharf, Schuylkill ; lot of rubbish on wharf.

Company attending, 1. Acting Foreman Smith in command.

October 12. At 8.05 P. M., box 31.

Nos. 1905 and 1907 Market street, four-story brick building, D.
Carrick & Co.'s steam cracker bakery ; cause, carelessness,
burnt crackers thrown in barrel.

Companies attending, 1, 4, 13, 17, 18, 20, A and E. Engineers
attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Stephens, Mooney and
Cress.

Real estate insurance \$10,000.

Personal estate insurance \$12,000.

October 12. At 8.30 P. M., box 23.

No. 915 Sansom street, three-story brick building, McKenna &
Meade, oil finishers ; cause unknown.

Companies attending, 4, 8, 11, 17, 20, 22, 26, B and D. Engineers
attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Stephens, Mooney and
Dankel.

Real estate insurance \$10,000. Loss \$1,750.

Personal estate insurance \$118,000. Loss \$11,194.96.

October 13. At 5.55 A. M., box 25.

Southwest corner of Eighth and Arch streets, four-story brick building, Haines & Eastburn's dry goods store; cause, accident, heater too near wood work.

Companies attending, 8, 13, 17, 20, 22, 26, B and D. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephen, Dankel and Cress.

Real estate insurance \$12,000. Loss \$1,202.05.

Personal estate insurance \$19,000. Loss \$21,445.69.

October 14. At 2.08 A. M., box 139.

Nos. 1352 and 1354 Vienna street, one-story brick building, Hamilton & Kerwin's wire works; cause, accident, chimney.

Companies attending, 6, 7, 15, 21, 23, 25, B and C. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$4,000. Loss \$100.

Personal estate insurance \$4,000.

October 14. At 1.49 P. M., local.

No. 532 South Third street, three-story brick building, A. M. Goldstone's fur store and dwelling; cause, carelessness, children playing with matches.

Company attending, 22. Foreman Keevan in command.

Real estate insurance \$2,000.

Personal estate insurance \$2,000. Loss \$200.

October 14. At 7.07 P. M., local.

Philadelphia and Montgomery county line, three-story stone building, Mrs. Evans' dwelling; cause, accident, chimney.

Company attending, 19. Foreman Whiteman in command.

October 14. At 7.32 P. M., local.

No. 858 Swanson street, three-story brick building, A. Debinder's dwelling; cause, accident, explosion of lamp.

Companies attending, 3 and D. Foreman Senatz in command.

October 15. At 8.10 P. M., local.

No. 439 North street, three-story brick building, Geo. White's hair dressing saloon; cause, accident, explosion of gas.

Company attending, B. Foreman Cooper in command

October 17. At 8.50 P. M., local.

Main and Armat streets, Germantown, three-story frame building, Richd. Brown's shoe store; cause, accident, fireworks.

Company attending, 19. Foreman Whiteman in command.

October 18. At 1.05 A. M., box 59.

False alarm; no occasion for pulling the box.

Companies attending, 2, 13, 17, 18, 21, 26, A and B. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Cress, Stephens and Baxter.

October 17. At 3.20 P. M., local.

Third street above Walnut, two-story stone building, Merchant's Exchange ; cause, accident, bursting of gas pipe.

Company attending, 22. Foreman Keevan in command.

October 19. At 3.56 P. M., local.

No. 2011 South street, three-story brick building, Geo. Howard's dwelling ; cause, carelessness, insane child with matches.

Companies attending, 1 and E. Foreman Young in command.

October 20. At 9.30 A. M., local.

No. 2011 South street ; same as above, second attempt.

Companies attending, 1 and E. Foreman Young in command.

Real estate insurance \$1,000. Loss \$34.77.

Personal estate loss \$50.

October 20. At 11 A. M., local.

Fourth and Callowhill streets, market sheds ; cause, carelessness, cigar stump thrown on roof.

Company attending, B. Foreman Cooper in command.

October 20. At 12 38 P. M., box 61.

Nos. 1012 and 1014 New Market street, two-story brick building, R. Worthington's machine shop ; cause, accident, sparks from chimney.

Companies attending, 6, 13, 15, 21, 23, 26, B and C. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Baxter and Cress.

Real estate loss \$50.

Personal estate insurance \$2,000. Loss \$300.

October 20. At 1 P. M., local.

Southeast corner New Market and Laurel streets, three-story brick building, W. H. Stahl's grocery and dwelling ; cause, accident, sparks from 21 engine.

Company attending, 21. Foreman Souder in command.

October 21. At 12.30 A. M., local.

Corner Twenty-first street and Washington avenue, two-story brick building, M. Buggy's cotton mill ; cause, accident, damper attached to boiler.

Company attending, 24. Foreman Napier in command.

Real estate loss \$10.

Personal estate loss \$35.

October 22. At 9.15 A. M., local.

Rear of 1405 Race street, three-story brick building, Mrs. O'Connell's dwelling ; cause, accident, foul chimney.

Company attending, 17. Foreman McGahey in command.

October 23. At 10.09 P. M., box 265.

Centre street, Manayunk, one-story stone building, Spafford & Co.'s cotton mill ; cause, accident, picker.

Companies attending, 12, 16, 19, 27 and G. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistant Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$400. Loss \$50.

Personal estate insurance \$3,900. Loss \$278.74.

October 24. At 1.07 A. M., box 124.

Twenty-fifth street and Passyunk road, one-story brick building, John Fullerton's coal oil works ; cause, accident, explosion of still.

Companies attending, 1, 4, 10, 24 and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Mooney and Dankel.

Personal estate insurance \$5,000. Loss \$1,767.50.

October 26. At 9.50 A. M., local.

Southwest corner Howard and Oxford streets, three-story brick building, John Dornan's carpet manufactory ; cause, accident, burning of waste.

Company attending, 15. Foreman McDade in command.

Real estate insurance \$25,000.

Personal estate insurance \$65,000.

October 26. At 1.25 P. M., local.

No. 2003 Ellsworth street, three-story brick building, Mrs. Mahoney's dwelling ; cause, accident, upsetting of a coal oil lamp.

Company attending, 24. Foreman Napier in command.

Real estate insurance \$2,000.

October 26. At 9.50 A. M., box 9.

Fifteenth and Reed streets, two-story frame building, P. Young's barn ; cause, carelessness, smoking.

Companies attending, 1, 4, 10, 11, 17, 24, D and E. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Stephens, Mooney and Dankel.

October 28. At 11.50 A. M., local.

No. 350 Race street, three-story brick building, James Dixon's dwelling ; cause, carelessness, child with matches.

Company attending, 5. Foreman Wilson in command.

October 29. At 11.39 P. M., box 151.

Queen lane and Dover street, Falls of Schuylkill, six-story stone building, Jacob Hohenagle's brewery ; cause, supposed incendiary.

Companies attending, 12, 13, 16, 19, 27, A and G. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Baxter, Cress and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$17,000. Loss \$15,000.

Personal estate insurance \$7,300. Loss \$3,146.

October 30. At 12.05 A. M., box 76.

Box pulled for the above fire.

Companies attending, 2, 9, 18, 26 and C.

October 30. At 2.43 A. M., box 274.

Alarm sent wrong from Central Station. Box 78 was pulled.

Companies attending, 1, 4, 5, 16, 17, A and E. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Mooney and Stephens.

October 31. At 9.03 A. M., box 42.

Nos. 57 and 59 North Front street, three-story brick building, Owen McGrath's cotton waste establishment; cause, accident, overheated stove pipe.

Companies attending, 3, 8, 17, 20, 21, 22, 26, B and D. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Stephens, Baxter, Mooney and Dankel.

Real estate insurance \$2,500. Loss \$25.

Personal estate insurance \$9,100. Loss \$1,915.

October 31. At 1.41 P. M., box 356.

Thirty-first and Pennsylvania Railroad, pile of lumber; cause, accident, sparks from locomotive.

Companies attending, 4, 5, 16, 18 and A. Assistant Engineer Dankel in command.

October 31. At 9.40 P. M., box 261.

Struck for the burning of a three-story stone barn belonging to the Forrest estate, at Holmesburg; cause incendiary.

Companies attending, 7, 14, 25 and H. Companies called to box, 9, 19 and 23. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistant Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$10,000. Loss \$9,000.

Personal estate insurance \$3,300. Loss \$3,300.

Summary of Insurance and Loss during October.

Real Estate	Insurance...	\$128,250	Loss...	\$28,285 79
Personal Estate	Insurance...	359,650	Loss...	44,802 49
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		\$487,900		\$73,088 28
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NOVEMBER.

November 1. At 3.05 A. M., box 243.

Northeast corner Girard avenue and Germantown road, three-story brick building, J. H. Hoffner's grocery ; cause, unknown.

Companies attending, 2, 6, 15, 21, 23, 25, B and C. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Baxter and Cress.

Real estate insurance \$2,500. Loss \$57.

Personal estate insurance \$4,000. Loss \$200.

November 1. At 3.53 A. M., box 243.

Box struck off accidentally ; no fire.

Companies attending, 2, 6, 15, 21, 23, 25, 8, 13, 18, 26, A, B and C. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Mooney, Baxter and Cress.

November 2. At 8.45 A. M., local.

No. 1514 North Fifth street, three-story brick building, Morris Reifus' dwelling ; cause, accident, foul chimney.

Company attending, 23. Foreman Garman in command.

November 2. At 2.27 P. M., box 172.

Southeast corner Thompson and York streets, two-story brick building, Thomas Cook's glass works ; cause, accident, hot glass.

Companies attending, 6, 7, 15, 21, 23, 25, B and C. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Baxter and Stephens.

Real estate insurance \$5,800. Loss \$2,942.50.

Personal estate insurance \$2,000. Loss \$2,000.

November 2. At 9.40 P. M., box 64.

Northwest corner Howard and Oxford streets, three-story brick building, Gillender & Sons' glass works ; cause, carelessness, hot ashes in barrel.

Companies attending, 2, 6, 15, 21, 23, 25, B and C. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$8,000. Loss \$1,025.

Personal estate insurance \$17,250. Loss \$5,800.

November 3. At 5.10 P. M., box 237.

No. 234 North Twenty-third street, one-story frame building, T. C. Taylor's varnish factory ; cause, accident, overflow of vat.

Companies attending, 4, 13, 17, 18, 26, 27, A and E. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Mooney, Baxter and Stephens.

Real estate loss \$20.

Personal estate loss \$70.

November 3. At 9.53 P. M., box 4.

Northeast corner South and Barron streets, three-story brick building, J. Daly's auction house ; cause, carelessness, defective heater.

Companies attending, 1, 3, 8, 10, 11, 22, B and D. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Stephens, Dankel and Mooney.

Real estate insurance, \$2,000. Loss \$25.

Personal estate insurance \$2,000.

November 3. At 11 P. M., box 81.

No. 322 Thompson street, two-story frame building, C. Fleig's rag store ; cause, accident, defective flue.

Companies attending, 2, 6, 13, 15, 21, 23, B and C. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Baxter.

Real estate loss \$75.

Personal estate insurance \$200. Loss \$60.

November 4. At 12.08 A. M., box 71.

No. 2151 North Fourth street, three-story brick building, G. Baur-schmidt's grocery and dwelling ; cause, accident, sparks from bonfire.

Companies attending, 6, 7, 15, 21, 23, 25, B and C. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$2,700. Loss \$600.

Personal estate insurance \$1,800. Loss \$600.

November 4. At 7.15 P. M., local.

Holmesburg, one-story frame building, Jonathan Lodge's cotton waste mill ; cause, accident, burning of waste.

Companies attending, 7 and 14. Foreman Comly in command.

November 4. At 12.15 P. M., box 61.

No. 943 New Market street, three-story brick dwelling ; cause, accident, sparks on roof.

Companies attending, 6, 13, 15, 21, 23, 26, B and C. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$1,000. Loss \$75.

November 5. At 12.30 P. M., local.

No. 421 Dickinson street, three-story brick building, James Bennett's dwelling ; cause, accident, defective flue.

Company attending, 10. Foreman Patterson in command.

Real estate insurance \$1,500. Loss \$35.

November 5. At 2.45 P. M., local.

No. 1027 North Fifth street, three-story brick building, Wm. Bardsley's cigar store and dwelling ; cause, carelessness, cigar stump thrown in spittoon.

Company attending, 23. Foreman Garman in command.

Real estate insurance \$1,000. Loss \$97.

Personal estate insurance \$1,000. Loss \$186.40.

November 5. At 8.15 P. M., box 128.

No. 122 North Fourth street, four-story brick building, Charles Elias & Co.'s soap manufactory ; cause, supposed incendiary.

Companies attending, 8, 17, 20, 21, 22, 26, B and D. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Stephens, Dankel, Mooney and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$15,000. Loss \$271.

Personal estate insurance \$15,000. Loss \$5,000.

November 6. At 2 P. M., box 324.

No. 744 South Front street, three-story brick building, Wm. Ward's dwelling ; cause, accident, sparks on roof.

Companies attending, 1, 3, 8, 10, 11, 22, D and E. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Mooney and Dankel.

Real estate insurance \$2,500. Loss \$35.

November 6. At 3.20 P. M., local.

Bridesburg ; alarm caused by the burning of McGowan's woods.

Company attending, 14. Foreman Comly in command.

November 7. At 6.05 P. M., local.

Rear of 24 Parkham street, two-story frame building, Wm. Blee's dwelling ; cause, accident, fireboard caught from stove.

Companies attending, 3 and D. Foreman Senatze in command.

November 9. At 3 A. M., box 282.

No. 2346 Coral street, three-story brick building, R. Cunningham's grocery ; cause, supposed incendiary.

Companies attending, 6, 7, 15, 21, 22, 25, B and C. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistant Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$1,200. Loss \$50.

Personal estate insurance \$1,200. Loss \$107.95.

November 9. At 6.20 A. M., local.

No. 1924 Latona street, two-story brick building, Mr. Perry's dwelling ; cause, accident, lamp upset.

Company attending, 24. Foreman Napier in command.

Real estate loss \$30.

Personal estate loss \$10.

November 9. At 2 P. M., local.

No. 148 North Second street, three-story brick building, R. Sutzerbach's clothing store ; cause, carelessness, rubbish in cellar.

Company attending, 8. Foreman Smith in command.

November 13. At 10.55 A. M., local.

No. 1109 Bainbridge street, three-story brick building, Julius Sands' dwelling ; cause, unknown.

Company attending, 11. Foreman Toomey in command.

November 13. At 12.35 P. M., box 34.

No. 1933 Arch street, four-story brick building, dwelling ; cause, accident, hot ashes in cellar.

Companies attending, 1, 4, 13, 17, 18, 20, A and E. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Mooney.

November 13. At 3.25 P. M., local.

No. 408 Federal street, three-story brick building, George Silbert's dwelling ; cause, accident, sparks from foundry.

Company attending, 10. Assistant Engineer Dankel in command.

Real estate insurance \$900.

November 13. At 10.25 P. M., box 23.

Shoemaker street, east of Eighth, four-story brick building, Holl & Holz, cabinet makers ; cause, accident, boiling over of glue.

Companies attending, 4, 8, 11, 17, 20, 22, 26, B and D. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Stephens, Mooney and Dankel.

Real estate insurance \$2,500. Loss \$404.

Personal estate insurance \$1,000. Loss \$303.57.

November 15. At 9.40 A. M., box 271.

No. 4218 Ludlow street, three-story brick building, dwelling ; cause, accident, foul chimney.

Companies attending, 4, 5, 16 and E. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistant Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$1,500.

November 15. At 5.20 P. M., local.

Rear of 812 Lawrence street, three-story brick building, Mrs. McCann's dwelling ; cause, carelessness, match thrown among clothing.

Company attending, 21. Foreman Souder in command.

November 17. At 5.20 P. M., local.

No. 148 Race street, four-story brick building, William Young's grocery store ; cause, carelessness, rubbish in cellar.

Company attending, 8. Foreman Smith in command.

Personal estate insurance \$1,000. Loss \$14.

November 18. At 2.15 A. M., box 45.

Southwest corner Front and Willow streets, three-story brick building, Morris & Michener's smoke house ; cause, accident, smoke house fire.

Companies attending, 6, 8, 20, 21, 22, 26, B and D. Engineers attending Chief Johnson, Assistants Baxter and Dankel.

Real estate loss \$70.

November 19 At 3 A. M., box 149.

Rear of 907 Noble street, two-story frame building, J. H. Menn's slaughter house ; cause, carelessness, candle left burning on window sill.

Companies attending, 13, 17, 18, 20, 21, 26, A and B. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Stephens and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$1,200. Loss \$175.

Personal estate loss \$30.

November 20. At 10.30 P. M., local.

No. 11 North Tenth street, four-story brick building, S. F. Weeks' renovating establishment ; cause, carelessness, matches among rubbish.

Company attending, 20. Acting Foreman Brewster in command.

Personal estate insurance \$1,200. Loss \$100.

November 21. At 8.48 P. M., box 25.

No. 31 North Eighth street, two-story brick building, J. T. Dillon's dry goods store ; cause, accident, gas jet.

Companies attending, 8, 13, 17, 20, 22, 26, B and D. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Stephens, Mooney and Dankel.

Real estate insurance \$2,000. Loss \$40.

Personal estate insurance \$27,500. Loss \$193.37.

November 21. At 10.50 P. M., box 45.

No. 406 North Third street, five-story brick building, E. D. Stow, manufacturer of cooking extracts ; cause, carelessness, hot ashes in barrel.

Companies attending, 6, 8, 20, 21, 22, 26, B and D. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens, Mooney and Dankel.

Real estate insurance \$9,000. Loss \$43.85.

Personal estate insurance \$11,500. Loss \$30.33.

November 24. At 1.25 P. M., local.

Twentieth and Tasker streets, James Evans' brick sheds ; cause, accident, kiln fire.

Company attending, 24. Foreman Napier in command.

Real estate loss \$500.

Personal estate loss \$50.

November 25. At 10.45 A. M., local.

No. 225 Levant street, four-story brick building, D. A. Schuler & Co.'s saw mill; cause, accident, heating of journal.

Company attending, 22. Foreman Kevan in command.

November 25. At 6.45 P. M., local.

No. 24 North Eleventh street, three-story brick building, F. Maguire's tailor store and dwelling; cause, accident, defective flue.

Company attending, 20. Acting Foreman Brewster in command.

Real estate insurance \$40,000. Loss \$40.

Personal estate insurance \$3,000. Loss \$10.

November 27. At 6.18 P. M., box 2.

Nos. 37 and 39 South Third street, five-story brick building, Wm. Butt's printing office; cause, carelessness, rubbish left in front of register.

Companies attending, 3, 4, 8, 17, 20, 22, B and D. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Dankel, Stephens and Mooney.

November 27. At 10.18 P. M., box 145.

No. 824 Judson street, two-story brick building, Mrs. Peterson's dwelling; cause, carelessness, child with lamp.

Companies attending, 2, 4, 13, 18, 26, 27, A and E. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Stephens and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$1,500.

Personal estate loss \$150.

Summary of Insurance and Loss during November.

Real Estate	Insurance... \$65,800	Loss... \$6,610 35
Personal Estate	Insurance... 89,650	Loss... 15,017 62
	<hr/> \$155,450	<hr/> \$21,627 97

DECEMBER.

December 2. At 7.35 P. M., box 175.

Worth and Orthodox streets, Frankford, two-story frame building, Carlin Vandergrift's stable; cause, carelessness, lamp.

Companies attending, 7, 14, 25, C and H. Assistant Engineer Baxter in command.

Real estate loss \$75.

Personal estate insurance \$200. Loss \$150.

December 2. At 8.45 P. M., local.

No. 1903 Pine street, three-story brick building, Alex. Frazer's shoe store and dwelling; cause, supposed incendiary.

Company attending, E. Foreman Young in command.

Real estate insurance \$2,000.

Personal estate loss \$20.

December 3. At 8.10 A. M., local.

N. E. corner Susquehanna avenue and Thouron street, two-story brick building, O. M. Rihl's cotton mill; cause, accident, heating of journal.

Company attending, 23. Foreman Garman in command.

Real estate insurance \$8,000.

Personal estate insurance \$15,000.

December 3. At 8.45 A. M., local.

No. 1638 Ridge avenue; alarm caused by the burning of a barrel of pitch in yard.

Company attending, 13. Foreman Barnes in command.

December 3. At 5.35 P. M., local.

No. 7 Hyde's court, two-story brick building, M. Devine's dwelling; cause, accident, explosion of coal oil lamp.

Company attending, 20. Acting Foreman Brewster in command.

December 3. At 5.55 P. M., box 1.

False alarm; no occasion for pulling the box.

Companies attending, 3, 4, 8, 17, 20, 22, B and B. Engineers attending, Chief Jonnson, Assistants Stephens, Mooney and Dankel.

December 4. At 1.42 A. M., box 152.

No. 1005 Poplar street, three-story brick building, A. Soeck's house furnishing store; cause, carelessness, overheated stove.

Companies attending, 2, 6, 13, 21, 23, 26, A and B. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistant Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$2,000. Loss \$99.

Personal estate insurance \$3,000. Loss \$370.

December 4. At 6.45 P. M., local.

Manayunk, one story stone building, Preston & Erwin's cloth manufactory; cause, accident, heat from boiler.

Company attending, 12. Foreman Rumney in command.

December 5. At 3 P. M., local.

N. W. corner Nineteenth and Spring Garden streets; Alarm caused by boiling over of pot of pitch.

Company attending, 18. Foreman Williams in command.

December 5. At 8.30 P. M., box 34.

No. 2109 Cherry street, three-story brick building, Mrs. Shemway's dwelling; cause, accident, explosion coal oil lamp.

Companies attending, 1, 4, 13, 17, 18, 20, A and E. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Stephens and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$900. Loss \$47.

December 7. At 7.30 P. M., box 346.

Fifty fifth and Walnut streets, two-story frame building, Dr. Bell's unoccupied dwelling; cause, carelessness, boys playing cards.

Companies attending, 4, 5, 16 and E. Engineer attending, Assistant Stephens.

Real estate insurance \$1,200. Loss \$1,200.

December 7. At 11 P. M., local.

Torr avenue and Fiftieth street, two-story frame building, John Mooney's unoccupied dwelling; cause, incendiary.

Company attending, 16. Foreman Evans in command.

December 8. At 1.49 A. M., box 95.

N. W. corner Warnock and Norris streets, three-story brick building, A. Cullen's grocery and dwelling; cause, accident, defective flue.

Companies attending, 2, 13, 15, 23, 26, 27, A and C. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Baxter and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$4,000. Loss \$530.

Personal estate insurance \$1,500. Loss \$900.

December 8. At 2.04 A. M., box 137.

No. 438 St. John street, two-story frame building, Jas. Oeschle's blacksmith shop; cause, accident, stove.

Companies attending, 6, 8, 13, 15, 21, 26, B and C. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Stephens, Mooney and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$1,500. Loss \$50.

Personal estate loss \$30.

December 8. At 12.30 P. M., local.

No. 1222 Silver street, two-story frame building ; alarm caused by the boiling over of pot of pitch.

Company attending, 17. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistant Stephens.

December 8. At 1.25 P. M., local.

Rear of 213 Union street, three-story brick building, Mrs. Taylor's dwelling ; cause, accident, defective flue.

Company attending, 23. Foreman Keewan in command.

December 9. At 8.23 P. M., box 61.

No. 1024 New Market street, two-story brick building, J. Buckley & Co.'s spoke works ; cause, accident, defective flue.

Companies attending, 6, 13, 15, 21, 23, 26, B and C. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Stephens and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$4,000. Loss \$625.

Personal estate insurance \$20,750. Loss \$7,444.45.

December 9. At 11.25 P. M., box 35.

Southwest corner Nineteenth street and Pennsylvania avenue, two-story brick and frame building, Taylor & Sons' coal office and stable ; cause, carelessness, overheated stove.

Companies attending, 1, 4, 13, 17, 18, 26, A and E. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Stephens, Baxter and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$500. Loss \$390.

Personal estate insurance \$750. Loss \$460.

December 10. At 7.43 P. M., local.

No. 908 South Fifth street, three-story brick building, Mrs. Fox's dwelling ; cause unknown.

Companies attending, 3 and D. Foreman Senatz in command.

Real estate insurance \$1,600. Loss \$65.

Personal estate loss \$150.

December 12. At 1.35 A. M., local.

No. 107 Jackson street, Manayunk, three-story stone building, M.

Bouvard's jewelry store ; cause, carelessness, overheated stove.

Company attending, 12. Foreman Rumney in command.

Real estate insurance \$2,000.

Personal estate loss \$150.

December 14. At 2.55 A. M., box 174.

Morris Grove estate, Twenty-third Ward, two-and-a-half-story frame building, C. Morris' dwelling ; cause, accident, defective flue.

Companies attending, 7, 14, 25, C and H. Assistant Engineer Baxter in command.

Real estate loss \$200.

Personal estate loss \$40.

December 15. At 12.25 P. M., box 131.

No. 227 North Eleventh street, two-story frame building, M. Fitzgerald's segar store ; cause, carelessness, stove pipe.

Companies attending, 13, 17, 20, 26, A and B. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Stephens and Mooney.

December 15. At 11.45 P. M., local.

Mill street and Frankford avenue, two-story frame building, B. Rowland's barn ; cause unknown.

Companies attending, 7 and 14. Foreman Comly in command.

December 16. At 4.25 A. M., local.

Frankford avenue and Orthodox street, E. Lewis' green house ; cause, carelessness, overheated stove.

Company attending, 14. Foreman Comly in command.

December 16. At 3.25 P. M., local.

No. 1739 Bainbridge street, three-story brick building, Mr. O'Neill's dwelling ; cause, carelessness, child playing with matches.

Company attending, 1. Foreman Patterson in command.

Real estate insurance \$1,000. Loss \$5.

Personal estate loss \$150.

December 16. At 4.50 P. M., local.

Southwest corner Second and Spruce streets, four-story brick building, P. Murphy's liquor store ; cause, accident, defective flue.

Company attending, 22. Foreman Keegan in command.

December 17. At 1.20 A. M., box 12.

No. 435 South street, one-story frame building, M. Jassner's dry goods store ; cause, carelessness, overheated stove.

Companies attending, 1, 3, 10, 11, 20, 22, D and E. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Dankel and Mooney.

Real estate loss \$500.

Personal estate insurance \$2,500. Loss \$1,900.

December 17. At 2.20 A. M., local.

No. 437 South street, one-story frame building, M. Kochler's china ware ; cause, accident, sparks from No. 435.

Company attending, 22. Foreman Keegan in command.

December 18. At 11.20 A. M., local.

No. 7 Bowery place, three-story brick building, Wm. Robb's dwelling, cause, carelessness, overheated stove pipe.

Company attending, 26. Foreman Jennens in command.

Personal estate loss \$25.

December 19. At 5.50 A. M., local.

Northwest corner New Market and Callowhill streets, three-story brick building, Wm. McDevitt's dwelling ; cause, carelessness, hot ashes.

Companies attending, 8, 21 and B. Assistant Engineer Baxter in command.

Real estate insurance \$2,000. Loss \$300.

December 20. At 11.05 P. M., box 323.

No. 40 South Delaware avenue, three-story brick building, Mair & Cranmer's sail loft ; cause unknown.

Companies attending, 3, 4, 8, 20, 22, 26, B and D, first alarm.

Companies attending, 1, 11, 17, 21 and E, second alarm. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Stephens, Mooney, Dankel and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$16,500. Loss \$2,062.28.

Personal estate insurance \$27,500. Loss \$16,373.39.

December 20. At 9.20 P. M., local.

Frankford avenue and Harrison street, two-story frame building, John Makeling's stable ; cause, accident, explosion of coal oil lamp.

Companies attending, 7 and 14. Foreman Comly in command.

December 21. At 7.35 A. M., local.

No. 140 South Delaware avenue, three-story brick building, Boyer & Co.'s fruit store ; cause, accident, rekindling of fire. Alarm from box 323.

Company attending, 22. Foreman Keegan in command.

December 21. At 9.33 P. M., box 217.

No. 2012 Delancey place, three-story brick building, P. McCall' dwelling ; cause, carelessness, gas burner.

Companies attending, 1, 4, 11, 17, 18, 24, A and E. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Stephens and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$6,000. Loss, \$800.

Personal estate loss \$300.

December 21. At 11.30 P. M., local.

No. 2012 Delancey place ; cause, rekindling of above fire.

Company attending, E. Foreman Young in command.

December 23. At 11.40 A. M., box 168.

No. 3880 Lancaster avenue, three-story brick building, C. F. Burger's real estate office ; cause, carelessness, child with matches.

Companies attending, 4, 5, 16, 18 and A. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$2,000.

Personal estate loss \$100.

December 25. At 10.20 A. M., box 83.

No. 506 Market street, four-story brick building, G. A. Benson's grocery and commission house ; cause, carelessness, matches.

Companies attending, 3, 8, 17, 20, 21, 22, 26, B and D. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Stephens, Mooney and Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$12,500.

Personal estate insurance \$42,000. Loss \$2,090.

December 25. At 1.15 P. M., box 284.

Nos. 1438 to 44 North Sixth street, three-story brick building, Hoferkamp's black lead crucible works ; cause, accident, stove.

Companies attending, 2, 6, 13, 15, 21, 23, B and C. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistant Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$3,000.

Personal estate insurance \$10,000.

December 25. At 8.30 P. M., box 64.

No. 1940 Hope street, three-story brick building, dwelling ; cause, carelessness, bed caught from lamp.

Companies attending, 2, 6, 15, 21, 23, 25, B and C. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistant Baxter.

Personal estate loss \$20.

December 26. At 2.14 A. M., local.

No. 203 Union street, two-story brick building, Patrick Fagan's dwelling ; cause accident, defective flue.

Company attending, 22. Foreman Keegan in command.

Personal estate loss \$10.

December 26. At 11.30 A. M., local.

No. 509 South Fifteenth street, three-story brick building, John Clux's dwelling ; cause unknown.

Company attending, 11. Foreman Toomey in command.

December 26. At 11.45 A. M., local.

No. 830 Callowhill street, two-and-a-half-story brick building, J. Diffenderfer's saloon and dwelling ; cause, accident, defective flue.

Company attending, 26. Foreman Jennens in command.

Real estate insurance \$1,000.

December 26. At 10.38 P. M., box 216.

N. W. corner Tenth and Lombard streets, three-story brick building, Lieberman & Co., soaps and perfumery ; cause, supposed incendiary.

Companies attending, 1, 3, 4, 11, 17, 20, D and E. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Stephens and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$4,000. Loss \$130.

Personal estate insurance \$21,000. Loss \$5,000.

December 29. At 5.20 P. M., local.

No. 746 South Second street, two-story frame building, S. Goldstein's lamp store; cause, accident, chandelier falling.

Companies attending, 3 and D. Foreman Senatz in command.

Real estate insurance \$400.

Personal estate insurance \$500. Loss \$25.

December 30. At 10.20 A. M., local.

N. W. corner Twelfth and Spring Garden streets, three-story brick building, F. Bodenhoffer's cigar store; cause, accident, stove.

Company attending, 26. Foreman Jennens in command.

Personal estate insurance \$2,000.

December 30. At 11 P. M., box 52.

False alarm; no occasion for pulling the box.

Companies attending, 8, 13, 17, 26, 21, 26, A and B. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Stephens and Baxter.

December 30. At 11.15 A. M., box 68.

False alarm; no occasion for pulling the box.

Companies attending, 6, 13, 15, 21, 23, 26, A and B. Engineers attending, Assistants Stephens and Baxter.

December 30. At 11.35 P. M., box 217.

No. 1903 Pine street, three-story brick building, A. Frazer's shoe store; cause, incendiary.

Companies attending, 1, 4, 11, 17, 18, 24, A and E. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistants Stephens and Mooney.

Real estate insurance \$1,500. Loss \$135.

Personal estate insurance \$2,000. Loss \$800.

December 31. At 11.55 A. M., local.

No. 1721 Barker street, three-story brick building, Wm. Alsam's dwelling; cause, accident, defective fire.

Company attending, 4. Foreman McClintock in command.

December 31. At 7.05 P. M., box 153.

S. E. corner Trenton avenue and Otis street, two-story frame building, Patton & Co.'s carpet manufactory; cause, accident, lamp explosion.

Companies attending, 6, 7, 15, 21, 23, 25, B and C. Engineers attending, Chief Johnson, Assistant Baxter.

Real estate insurance \$1,200.

Personal estate loss \$10.

December 31. At 11 P. M., local.

S. E. corner Fourth and Cherry streets, five-story iron front building, Zeigler & Smith's drug house ; cause, carelessness, lumber too near boiler.

Companies attending, 8 and B. Foreman Smith in command.

Real estate insurance \$8,000.

Summary of Insurance and Loss during December.

Real Estate	Insurance...	\$86,800	Loss...	\$6,013 28
Personal Estate	Insurance...	158,700	Loss...	37,717 84
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		\$245,500		\$43,731 12
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The amount of loss for 1874 as compared with 1871, 1872 and 1873.

	1871.	1872.	1873.	1874.
January.....	\$89,341 00	\$83,939 00	\$66,066 00	\$116,661 00
February.....	64,265 00	204,287 00	54,063 00	19,766 00
March.....	61,711 00	358,987 00	25,046 00	226,453 00
April.....	29,018 00	202,755 00	40,238 00	19,186 00
May.....	102,151 00	463,707 00	77,927 00	34,413 00
June.....	193,027 00	92,337 00	133,822 00	26,116 00
July.....	64,687 00	446,937 00	140,270 00	58,804 00
August.....	71,377 00	47,971 00	63,016 00	69,887 00
September.....	173,755 00	15,249 00	182,512 00	44,956 00
October.....	88,175 00	92,241 00	45,671 00	73,088 00
November.....	294,650 00	259,463 00	41,994 00	21,627 00
December.....	51,966 00	92,947 00	67,855 00	43,731 00
	\$1,275,143 00	\$2,360,820 00	\$938,480 00	\$754,688 00

The number of box and local alarms of fires for 1874 as compared with 1871, 1872 and 1873.

	1871.			1872.			1873.			1874.		
	Box.	Local.	Total.	Box.	Local.	Total.	Box.	Local.	Total.	Box.	Local.	Total.
January.....	29	43	72	37	15	52	22	26	48	29	22	51
February.....	23	41	64	35	24	59	24	12	36	17	16	33
March.....	10	34	44	34	33	67	31	22	53	40	30	70
April.....	11	23	34	38	31	69	24	14	38	19	23	42
May.....	23	22	45	40	33	73	34	27	61	20	23	43
June.....	16	25	41	28	19	47	34	53	87	25	27	52
July.....	17	28	45	34	35	69	33	37	70	39	39	78
August.....	17	17	34	21	19	40	22	25	47	32	23	55
September.....	15	15	30	26	22	48	20	9	29	21	16	37
October.....	17	24	41	34	17	51	27	27	54	20	22	42
November.....	27	14	41	29	28	57	26	25	51	21	16	37
December.....	18	14	32	41	44	85	26	20	46	24	28	52
	223	300	523	397	320	717	323	297	620	307	285	592

ENGINE COMPANY No. 1.

Located at No. 1837 South street. Steamer second-class, built by John L. Knowlton, of Philadelphia, with $5\frac{1}{2}$ inch pump, 11 inch stroke; weight of apparatus as drawn to fires, 7,020 pounds. No. 1 Hose cart, built by Gardner & Fleming, weight with 800 feet of gum hose, 3,025 pounds. Have 1,200 feet gum hose (Jones' couplings) at this station.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Position.</i>	<i>Age.</i>	<i>Residence.</i>	<i>Occupation.</i>
James Patterson.....	...	Foreman.....	38..	1828 South street.....	Brick maker.
Samuel Pritchard.....	1...	Engineer.....	28...	1411 Jessamine street.....	Machinist.
William Carberry.....	2...	Driver.....	37...	1828 South street.....	Driver.
Henry Conrad.....	3...	Fireman.....	28...	2050 South street.....	Driver.
Joseph Norris.....	4...	Hoseman.....	28..	1424 Fitzwater street.....	Moulder.
James McGraulgan.....	5...	Hoseman.....	29...	1339 Lingo street.....	Boilermaker.
John E. Murphy.....	6...	Hoseman.....	29...	1828 South street.....	Painter.
Eugene Smith.....	7...	Hoseman.....	29...	1828 South street.....	Cutter.
Geo. McFetridge.....	8..	Hoseman.....	30...	1900 South street.....	Bricklayer.
John Budd.....	9...	Hoseman.....	48...	1828 South street.....	Painter.
Henry Lyndall.....	10...	Hoseman.....	25...	1819 Kater street.....	Moulder.
John Laird.....	11...	Hoseman.....	37..	701 S. Seventeenth street..	Painter.

*Schedule of property held in charge by Engine Company No. 1,
January 1st, 1875.*

1 engine, 1 hose cart, 3 horses, 2 monkey wrenches, 1 screw jack, 2 large suction, 1 small suction, 2 oil cups, $2\frac{1}{2}$ inch spanner wrenches, 1 socket wrench, 2 plug males, 12 hose picks, 2 leather buckets, 2 leather hose pipes, 1 wheel wrench, 50 feet garden hose, 50 feet hose rope, 100 feet rope in hose tower, 1 block and tackle in hose tower, 3 ladder straps, 1 strainer, 1 axe, 1 shovel, 1 poker, 1 clinch bar, 1 bell rope, 1 whip, 5 lamps, 2 sets double harness, 1 set single harness, 1 set patented harness, 3 new horse blankets, 3 old horse blankets, 2 curry combs, 2 brushes, 1 mane brush, 2 sponges, 1 half peck measure, 1 dutch collar, 4 extra collars, 2 police ropes, 25 bushels oats, 4 bushels bran, 2 bushels middlings, 2 bushels cracked corn, 4 bales hay, 1 bale straw, 3 pieces rock salt, 1 heating apparatus, 3 stoves, 24 lengths stove pipe, 3 elbows, 2 pounds castile soap, 1 stable broom, 2 corn brooms, 1 looking glass, 1 clock, 1 water cooler, 1 fire alarm card and frame, 1 rules and regulations and frame, 6 towels, 2 towel racks, 2 hay forks, 1 stove shovel, 1 piece zinc, $\frac{1}{2}$ ton engine coal, 1 ton stove coal, 1 hammer, 3 chisels, 3 one gallon oil cans, 1 gallon coal oil, 1 gallon sperm oil, 1 gallon lard oil, 1 gallon cleaning oil, 5 pounds waste, 4 files, 8 sheets emery paper, $\frac{1}{2}$ cord kindling wood, 1 block and tackle, 1 beam and weights, 1 writing desk, 1 saw, 1 blank book, 1 hatchet, 1 table, 4 spittoons, 74 yards carpet, 12 single bedsteads, 24 mattresses, 24 pillows, 24 pair pillow cases, 24 pair sheets, 12 double blankets, 12 single blankets, 12 spreads, 7 window shades, 1 bureau, 11 cap badges, 12 house keys, 12 alarm box keys, 1 dust pan, 1 dust brush, 1 window brush, 2 door mats, 3 one-quarter inch nozzles, 1 one-eighth inch nozzle, 2 scrub brushes, 2 whip sockets, 1 vice and bench, 1 hitching strap, 1 kettle, 1 horse boot, 1 extra swingletree, 1 basket, 2 surcingles, 3 horse buckets, 1,200 feet gum hose, 12 arm chairs, 12 Windsor chairs, 2 summer doors, 1 set trace chains, 1 feed box, 1 coal hod, roll calls, fire rools, pay rolls, requisitions, stationery, ink, &c.

Respectfully submitted,
JAMES PATTERSON,
Foreman at Station No. 1.

ENGINE COMPANY No. 2.

Located at southeast corner of Thirteenth and Oxford streets. Steamer second-class, built by John L. Knowlton, of Philadelphia, pump 5 inches in diameter, 12 inch stroke; weight of apparatus as drawn to fires, 7,950 pounds. No. 2 Hose cart, built by Gardner & Fleming, weighing with 800 feet of hose, 3,453 pounds. Have 1,600 feet gum hose (Jones' couplings) at this station.

Name.	No.	Position.	Age.	Residence.	Occupation.
John Jacoby.....	12	Foreman	47	1505 Oxford street	Conductor.
Charles Giberson.....	12	Engineman	35	1524 Amboy street	Machinist.
Henry C. Hicks.....	13	Fireman	31	1550 Camac street	Fireman.
Norman C. Ash.....	14	Driver	36	1223 N. Twelfth street	Driver.
Joseph L. Fox.....	15	Hoseman	27	1009 Mellon street	Painter.
Wm. B. Hetrick.....	16	Hoseman	46	5 Parson street	Cigar maker.
Jacob B. Hess.....	17	Hoseman	35	2552 N. Seventh street	Driver.
Lorenzo C. Bitters.....	18	Hoseman	30	1554 Amboy street	Dyer.
Thomas J. McNeal.....	19	Hoseman	29	1334 Prospect street	Laborer.
Geo. R. Williamson.....	20	Hoseman	27	1553 N. Twelfth street	Chair maker.
Geo. W. Mervine.....	21	Hoseman	24	1617 Fawn street	Carpenter.
Chas. T. Flowers.....	22	Hoseman	26	1129 Parrish street	Driver.

Schedule of property held in charge by Engine Company No. 2, January 1st, 1875.

1 second class steamer, 1 hose cart, 3 horses, 1,600 feet gum hose, 1 screen, 16 feet large suction, 7 feet small suction, 2 axes, 1 pair pincers, 2 monkey wrenches, 1 vise, 1 cold chisel, 1 clipping hammer, 1 squirt can, 1 patent oil can, 1 hatchet, 2 chaffing leathers for suction, 1 poker for steamer, 2 lifting jacks, 2 shovels, 3 hose ropes, 2 police ropes, 5 ladder straps, 3 hose pipes and nozzles, 3 plug males, 1 suction male, 3 spanners, 1 pair hose jumpers, 8 lanterns, 1 double block and tackle, 2 horse boots, 1 clock, 1 set rules and frame, 1 alarm card and frame, 12 spittoons, 1 towel rack, 2 pieces zinc, 4 buckets, 1 rack for hats, 1 summer door, 2 scrub brushes, 3 one gallon oil cans, 1 chamois skin, 1 box wheel grease, 10 pounds cotton waste, 3 pounds crocus, 3 hand saws, 12 arm chairs, 10 Windsor chairs, 1 carpet, 1 table, 1 writing desk, 12 iron bedsteads, 24 mattresses, 13 pillows, 48 pillow cases, 48 sheets, 12 counter panes, 12 blankets, 12 pair silver gray blankets, 4 towels, 2 corn brooms, 1 window brush, 1 sweeping brush, 1 dust brush, 1 heating apparatus for steamer, 1 coal stove and pipe, 2 coal bods, 1 poker, 1 load pine knots, 1 load kindling wood, 1 ton engine coal, 1/2 ton stove coal, 2 sets double harness, 1 set harness for hose cart, 6 horse blankets, 3 summer sheets, 1 manure fork, 1 hay fork, 1 stable broom, 2 curry combs, 2 horse brushes, 1 feed box, 1 set scales, 1 broken hay cutter, 3 bags salt, 260 pounds straw, 1,029 pounds hay, 30 bushels oats, 2 bushels bran, 3 bushels cracked corn, 2 bushels corn on cob, 2 bushels middlings, 1 tower tackle and ropes for hoisting hose, 12 door keys, 12 alarm box keys, 11 cap badges, 12 hose picks, 1 whip, 1 half peck measure, 1 water cooler, 3 sets extra trace chains, 1 gallon lard oil, 1 gallon coal oil, 1 alarm gong, 20 feet hydrant hose, 1 bureau and glass.

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN JACOBY,
Foreman at Station No. 2.

ENGINE COMPANY No. 3.

Located at No. 117 Queen street. Steamer second-class, built by John L. Knowlton, of Philadelphia, with 9 inch cylinder, 5 inch pump, 12 inch stroke ; weight of apparatus as drawn to fires, 7,505 pounds. No. 3 Hose cart, built by Gardner & Fleming, weighing with 750 feet of gum hose, 2,950 pounds. Have 1,500 feet gum hose (Jones' couplings) at this station.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Position.</i>	<i>Age.</i>	<i>Residence.</i>	<i>Occupation.</i>
Thomas L. Senatz.....	.....	Foreman	39...	2 Placid place.....	Ship carpenter.
Joseph Hand.....	23...	Engineer.....	31...	40 Norfolk street.....	Engineer.
Daniel Hibbs.....	24...	Fireman.....	29...	406 Carpenter street.....	Fireman.
William Simpson.....	25...	Driver.....	29...	34 Queen street.....	Driver.
James Carroll.....	26	Hoseman.....	52...	130 Queen street.....	Carpenter.
Wm. Barrett.....	27...	Hoseman.....	26...	612 Marshall street.....	Packer.
Thos. Woodruff.....	28...	Hoseman.....	31...	121 Queen street.....	Painter.
George Solly.....	29...	Hoseman.....	27...	123 Queen street.....	Salesman.
Robert Warner.....	30...	Hoseman.....	52...	325 German street.....	Carpenter.
Wm. Ludwick.....	31...	Hoseman.....	26...	1121 Moyamensing av.....	Driver.
John Bennett.....	32...	Hoseman.....	35...	123 Queen street.....	Jeweller.
David Bennett.....	33...	Hoseman.....	44...	213 Queen street.....	Jeweller.

*Schedule of property held in charge by Engine Company No. 3,
January 1st, 1875.*

1 engine complete, 1 hose carriage, 3 horses, 1,500 feet gum hose, 2 hose straps, 1 heating apparatus, 2 five inch suction, 1 three inch suction, 2 lamps, 2 fire buckets, 3 shovels, 1 monkey wrench, 3 gland wrenches, 2 axes, 2 wheel wrenches, 2 squirt cans, 2 oil cans, 2 files, 1 strainer, 1 plug reducer, 2 sets double harness, 1 set cart harness, 2 dutch collars, 5 horse blankets, 80 feet rope, 2 hose pipes, 2 lamps, 4 nozzles, 2 plug males, 1 pair hose jumpers, 1 jack screw, 1,000 feet rope and tackle for hose tower, 2 pitch forks, 1 stable broom, 2 curry combs, 2 horse brushes, 1 mane comb, 2 baskets, 2 buckets, 2 horse boots, 4 spittoons, 3 leather protectors, 3 brooms, 1 saw, 50 feet garden hose, 2 frames, 1 wheelbarrow, 1 water cooler, 1 coal scuttle, 1 poker, 1 stand pipe coupling, 1 stove, 1 marble top bureau, 6 cane seat chairs, 4 windsor chairs, 12 alarm box keys, 12 house keys, 12 double mattresses, 18 double sheets, 20 pillow cases, 63 yards carpet, 1 month's feed, 1 writing desk, 6 double bedsteads, 12 double blankets, 12 pillows, 6 counterpanes, 1 blank book, stock of fuel.

Respectfully submitted,
THOMAS L. SENATZ,
Foreman at Station No. 3.

ENGINE COMPANY No. 4.

Located at No. 116 South Seventeenth street. Steamer second-class, built by John Agnew, of Philadelphia, with one reciprocating pump, $4\frac{1}{2}$ inches in diameter, and 15 inch stroke; diameter of cylinder $8\frac{1}{2}$ inches; weight of engine 7,500 pounds. (Mayer's patent relief valve.) No. 4 Hose cart, built by Gardner & Fleming, weighing with 800 feet of hose, 3,430 pounds. Have 1,300 feet gum hose (Jones' couplings) at this station.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Position.</i>	<i>Age.</i>	<i>Residence.</i>	<i>Occupation.</i>
Hugh McClintock.....	29	Foreman	29	1706 Sansom street.....	Dealer.
Robt. Bertron.....	34	Engineer	38	2202 Sansom street.....	Machinist.
Daniel O'Neill.....	36	Driver	27	1654 Sansom street.....	Dealer.
And. J. Kilpatrick	35	Fireman	28	19 Benton street.....	Moulder.
Joseph Lockhart	37	Hoseman	30	1632 Market street, rear.....	Carter.
Ellwood Henecks.....	38	Hoseman	25	1734 Exeter street.....	Brick maker.
Edward McManns	39	Hoseman	30	1654 Sansom street.....	Basketmaker.
Benj. Reed.....	40	Hoseman	43	1654 Sansom street.....	Laborer.
James Goff.....	41	Hoseman	28	518 S. Eighteenth street.....	Moulder.
William Hunter.....	42	Hoseman	31	1918 Cuthbert street.....	Dealer.
Henry Entrioken.....	43	Hoseman	27	1707 Moravian street.....	Plumber.
William Warren	44	Hoseman	26	1015 Lawrence street.....	Dealer.

Schedule of property held in charge by Engine Company No. 4, January 1st, 1875.

1 engine, 1 hose cart, 3 horses, 3 hose pipes, one having the patent shut-off nozzle attached, 3 Jones' plug males, 2 Jones' rings, 4 nozzles, 8 feet garden hose for thawing, 3 ladder straps, 2 leather buckets, 1 side stream rope, 2 police ropes, 24 feet suction with Jones' couplings, 6 hose picks, 1 plug spanner, 2 stoves and pipe complete, 2 coal hods, 2 pokers, 3 shovels, 3 tons hard coal, $\frac{1}{2}$ ton soft coal, $\frac{1}{2}$ cord kindling wood, 3 spittoons, 6 towels, 1 towel rack, 1 bath tub, 1 bureau and glass, 2 hair combs, 2 brushes, 6 double iron bedsteads, 1 single bedstead, 24 sheets, 24 pillow cases, 12 double mattresses, 6 double counterpanes, 1 single counterpane, 14 pillows, 12 slips, 6 bolsters, 2 single mattresses, 2 single blankets, 6 double blankets, 6 double quilts, 1 set double harness, 1 set single harness, 3 halters, 4 bridles, 6 horse blankets, 1 chamois, 1 sieve, 3 horse brushes, 2 curry combs, 2 horse buckets, 3 manure forks, 3 sponges, 1 hay cutter, 1 mane comb, 1 mane brush, 1 peck measure, 1 set scales, 1 block and tackle, 1 clock, 1 set rules and frame, 1 alarm box card, 1 screw jack, 1 vise, 3 axes, 3 shovels, 4 one gallon oil cans, 3 squirt cans, $\frac{1}{2}$ gallon lard oil, $\frac{1}{2}$ gallon cleaning oil, 1 piece of packing, 2 files, 2 monkey wrenches, 3 wrenches, 1 pair pincers, 12 arm chairs, 1 table, 1 desk, 1 inkstand, 1 lot stationery, 1 long handle brush, 1 dust brush, 3 brooms, 1 scrub brush, 6 window shades, 3 lanterns, 1 ball wick, 3 pounds soda, $\frac{1}{2}$ pound whitening, $\frac{1}{2}$ pound crocus, small quantity hay, straw, middlings, corn meal, bran, 1 bag salt, 1 large funnel for plug, 1 slice bar, 1 water cooler, 1 set hose jumpers, 2 horse boots, 2 blank books, 1 log book, 20 feet garden hose, 12 house keys, 12 alarm box keys, 11 cap badges, 1 hand tongue, 1 heating apparatus complete, 1 carpet for bunk room, 6 horse collars, 4 extra snaps, 1 summer door, 1 suction strainer, 4 extra hame straps, 1 patent relief valve complete.

Respectfully submitted,
HUGH MCCLINTOCK,
Foreman at Station No. 4.

ENGINE COMPANY No. 5.

Located at southeast corner Thirty-seventh and Ludlow streets, West Philadelphia. Steamer second-class, built by John L. Knowlton, of Philadelphia, with 5½ inch pump, 11 inch stroke, cylinder 9¼ inches in diameter; weight of apparatus as drawn to fires, 7,600 pounds. No. 5 Hose carriage, built by J. Newhauser, of Philadelphia; weight as drawn to fires, 4,771 pounds. Have 1,500 feet gum hose (Jones' couplings) at this station.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Position.</i>	<i>Age.</i>	<i>Residence.</i>	<i>Occupation.</i>
David Wilson.....	31	Foreman	36	29 Locust street	Carpenter.
William Watson.....	45	Engineer	31	3710 Market street	Machinist.
Jacob Toy.....	46	Driver	33	3649 Ludlow street	Bricklayer.
Thomas Boston.....	47	Fireman	36	3659 Ludlow street	Driver.
Oliver Crompton.....	48	Hoseman	23	4 School House row	Laborer.
John Coppel.....	49	Hoseman	26	263 S. Thirty-seventh st.	Brick maker.
Wm. Thomas.....	50	Hoseman	36	3651 Ludlow street	Plasterer.
Joseph Douglass.....	51	Hoseman	33	3625 Ludlow street	Augur maker.
Thomas Deary.....	52	Hoseman	28	5 S. Thirty-seventh st.	Plasterer.
Wm. McMailn.....	53	Hoseman	33	73 N. Thirty-eighth st.	Marble polisher
Wm. DeLarue.....	54	Hoseman	26	3647 Ludlow street	Laborer.
Edgar Emil.....	55	Hoseman	37	259 S. Thirty-seventh st.	Laborer.

*Schedule of property held in charge by Engine Company No. 5,
January 1st, 1875.*

1 engine, 1 hose carriage, 4 horses, 1,500 feet gum hose, 16 feet suction hose, 3 monkey wrenches, 1 hammer, 2 plug wrenches, 4 one gallon oil cans, 1 small oil can, 2 leather buckets, 2 axes, 2 hose pipes, 3 plug males, 1 screw jack, 2 horse boots, 50 feet hose rope, 400 feet police rope, 1 vise, 2 hose straps, 3 ladder straps, 1 gallon lard oil, 12 alarm box keys, 12 house keys, 26 closet keys, 2 heating apparatuses, 2 tons stove coal, 2 tons engine coal, ½ cord pine knots, ¼ cord kindling wood, 3 shovels, 1 rake, 1 poker, 3 summer doors, 1 stove and pipe complete, 2 coal hods, 12 bedsteads, 24 mattresses, 24 pillows, 13 pillow cases, 13 sheets, 12 pair blankets, 11 single blankets, 12 counterpanes, 1 bureau, 1 writing desk, 1 looking glass, 12 chairs, 1 table, 1 towel rack, 2 towels, 1 inkstand, 2 scrub brushes, 2 brooms, 1 dust brush, 4 horse blankets, 2 sets double harness, 1 set single harness, 1 dutch collar and traces, 1 hay cutter, 1 block and tackle with 75 feet of rope, 2 hay forks, 1 stable broom, 2 curry combs, 1 mane comb, 2 brushes, 1 mane brush, 1 stable bucket, 1 feed measure, 1 sieve, 36 bushels oats, 5 bales hay, 2 bales straw, 10 bushels bran, 2 bushels corn meal, 2 bags salt, 3 window shades, 2 lanterns, 2 door mats, 50 feet garden hose, 1 water cooler, 2 gongs, 1 saw, 1 hatchet, 1 flue brush, 11 cap badges, ½ dozen extra snaps, 30 yards carpet, 6 spittoons.

Respectfully submitted,
DAVID WILSON,
Foreman at Station No. 5.

ENGINE COMPANY No. 6.

Located at No. 134 Allen street. Steamer, second-class, built by Landell & Co., of Philadelphia, with pumps 5 inches in diameter, 12 inch stroke; weight of apparatus as drawn to fires, 7,600 pounds. No. 6 Hose cart, built by Gardner & Fleming, weighing with 800 feet of gum hose, 2,950 pounds. Have 1250 feet gum hose (Jones' couplings) at this station.

Name.	No.	Position.	Age.	Residence.	Occupation.
Wm. McKinley.....	.....	Foreman.....	29...	534 E Girard avenue.....	Dealer.
John W. Hodges.....	56...	Engineer.....	33...	114 Allen street.....	Engineer.
Jacob S. Allen.....	57...	Driver.....	36...	140 Allen street.....	Driver.
John Clark.....	58...	Fireman.....	28...	1316 Marlborough street.....	Teamster.
Geo. Leatherbury.....	59...	Hoseman.....	43...	28 Innes street.....	Shoemaker.
Chas. H. Smith.....	60...	Hoseman.....	43...	1036 Frankford road.....	Shipwright.
Geo. Metzger.....	61...	Hoseman.....	28...	1256 Mascher street.....	Teamster.
Wm. Smith.....	62...	Hoseman.....	29...	1249 Ash street.....	Boiler maker.
Fred. H. Cole.....	63...	Hoseman.....	50...	504 N. Fourth street.....	Bookbinder.
Adam Mood.....	64...	Hoseman.....	33...	1021 Otis street.....	Fisherman.
David Vandeventer.....	65...	Hoseman.....	51...	1221 Ross street.....	Carpenter.
William Tyson.....	66...	Hoseman.....	26...	1224 Hanover street.....	Filer.

Schedule of property held in charge by Engine Company No. 6, January 1st, 1875.

1 engine, 1 hose cart, 1 supply wagon, 1,250 feet gum hose, 5 nozzles, 1 screw wrench, 1 socket wrench, 2 cylinder wrenches, 1 bell for engine, 1 bell for hose cart, 22 feet five inch suction, 9 feet small suction, 1 strainer, 1 goose neck, 2 iron jacks, 2 sets double harness, 1 set single harness, 3 horse blankets, 2 curry combs, 2 horse brushes, 2 stable forks, 1 wooden fork, 2 shovels, 1 mane comb, 1 mane brush, 2 sponges, 3 buckets, 1 ton stove coal, 4 tons engine coal, 1 cord pine knots, 1 cord kindling wood, 4 one gallon oil cans, 2 squirt cans, 2 horse boots, 1 vise, 3 files, 4 lamps, 2 axes, 25 feet garden hose, 1 block and fall, 3 torches, 1 hose rope, 3 hose pipes, 3 ladder straps, 1 end strap, 3 male screws, 2 plug wrenches, 1/2 quire emery cloth, 2 leather buckets, 2 corn brooms, 1 hatchet, 4 towels, 1 towel rack, 3 stoves and pipe, 1 heating apparatus, 2 coal hods, 1 stove shovel, 12 hose picks, 12 iron bedsteads, 24 mattresses, 24 blankets, 12 counterpanes, 48 sheets, 24 pillow cases, 18 chairs, 1 bureau, 10 spittoons, 4 summer doors, 1 writing desk, 1 glass, 1 table, 4 window shades, 1 100 feet rope in hose tower, 12 cleats, 3 halters, 1 feed measure, 12 horse keys, 2 stable keys, 2 boxes matches, 2 pounds cotton waste, 1 hand tongue, 1 extra engine pole, 2 pieces zinc, 2 poker, 1 tube brush, 1 pair tongues, 2 hose jumpers, 3 cushions, 1 door mat, 63 yards carpet, 1 log book, 1 gong, 18 clothes hooks, 1 plug screw (Jones' couplings), 25 bushel oats, 1 dutch collar, 10 bushels soft feed, 3 bales hay, 2 bales straw, 2 sacks salt, 1 bottle ink, 1 box wheel grease, 1 bottle liniment, 1 dust brush, 2 monkey wrenches, 11 cap badges, 1 ice cooler.

Respectfully submitted,
WILLIAM MCKINLEY,
Foreman at Station No. 6.

ENGINE COMPANY No. 7.

Located at No. 23 Church street, Frankford. Steamer second-class, built by Reanie & Neafie, of Philadelphia, with pumps $4\frac{1}{8}$ inches, 12 inch stroke, cylinder 9 inches in diameter; weight of engine 6440 pounds. No. 7 Hose carriage, built by J. Newhauser, of Philadelphia; weight, as drawn to fires, 4,770 pounds, have 1,400 feet gum hose, 100 feet linen hose (Jones' couplings) at this station.

Name.	No.	Position.	Age.	Residence.	Occupation.
T. Ellwood Castor.....	34	Foreman.....	47	24 Frankford avenue.....	Coach painter.
Hugh Hatten.....	73	Engineer.....	41	30 Church street.....	Engineer.
Joseph Freas.....	69	Fireman.....	30	4526 Tackawanna street...	Fork maker.
George Best.....	68	Driver.....	30	30 Church street.....	Pearl turner.
G. o. Mathers.....	72	Hoseman.....	28	4109 Frankford avenue.....	Cigar maker.
Frank A. Wardell.....	76	Hoseman.....	29	4140 Frankford avenue.....	Carpet weaver.
Michael Coady.....	71	Hoseman.....	30	4266 Orchard street.....	Conductor.
Samuel Meredith.....	67	Hoseman.....	23	26 Church street.....	Carpenter.
Harry Foster.....	75	Hoseman.....	41	Cedar Hill Cemetery.....	Wheelwright.
Theo. F. Castor.....	74	Hoseman.....	29	4721 Frankford avenue.....	Blacksmith.
J. S. Battersby.....	77	Hoseman.....	32	310 Foulkrod street.....	House painter.
William Bromley.....	70	Hoseman.....	33	234 Church street.....	Blacksmith.

*Schedule of property held in charge by Engine Company No. 7,
January 1st, 1875.*

1 engine, 1 four-wheel hose carriage, 3 horses, 1,400 feet gum hose, 100 feet linen hose, 16 feet suction, 6 feet small suction, 1 suction screen and bucket, 2 squirt cans, 3 monkey wrenches, 1 tube brust, 1 stuffing box, 1 pump wrench, 1 screw jack, 6 files, 1 hatchet, 1 axe, 1 pair pinchers, 3 one gallon oil cans, 4 lanterns, 10 pounds cotton waste, 1 pound crocus, 2 pounds rotten stone, $\frac{1}{2}$ gallon coal oil, 1 gallon machine oil, $\frac{1}{2}$ gallon cleaning oil, 1 fire rope, 1 slice bar, 1 box wheel grease, 1 screw driver, 1 pound packing, 1 ton engine coal, $\frac{1}{2}$ cord kindling wood, 1 heating apparatus, 1 vise, 1 gong, 2 plug wrenches, 3 hose picks, 2 hose pipes, 5 nozzles, 3 Jones' rings, 2 Jones' plug males, 2 reducers, 1 double male, 1 drag rope, 2 hose straps, 1 ladder strap, 1 double block and tackle, 1 leak strap, 1 leather bucket, 1 whip socket, 2 sets double harness, 2 sets single harness, 2 head halters, 3 curry combs, 2 horse brushes, 2 mane brushes, 1 mane comb, 6 extra bits, 8 horse blankets, 3 summer sheets, 3 surcingles, 3 stable buckets, 3 sponges, 1 shovel, 2 stable forks, 1 wooden fork, 1 iron rake, 1 horse boot, 1 hay cutter, 1 feed measure, 3 halter straps, $\frac{1}{2}$ gallon neat's foot oil, 25 bushels oats, 1 bushel bran, 4 bushels corn, 3 bales hay, 3 bales straw, 2 sacks salt, 3 lumps rock salt, 3 chamolis skins, 1 wheelbarrow, 2 wall brushes, 3 scrub brushes, 3 long handle brushes, 3 dust brushes, 3 corn brooms, 1 dust pan, 2 pounds castile soap, 1 piece zinc, 1 elbow, 2 match boxes, 1 tin cup, 45 feet garden hose, 1 summer gate, 1 beam and weight, 1 inkstand, 2 journals, 1 log book, 80 yards Ingrain carpet, 12 iron bedsteads, 12 mattresses, husk, 12 straw mattresses, 24 blankets, 12 counterpanes, 12 pillows, 24 pairs sheets, 36 pillow cases, 1 bureau, 1 table, 1 looking glass, 12 windsor chairs, 12 arm chairs, 10 spittoons, 4 window shades, 1 towel rack, 12 hand towels, 1 water cooler, 1 clock, 1 sprinkling can, 3 door mats, 8 closets, 1 hat rack, 12 alarm box keys, 12 house keys, 11 cap badges, 1 extra bell, 1 extra seat, 2 extra hand tongues, 1 copy rules and frame, 1 alarm card and frame, 1 stable lamp.

Respectfully submitted,

T. ELLWOOD CASTOR,

Foreman at Station No. 7.

ENGINE COMPANY No. 8.

Located at No. 143 Race street. Steamer, first-class, double engine, built by Amoskeag Company, with two 4½ inch reciprocating pumps, 12 inch stroke; weight of apparatus as drawn to fires, 9,500 pounds. No. 8 Hose cart, built by Gardner & Fleming, weighing with 800 feet of gum hose, 3,245 pounds. Have 1,700 feet of gum hose (Jones' couplings) at this station.

Name.	No.	Position.	Age.	Residence.	Occupation.
Henry H. Smith.....		Foreman.....	35...	132 Arch street.....	Baker.
Charles Cooper.....	84...	Engineer.....	50...	128 Race street.....	Machinist.
Charles Newkirk.....	85...	Fireman.....	37...	317 Crown street.....	Varnisher.
Richd. Jenni ngs.....	86...	Driver.....	32...	3 Augusta place.....	Driver.
W. Spiskey.....	87...	Hoseman.....	33...	128 Race street.....	Chair maker.
M. McLaughlin.....	80...	Hoseman.....	31...	143 N. Second street.....	Cigar maker.
John Murray.....	78...	Hoseman.....	35...	708 Marshall street.....	Chair maker.
James Mack.....	81...	Hoseman.....	25...	136 N. Front street.....	Driver
Ellwood Edwards.....	82...	Hoseman.....	30...	204 N. Front street.....	Laborer.
Geo. Nollinger.....	79...	Hoseman.....	25...	1 Packer place.....	Pocketbook mkr
John Flynn.....	88...	Hoseman.....	25...	128 Bread street.....	Driver.
Wm. McNamara.....	83...	Hoseman.....	33...	226 New street.....	Printer.

Schedule of property held in charge by Engine Company No. 8, January 1st, 1875.

1 engine complete with Mayer's patent relief valve attached, 1 hose cart, 4 horses, 1,700 feet gum hose, 1 extra set engine wheels, 16 feet suction, 2 brass branch pipes, 1 suction funnel, 1 suction wrench, 1 brass oiler, 1 three pint oil can, 30 feet of ½ inch steam gum hose, 1 heating apparatus, 1 relief valve and nozzle, 1 pump wrench, 1 cylinder socket wrench, 1 boiler wrench, 1 double spanner wrench for boiler, 1 fork wrench for cylinder, 3 monkey wrenches, 1 screw jack, 1 vise and bench, 1 set gum metal link blocks, 1 chisel, 1 flue driver, 2 files, 3 shovels, 20 extra composition flues, 2 packing wrenches, 4 one gallon oil cans, 5½ feet 3 inch gum suction, 2 squirt cans, 2 extra swingletrees, 2 pounds waste, 3 pounds tallow, 6 sheets emery paper, 6 lamps, 3 hose pipes, 2 plug males, 2 axes, 3 ladder straps, 3 plug wrenches, 2 hose straps, 70 feet garden hose, 1 double block and tackle, 1 hose tower complete, 20 feet of suction rope, 4 extra hame straps, 6 horse blankets, 2 linen horse covers, 2 curry combs, 2 brushes, 1 mane comb and brush, 4 horse boots, 2 surcingles, 2 sponges, 1 feed measure, 1 feed box, 1 mixing box, 1 hay cutter, 4 buckets, 3 leather buckets, 2 harness hooks, 1 sieve, 2 tin cups, 1 tin kettle, 1 whip, 3 brooms, 1 bottle hoof liniment, 10 pounds flaxseed, 2 halters, 10 pounds rock salt, 4 extra snaps, 2 sets double harness, 2 sets single harness, 3 extra bridles, 1 extra collar, 1 pair double lines, 3 bales of hay, 2 bales of straw, 20 bushels of oats, 8 bushels soft feed, 3 forks, 1 shovel, 1 scrub brush, 1 hand scrub, 1 dust brush, 1 dust pan, 1 beam and weights, 1 gallon engine oil, 1 ton stove coal, 1 wooden jack, 1 box wheel grease, 1 load kindling wood, ½ ton engine coal, 1 load pine knots, 1 set Jones' couplings, 120 feet hose rope, 12 iron bedsteads, 24 mattresses, 12 pillows, 24 pillow cases, 48 sheets, 24 blankets, 12 counterpanes, 1 table, 1 bureau, 1 desk, 1 inkstand, 22 chairs, 11 spittoons, 1 looking glass, 2 pieces of zinc, 2 stoves, 2 coal hods, 2 poker, 2 shovels, 3 window shades, 12 house keys, 12 alarm box keys, 1 coal bucket, 7 towels, 13 closets, 13 closet keys, 91 yards ingrain carpet, 1 summer door, 1 extra set engine chains, 1 extra engine pole, 2 extra Jones' ings for engine, 1 log book, 2 door mats, 2 sets hose jumpers, 11 badges.

respectfully submitted,

HENRY H. SMITH

Foreman at Station No. 8.

ENGINE COMPANY No. 9.

Located at Main and Franklin streets, Germantown. Steamer third-class, single engine, built by the Amoskeag Company, with one $4\frac{1}{4}$ inch reciprocating pump, 9 inch stroke; weight of apparatus as drawn to fires, 5,475 pounds. No. 9. Hose carriage, built by J. Newhauser, of Philadelphia, weighing with 1,000 feet of linen hose, 2,650 pounds. Have 1000 feet of linen hose, and 1,300 feet of gum hose (Jones' couplings) at this station.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Position.</i>	<i>Age.</i>	<i>Residence.</i>	<i>Occupation.</i>
John B. Maxwell.....	36	Foreman.....	36	5458 Main street.....	Carpenter.
Geo. Freas.....	89	Engineer.....	36	23 Sharpnack street.....	Engineer
Wm. B. Crout.....	91	Driver.....	38	5480 Main street.....	Cabinet maker.
Jacob Guyer.....	90	Fireman.....	29	5457 Main street.....	Weaver.
Thos. Brooks.....	95	Hoseman.....	80	5459 Main street.....	Dyer.
Jacob Peterman.....	99	Hoseman.....	49	23 Sharpnack street.....	Butcher.
John W. Selsor.....	97	Hoseman.....	30	Church street.....	Engineer.
Wm. Bennett.....	92	Hoseman.....	26	Arm et street.....	Confectioner.
Edw. Wright.....	93	Hoseman.....	36	Wayne street.....	Carpenter.
Chas. O. Roop.....	94	Hoseman.....	38	W. Washington av.....	Carpenter.
Chas. Fisher.....	96	Hoseman.....	38	Wayne street.....	Cordwainer.
Wm. Fulmer.....	98	Hoseman.....	39	1630 Houston street.....	Cordwainer.

*Schedule of property held in charge by Engine Company No. 9,
January 1st, 1875.*

1 engine complete, 1 four wheel hose cart, 4 horses, 1,000 feet linen hose, 1,300 feet gum hose, 26 feet of suction, 3 plug males, 2 hose pipes, 2 nozzles, 4 lamps, 2 ladder straps, 2 hose straps, 2 hoisting ropes, 1 single block and rope, 2 whip sockets, 75 feet garden hose, 2 axes, 1 hatchet, 1 saw, 4 locks, 6 towels, 1 towel rack, 12 house keys, 12 alarm box keys, 3 oil cans, 2 squirt cans, 1 vise, 2 monkey wrenches, 3 wrenches, 2 box wrenches, 2 horse boots, 2 stoves and pipe complete, 1 screw jack, 1 heating apparatus, $\frac{1}{2}$ ton stove coal, 1 ton engine coal, 4 files, 1 dust brush, 1 hand scrub, 2 leather buckets, 4 brooms, 3 chamois, 1 extra link block, $\frac{1}{2}$ gallon coal oil, $\frac{1}{2}$ gallon machine oil, 12 boxes matches, 5 pounds yellow soap, 1 bar castile soap, 1 wash basin, 1 water cooler, 1 summer gate, 2 frames, 1 shovel, 1 poker, 5 pounds waste, 4 sheets emery paper, 1 coal scuttle, 1 piece zinc, $\frac{1}{4}$ cord kindling wood, 1 swingle-tree, 1 extra spring for engine, 12 iron bedsteads, 24 mattresses, 12 pillows, 24 pairs blankets, 12 counterpanes, 24 pillow cases, 40 sheets in bad condition, 1 bureau, 1 table, 12 arm chairs, 10 bed room chairs, 1 looking glass, 100 yards carpet, 3 blank books, 1 log book, 1 inkstand, 2 pen holders, 2 sets double harness, 2 sets single harness, 2 extra collars, 2 curry combs, 2 brushes, 1 mane comb, 1 mane brush, 2 stable forks, 7 horse blankets, 1 stable shovel, 4 sponges, 1 stable basket, 1 feed cutter, 3 horse sheets, 1 set scales, 1 feed chest, 4 zinc collar pads, 1 extra coupling, 2 sureingles, 2 plug wrenches, 2 extra gongs, 12 snaps, 1 hand tongue and reel for engine, 1 mixing box, 12 cap badges, 1 oat sieve, 3 pounds tallow.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN B. MAXWELL,

Foreman at Station No. 9.

ENGINE COMPANY No. 10.

Located at Nos. 1507 and 1509 Moyamensing avenue. Steamer second-class, built by Amoskeag Company, with one $4\frac{3}{4}$ inch reciprocating pump, 12 inch stroke; weight of apparatus as drawn to fires, 6,980 pounds. No. 10 Hose cart, built by Gardner & Fleming, weighing with 750 feet of gum hose, 3,160 pounds. Have 1,560 feet of gum hose (Jones' couplings) at this station.

Name.	No.	Position.	Age.	Residence.	Occupation.
John Patterson.....	.....	Foreman.....	27...	309 Greenwich street.....	Victualler.
Joseph Catlin.....	100...	Engineer.....	37...	914 Morris street.....	Engineer.
Chas. Harberger.....	101...	Fireman.....	37...	517 Worth street.....	Moulder.
Chas. Reynolds.....	102...	Driver.....	32...	1732 S. Second street.....	Driver.
Geo. Wilkinson.....	103...	Hoseman.....	36..	252 McClennan street.....	Carpenter.
William Okill.....	104..	Hoseman.....	31...	326 Dickinson street.....	Laborer.
Thos. Corgee.....	105..	Hoseman.....	28...	1311 S. Front street.....	Laborer.
John Gregory.....	106...	Hoseman.....	38...	1320 Corn street.....	Sail maker.
Levi Wilson.....	107...	Hoseman.....	28...	1317 Rye street..	Laborer.
Wm. Andrews.....	108...	Hoseman.....	43...	1517 Moyamensing av.....	Victualler.
James Tatem.....	109...	Hoseman.....	28...	1019 S. Sixth street.....	Moulder.
Washington Yates.....	110...	Hoseman.....	35...	1331 Benlah street.....	Laborer.

Schedule of property held in charge by Engine Company No. 10, January 1st, 1875.

1 engine, 1 hose cart, 1 supply wagon, 4 horses, 1,500 feet gum hose, 24 feet suction, 2 hose pipes, 3 nozzles, 1 heating apparatus, 12 hose picks, 3 ladder straps, 3 axes, 2 shovels, 2 lanterns, 3 fire buckets, 2 sets double harness, 2 sets single harness, 3 horse blankets, 1 hay cutter, 3 forks, 1 stable broom, 3 horse buckets, 1 feed measure, 1 block and fall, 2 curry combs, 2 horse brushes, 1 horse card, 1 horse comb, 1 sieve, 1 surcingle, 1 horse boot 2 monkey wrenches, 5 files, 1 five gallon oil can, 1 vise, 2 jackscrews, 1 squirt can, 1 funnel, $2\frac{1}{2}$ pounds crocus, 5 pounds waste, 1 dozen sheets emery paper, 1 pair nippers, 1 poker, 1 quart oil can, 1 extra set of engine wheels, 11 blocks, 8 ropes, 12 cleats, 12 bedsteads, 24 mattresses, 24 pair double blankets, 13 single blankets, 48 sheets, 36 pillow cases, 1 bureau, 12 arm chairs, 1 table, 1 pound whitening, 1 looking glass, 8 spittoons, 3 stoves, 1 clock, 100 feet garden hose, 2 brooms, 2 summer doors, 2 hand scrubs, 1 brush, 2 coal bods, 2 chamois, 110 yards carpet, 1 copy rules and regulations, 1 list of alarm boxes, 1 beam and weights, 1 water cooler, 3 metallic pads, 1 pair hose jumpers, 3 plug males, 1 boiler for stove, 3 drag ropes, 1 hand tongue for engine, 12 house keys, 1 wash basin, 1 quart coal oil, 1 gallon machine oil, $\frac{1}{2}$ gallon polishing oil, 6 halter straps, 2 socket wrenches, 1 gland wrench, 2 tons stove coal, $\frac{1}{2}$ cord split wood, 2 tons engine coal, 1 towel rack, 4 towels, 1 gong, 12 rollers, 1 dust pan, 1 stove fender, 2 pieces zinc, $\frac{1}{2}$ cord pine knots, 1 suction fender, 10 feet $\frac{1}{2}$ inch gum hose, 1 quart harness oil, 2 fuel baskets, 1 iron feed pan, 2 long handle scrubs, 20 bushels oats, 300 pounds straw, $2\frac{1}{2}$ bushels ship stuff, 1 fire shovel, 12 alarm box keys, 11 cap badges, 1 extra set trace chains.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN PATTERSON,

Foreman at Station No. 10.

ENGINE COMPANY No. 11.

Located at No. 1035 Lombard street. Steamer first-class, single engine, built by Poole & Hunt, of Baltimore, with two $4\frac{1}{2}$ inch reciprocating pumps, 12 inch stroke; weight of apparatus as drawn to fires, 7,000 pounds. No. 11 Hose cart, built by Gardner & Fleming, of Philadelphia, weighing with 750 feet of gum hose, 3,100 pounds. Have 1,400 feet gum hose (Jones' couplings) at this station.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Position.</i>	<i>Age.</i>	<i>Residence.</i>	<i>Occupation.</i>
Edw. J. Toomey.....	119	Foreman.....	33...	1243 Lombard street.....	Trunk maker.
Wm. J. Irwin.....	119	Engineer	40...	1216 Rodman street.....	Machinist.
Thos. Munn.....	116	Driver.....	27...	701 S. Eleventh street.....	Driver.
And. McGough.....	117	Fireman.....	26...	716 S. Thirteenth street...	Fireman.
Thos. Cochran.....	120	Hoseman.....	29...	828 Catharine street.....	Cigar maker.
Jno. McCullen.....	112	Hoseman.....	33...	719 S. Eleventh street.....	Painter.
Wm. Robertson.....	118	Hoseman.....	29...	329 S. Thirteenth street...	Butcher.
James O'Neill.....	114	Hoseman.....	27...	635 Bainbridge street.....	Dealer.
Wm. T. P. Barnes.....	111	Hoseman.....	36...	802 South street.....	Paper hanger.
Saml. Kidd.....	115	Hoseman.....	33...	1215 Olive street.....	Brass finisher.
Edw. Walker, Sr.....	121	Hoseman.....	52...	721 S. Sixth street.....	Dealer.
Henry Coogan.....	113	Hoseman.....	29...	411 Blight street.....	Paperhanger.

*Schedule of property held in charge by Engine Company No. 11.
January 1st, 1875.*

1 engine complete, 1 hose cart, 3 horses, 1,400 feet gum hose, 23 feet suction, 1 strainer, 1 set extra wheels for steamer, 1 extra swingle-tree, 5 reducers, 1 pair tongs, 1 axe, 1 jack screw, 1 monkey wrench, 1 saw, 1 five gallon oil can, 2 one gallon oil cans, 1 quart oil can, $\frac{1}{2}$ gallon lard oil, $\frac{1}{2}$ gallon coal oil, 1 quart cleaning oil, 1 quart harness oil, 1 flue cleaner, 2 hose pipes, 2 hose straps, 4 lamps, 2 plug wrenches, 8 hose picks, 50 feet rope, 1 fire bucket, 4 pounds cotton waste, 2 nozzles, 1 pair hose jumpers, 2 sets double harness, 2 ets single harness, 3 horse blankets, 2 horse brushes, 2 forks, 3 summer blankets, 2 curry combs, 1 mane comb, 1 dust brush, 2 shovels, 3 halters and chains, 1 horse boot, 1 hay cutter, 1 wheelbarrow, 1 corn broom, 2 tin cups, 2 stoves, 3 coal hods, 3 pokers, 3 shovels, 1 heating apparatus, 100 feet garden hose, 1 step ladder, $1\frac{1}{2}$ cords wood, $\frac{1}{2}$ ton engine coal, 1 vise, 1 set trace chains, 12 bedsteads, 24 mattresses, 12 summer blankets, 22 double winter blankets, 12 counterpanes, 24 pillows, 48 pillow cases, 48 sheets, 1 table, 1 bureau and glass, 12 windsor chairs, 12 arm chairs, 2 spittoons, 5 window shades, 3 towels, 1 clock, 2 stable buckets, 3 pieces zinc, 5 sheets emery cloth, 1 summer door, 1 water cooler, 3 blank book, 1 inkstand, 12 house keys, 11 alarm box keys, 11 cap badges, 1 feed measure, 1 beam and weights, 1 carpet, 1 door mat, 2 pounds castile soap, 2 pounds brown soap, 4 bales hay, 2 bales straw, 25 bushels oats, 12 bushels bran, 2 police ropes, 10 sheets writing paper, 1 copy rules and regulations, 1 copy alarm boxes.

Respectfully submitted,
EDWARD J. TOOMEY,
Foreman at Station No. 11.

ENGINE COMPANY No. 12.

Located at No. 4450 Main street, Manayunk. Steamer second-class, built by Reanie & Neafie, of Philadelphia, with pump $4\frac{1}{2}$ inches in diameter, 16 inch stroke; weight of apparatus as drawn to fires, 7,800 pounds. No. 12 four wheel hose cart, built by John Newhauser, of Philadelphia, weighing with 600 feet of gum hose, 3,100 pounds. Truck G, built by Shantz & Son, Philadelphia, carrying 5 ladders and 5 hooks. Have 900 feet gum hose, 1,000 feet linen hose (Jones' couplings) at this station.

Name.	No.	Position.	Age.	Residence.	Occupation.
John Rumney.....	..	Foreman.....	32...	4666 Jackson street	Paper maker.
Charles L. Vernier.....	132..	Engineer.....	38...	165 Mulberry street.....	Engineer.
Daniel Jones.....	131..	Fireman.....	40...	12 Fayette street.....	Hatter.
Jas. L. Marlin.....	130	Driver.....	30...	113 Green lane.....	Fireman.
Jere. Stapleton.....	123..	Hoseman.....	35...	4624 Jackson street.....	Spinner.
Thos. Mulligan.....	128..	Hoseman.....	27...	Mechanic street.....	Spinner.
Hugh McDermott.....	126..	Hoseman.....	27...	Washington street.....	Paper maker
Wm. Lanigan.....	127..	Hoseman.....	25 ..	Wabash avenue.....	Laborer.
Jos. W. Marshall.....	123..	Hoseman.....	27...	157 Centre street.....	Laborer.
Henry Firth.....	125..	Hoseman.....	29...	4461 Main street.....	Spinner.
B. F. Atkinson.....	129..	Hoseman.....	33...	4710 Washington street....	Carpenter.
Daniel Shronk.....	124..	Hoseman.....	33...	4714 Fowler street.....	Laborer. :

Schedule of property held in charge by Engine Company No. 12, January 1st, 1875.

1 hook and ladder complete, 1 steam fire engine, 1 hose carriage, 4 horses, 900 feet gum hose, 1,000 feet linen hose, 1 set double harness, 2 sets single harness, 2 extra sets single harness, 16 feet suction, 12 bed spreads, 24 mattresses, 24 pillow cases, 24 woollen blankets, 12 pillows, 12 iron bedsteads, 45 sheets, 8 window curtains, 66 yards ingrain carpet, 1 bureau, 12 arm chairs, 1 table, 3 company books, 1 inkstand, 1 writing desk, 1 heating apparatus, 2 lanterns, 1 set lamp holders, 1 goose neck, 3 files, 1 pair tongs, 1 patent form for pump, 3 monkey wrenches, 2 hammers, 2 chisels, 6 spanners, 2 socket wrenches, 4 axes, 50 feet garden hose, 1 patent oil can, 2 oil cans, 1 pair pincers, 10 screw wrenches, 2 wheel wrenches, 1 pair clamps, 2 packing hooks, 1 wrench, 2 lamps for engine, 2 torches, 1 screw driver, 1 swingle-tree, 1 vise, 2 pokers, 2 plug wrenches, 3 hose pipes, 3 plug males, 1 drag rope, 2 hose straps, 4 leather buckets, 1 gong for hose carriage, 3 whips, 1 hay cutter, 2 wooden forks, 1 feed box, 1 cutting box, 1 stable broom, 4 shovels, 1 block and tackle, 50 feet rope, 3 curry combs, 3 horse brushes, 3 mane brushes, 6 buckets, 1 load kindling wood, 5 tons engine coal, 3 tons stove coal, 1 screw jack, 2 stoves, 2 coal hods, 1 hatchet, 3 summer gates, 7 horse blankets, 4 summer sheets, 2 hand scrub brushes, 4 towels, 1 towel rack, 1 dust pan, 1 dust brush, 4 corn brooms, 2 basins, 1 tin cup, 1 basket, 1 half peck measure, 1 sieve, 5 nozzles, 4 spittoons, 1 piece zinc, 11 house keys, 11 alarm box keys, 11 cap badges, 3 horse boots, 1 match box, $\frac{1}{2}$ pound packing, 3 ladder straps, 6 picks, 4 lamps for truck, 10 feet garden hose for steamer, 1 whitewash brush, 1 tube brush, 1 pipe wrench, 1 sheet packing gum, $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen pieces sporing cloth, 1 can cleaning oil, 2 boxes wheel grease, 12 extra snaps, 3 bales hay, 20 bushels oats, 8 bushels bran, 3 bushels cracked corn, 2 bags salt, 1 bar castile soap, 1 bar brown soap, $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen boxes matches, 1 gong for bunk room, 1 bottle ink, 2 extra bits, 1 can lard oil, 1 can harness oil, 1 can coal oil, 3 pounds waste, 5 pounds soda, 5 pounds rotten stone, 5 chamolis, 1 stable broom, 7 sponges, 1 tin boiler, 5 collar pads, 1 water cooler, 1 fire alarm card and frame, 1 set rules and frame, 4 halters, 3 collars, 1 extra set lines, 2 extra bridles, 4 hitching straps, 1 slice bar, 1 patent squirt can, 3 pairs hand holds.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN RUMNEY,

Foreman at Station No. 12.

ENGINE COMPANY No. 13.

Located at No. 1411 Brown street. Steamer second-class, built by John L. Knowlton, of Philadelphia, with $5\frac{1}{4}$ inch pump, 11 inch stroke, cylinder $9\frac{1}{8}$ inches in diameter, Mayers' patent relief valve attached; weight of apparatus as drawn to fires, 7,412 pounds. No. 13 hose cart, built by Gardner & Fleming, weight with 860 feet of gum hose, 2,735 pounds. Have 1,100 feet gum hose (Jones' couplings) at this station.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Position.</i>	<i>Age.</i>	<i>Residence.</i>	<i>Occupation.</i>
Edward Barnes .....	...	Foreman	27...	1109 Myrtle street	Carpenter.
James M. Curry.....	133...	Engineer.....	29...	1806 Poplar street.....	Machinist.
Robt. Montgomery.....	134...	Driver.....	28...	1509 Pearl street	Tinsmith.
James Edwards.....	135 ..	Fireman.....	31 ..	2203 Hare street	Driver.
Peter Rau.....	136..	Hoseman.....	28...	1138 Olive street.....	Confectioner.
Jos. Altematt.....	137..	Hoseman.....	28...	1217 Ogden street.....	Weaver.
Saml. Brower.....	138 ..	Hoseman.....	25...	1512 N. Eleventh street....	Painter.
Saml. Barford.....	139 ..	Hoseman.....	28...	1408 Brown street ..	Laborer.
William Coffin.....	140 ..	Hoseman.....	26...	860 Charlotta street.....	Box maker.
Edward Cowdrick.....	141..	Hoseman.....	39...	945 Warnock street.....	Bricklayer.
Edward Walker.....	142 ..	Hoseman.....	30...	1217 Ogden street.....	Laborer.
Joseph Sixtye.....	143...	Hoseman.....	34...	26 S. Seventeenth st.....	Brakesman.

*Schedule of property held in charge by Engine Company No. 13,
January 1st, 1875.*

1 engine complete, 1 hose cart, 3 horses, 1 set double harness, 1 extra set double harness, 1 set cart harness, 1 extra set cart harness, 2 extra horse collars, 1 dutch collar, 8 horse blankets, 5 files, 2 pair pincers, 2 chisels, 2 balls lampwick, $\frac{1}{2}$ box rotten stone, 1 box erocus, 7 sheets emery paper, 5 pounds cotton waste, 3 monkey wrenches, 4 oil cans, 1 jack screw, 6 lanterns, 2 torches, 2 leather buckets, 3 hose pipes and nozzles, 3 plug males, 3 plug wrenches, 2 horse boots, 1 hose rope, 1 pair hose jumpers, 2 curry combs, 2 horse brushes, 2 mane brushes, 70 feet of garden hose, 1,600 feet of rope in tower, 4 horse buckets, 2 stable halters, 3 corn brooms, 2 door mats, 1 mixing box, 3 surcingles, 2 dust brushes, 1 looking glass, 1 ladder, 2 stoves and pipe, 3 axes, 2 coal baskets, 4 shovels, 1 saw, 1 hatchet, 2 window brushes, 4 Jones' rings, 3 hose straps, 3 whitewash brushes, 2 whip sockets, 13 bedsteads, 26 mattresses, 1 clock, 3 double closets, 12 windsor chairs, 1 bureau, 7 window curtains, 98 yards carpet, 1 sieve, 1 pair extra bits, 7 spittoons, 1 half peck measure, 12 arm chairs, 1 table, 1 beam and weights, 1 double block and tackle, 1 hay cutter, 2 scrub brushes, 1 vise and bench, 1 match safe, 2 summer doors, 12 house keys, 12 alarm keys, 11 cap badges, 12 sets uniform buttons, 13 spreads, 13 pillows, 36 sheets, 26 double blankets, 12 single blankets, 4 towels, 20 pillow cases, 1 spring oiler, 2 gongs, 1 log book, 1 roll book, 1 supplies book, 1 fire record book, 16 feet $4\frac{1}{2}$ inch suction, 7 feet three inch suction, 6 breast snaps, 3 line snaps, 1 bottle ink, 1 inkstand, 1 load kindling wood, 1 ton coal, $\frac{1}{4}$ ton engine coal, 1 shut-off nozzle, 2 coal scuttles.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD BARNES,

Foreman at Station No. 13.

ENGINE COMPANY No. 14.

Located at No. 4612 Frankford avenue, Frankford. Steamer second class, single engine, built by Amoskeag Company, with one $4\frac{1}{2}$ inch reciprocating pump, 12 inch stroke; weight of apparatus as drawn to fires, 7,200 pounds, No. 14 hose carriage, built by J. Newhauser, of Philadelphia; weighs with 300 feet of gum hose, and 700 feet of linen hose, 3,725 pounds. Hook and Ladder Truck H, built by Shantz & Son, Philadelphia, weight of apparatus as drawn to fires, 3,560 pounds, carrying 5 ladders, 35, 30, 24, 20, 14 feet in length, 4 axes, 2 picks, 1 crowbar, 4 lamps, 1 drag rope, 1 hook and chain, 1 wrench, 5 hooks, 1 raising pole, 2 police ropes, 3 forks, 1 leather bucket, 2 cushions, 1 whip. Have 1,000 feet linen hose, 950 feet gum hose (Jones' couplings) at this station.

Name.	No.	Position.	Age.	Residence.	Occupation.
Joseph H. Comly.....	31	Foreman.....	47	4708 Frankford avenue..	Carpenter.
William N Swallow....	144	Engineer.....	37	Allen street.....	Machinist.
John C. Flood.....	146	Driver.....	48	4751 Frankford avenue..	Paper stainer.
Hiram Schlafer.....	145	Fireman.....	27	Thomas street.....	Mattress maker.
Alfred L. Oat.....	147	Hoseman.....	34	Orchard street.....	Machine printr.
James Rea.....	148	Hoseman.....	39	Jefferson street.....	Bricklayer.
F. W. Stearne.....	149	Hoseman.....	28	Franklin street.....	Laborer.
George Williams.....	150	Hoseman.....	28	47 W. Sellers street.....	Confectioner.
Howard W. Swope.....	151	Hoseman.....	37	209 E. Orthodox street....	Bricklayer.
H. S. Stanwood.....	152	Hoseman.....	34	Leshor and Orthodox sts..	Coach trimmer.
George J. Pilkington...	153	Hoseman.....	29	Foulkrod street.....	Laborer.
John Martin.....	154	Hoseman.....	35	4320 Paul street.....	Cotton spinner.

Schedule of property held in charge by Engine Company No. 14, January 1st, 1875.

1 engine, 1 hose carriage, 1 hook and ladder truck, 5 horses, 1,000 feet linen hose, 900 feet gum hose, 75 feet garden hose, 23 feet suction, 3 hose pipes, 2 branch pipes, 1 rope reel, 10 lanterns, 1 heating apparatus, 1 signal lamp, 1 strainer, 1 screw jack, 1 slice bar, 2 plug wrenches, 2 Jones' rings, 4 nozzles, 3 drag ropes, 3 fire buckets, 1 hose strap, 1 ladder strap, 2 stop leaks, 1 trail rope, 10 pulley ropes and eye bolts, 2 blocks, and 20 feet of 1 inch rope, 60 feet of small rope, 1 hoisting jack, 3 monkey wrenches, 2 hand wrenches, 3 socket wrenches, 9 horse blankets, 1 summer sheet, 3 whips, 3 curry combs, 3 horse brushes, 3 mane brushes, 5 horse buckets, 2 chamois, 3 sponges, 2 wooden hay forks, 2 manure forks, 1 hay cutter, 2 feed bins, 1 mixing box, 1 sieve, 2 halters, 8 halter straps, 3 mane combs, 4 corn brooms, 1 water cooler, 1 pair hand holders, 3 horse boots, 1 pair rollers, 6 hame straps, 4 zinc collar pads, 3 leather collar pads, 4 extra collars, 1 pair lead bars, 1 carpet, 1 table, 12 chairs, 1 writing desk, 12 bedsteads, 1 vise, 2 cylinder wrenches, 1 screw driver, 5 files, 1 chisel, 1 hammer, 1 pair pincers, 1 pair plyers, 2 squirt cans, 1 brass oiler, 2 axes, 3 one gallon oil cans, 2 plug wrenches, 2 extra engine wheels, 1 form for pump, 8 extra gum valves and springs, 1 towel rack, 12 hose picks, 12 house keys, 12 alarm box keys, 11 cap badges, 1 frame with list of boxes, 1 frame with rules and regulations, 1 wheelbarrow, 4 shovels, 1 hatchet, 1 summer gate, 1 inkstand, 1 journal, 1 log book, 4 pen holders and pens, 2 sets double harness, 2 sets single harness, 1 bureau, 1 looking glass, 24 mattresses, 24 double blankets, 12 single blankets, 12 counterpanes, 12 pillows, 24 pillow slips, 55 sheets, 8 window shades, 4 towels, 2 dust brushes, 2 dust pans, 1 hand scrub, 3 wall brushes, 2 stoves, 35 feet of stove pipe, 2 poker, 2 coal hods, 2 fire shovels, 4 pieces zinc, 2 wash basins, 5 bales hay, 3 bales straw, 2 bushels bran, 1 bushel middlings, 35 bushels oats, 200 pounds corn meal, 1 package cake meal, 1 bag dairy salt, 2 pieces rock salt, 1 ton engine coal, 4 tons stove coal, 5 sheep skin collar pads, 8 spittoons, 1 tin cup.

Respectfully submitted,
JOSEPH H. COMLY,
Foreman at Station No. 14.

ENGINE COMPANY No. 15.

Located at corner of Howard street and Columbia avenue. Steamer second-class, built by Neafie & Levy, of Philadelphia, with pump 5 inches in diameter, 12 inch stroke, Mayer's patent relief valve attached; weight of apparatus as drawn to fires, 8 950 pounds. No. 15 Hose cart, built by Gardner & Fleming, weight, with 700 feet of gum hose, 3,060 pounds. Have 1,700 feet gum hose (Jones' couplings) at this station.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Position.</i>	<i>Age.</i>	<i>Residence.</i>	<i>Occupation.</i>
Wm. G. McDade.....	.....	Foreman.....	26...	575 Aramingo street.....	Weaver.
Mitchell Hartman.....	155...	Engineer.....	39...	923 N. Front street.....	Engineer.
William McCay.....	156...	Driver.....	29...	1614 Hope street.....	Driver.
John Buck.....	157...	Fireman.....	31...	215 Green street.....	Driver.
David Patterson.....	158 ..	Hoseman.....	29...	2240 Hope street.....	Weaver.
Elsey Walls	159...	Hoseman.....	28...	1901 Hancock street.....	Laborer.
Jere. Mahoney	160 ..	Hoseman.....	30...	1532 Bodine street.....	Dyer.
Jacob Homiler.....	161 ..	Hoseman.....	26...	1621 Huston street.....	Laborer.
Henry Boyle.....	162 ..	Hoseman.....	32 ..	1343 Germantown road.....	Butcher.
Edw. Kelley.....	163 ..	Hoseman.....	28...	1436 Germantown road.....	Laborer.
Alex. Cowan.....	164...	Hoseman.....	24...	1513 Frankford road.....	Weaver.
W. H. Jordan.....	165 ..	Hoseman.....	25...	1923 Blair street.....	Bricklayer.

*Schedule of property held in charge by Engine Company No. 15,
January 1st, 1875.*

1 engine, 1 hose cart, 3 horses, 1 set cart harness, 2 sets double harness, 3 halters, 1 extra cart lines, 3 extra collars, 3 horse blankets, 3 summer sheets, 3 surcingle, 2 horse boots, 12 harness straps, 2 extra sets cart chains, 2 curry combs, 2 mane combs, 2 mane brushes, 2 sponges, 1 half peck measure, 1 feed box, 1 hay cutter, 1 mixing box, 1 bushel basket, 1 sieve, 800 pounds of hay, 500 pounds straw, 1 manure fork, 1 hay fork, 2 stable buckets, 1 stable brush, 2 shovels, 28 bushels oats, 3 bushels mixed feed, 1 bottle hoof liniment, 4 bags salt, 1 wheelbarrow, 1,500 feet gum hose, 3 hose pipes, 3 plug males, 2 plug spanners, 4 nozzles, 3 ladder straps, 1 hame strap, 1 cylinder strap, 26 feet gum suction, 1 suction strainer, 1 suction protector, 2 hose jumpers, 1 pair lamps, 1 hose rope, 2 stoves, 50 feet stove pipe, 2 coal hods, 2 pokers, 13 hose picks, 1 gallon machine oil, 1 spring oil can, 1 socket wrench, 1 pump wrench, 1 packing ring wrench, 1 vise and bench, 1 pair engine tongs, 3 monkey wrenches, 1 jack screw, 2 one gallon oil cans, 6 files, 5 pounds waste, 2 axes, 1 hatchet, 2 wall brushes, 2 scrubbing brushes, 1 whitewash brush, 3 metallic pads, 2 chamois, 1 double block and tackle, 13 tower blocks, 13 hose ropes, 1 beam and weights, 12 spittoons, 3 pieces zinc, 12 coat straps, 3 books, 1 log book, 2 summer gates, 2 lampwicks, 1 tin cup, 50 feet garden hose, 6 sheets emery cloth, 1 box erocus, 1 frame and rules, 1 alarin card and frame, 1 fire bucket, 1 clock, 12 iron bedsteads, 24 mattresses, 48 sheets, 12 pillows, 24 pillow cases, 12 double blankets, 12 single blankets, 12 counterpanes, 1 table, 9 windsor chairs, 10 arm chairs, 1 bureau, 1 looking glass, 9 window shades, 3 towels, 1 towel rack, 2 door locks, 12 house keys, 12 alarm box keys, 11 cap badges, 2 door mats, 3 tons stove coal, 1 heating apparatus, 6 corn brooms, 1 dust pan, 1 floor brush, 1 hand saw, 1 hammer, 1 pair pincers, 1 sprinkling pot, 1 cart gong, ½ ton engine coal, 3 carpets, 1 stair carpet, 1 writing desk, 1 bath tub with boiler attached.

Respectfully submitted,
WILLIAM G. MCDADE,
Foreman at Station No. 15.

ENGINE COMPANY No. 16.

Located at Fifty-first street and Lancaster avenue, West Philadelphia. Steamer second class, built by Amoskeag Company, with one 4 $\frac{3}{4}$ inch reciprocating pump, 12 inch stroke; weight of apparatus as drawn to fires 6,535 pounds, one four-wheel hose carriage, built by J. Newhauser, of Philadelphia, weight with 900 feet of gum hose, 3,355 pounds, drawn by 2 horses. Have 1,500 feet gum hose (Jones' couplings) at this station.

Name.	No.	Position.	Age.	Residence.	Occupation.
Geo. W. Evans.....	166	Foreman	28	Lancaster av. and 51st st.	Lumber merch.
Saml. C. Suplee.....	166	Engineer	42	Lancaster av. and 49th st.	Engineer.
John Dougherty.....	167	Driver	30	Summer road and 50th st.	Driver.
Geo. W. Cubbler.....	168	Fireman	32	Summer road and 50th st.	Bricklayer.
John W. Murray.....	169	Hoseman	29	Kershaw and Lancaster.	Brick maker.
James B. Gray.....	173	Hoseman	29	Lancaster av. and 50th st.	Laborer.
Wm. Spence.....	171	Hoseman	27	Lancaster av. and 50th st.	Carter.
Robt. B. Burrows.....	170	Hoseman	33	Lancaster av. and 50th st.	Millwright.
Jas. Dougherty.....	176	Hoseman	27	Summer road and 50th st.	Carter.
John Spence.....	174	Hoseman	25	Lancaster av. and 49th st.	Spinner.
Thos. Dooley.....	172	Hoseman	27	Kershaw and Lancaster.	Boiler maker.
Saml. Jarvis.....	175	Hoseman	27	45th and Haverford road.	Tinsmith.

Schedule of property held in charge by Engine Company No. 16, January 1st, 1875.

1 engine, 1 hose cart, 1,500 feet gum hose, 50 feet garden hose, 17 feet suction hose, 2 hose pipes, 3 nozzles, 2 plug males, 5 horses, 2 sets double harness, 1 set single harness, 1 set lead harness, 4 horse blankets, 3 curry combs, 3 horse brushes, 3 forks, 4 shovels, 2 mane combs, 1 mane brush, 1 horse bucket, 1 horse boot, 1 hay cutter, 1,200 pounds hay, 700 pounds straw, 43 bushels oats, 500 pounds cracked corn, 200 pounds bran, 2 blocks, 50 feet rope, 100 feet tower rope, 18 hose straps, 2 axes, 1 hose bucket, 2 ladder straps, 2 whips, 50 feet hose rope, 1 hatchet, 1 saw, 1 chamois, 3 oil cans, 2 whip sockets, 2 monkey wrenches, 2 plug wrenches, 2 jack screws, 2 ladders, 2 stable brooms, 3 house brooms, 1 sieve, 1 mixing box, 1 feed box, 1 water cooler, 2 match boxes, 1 vise, 2 files, 15 chairs, 2 stoves, 1 table, 2 coal hods, 2 pokers, 2 fire shovels, 3 spittoons, 1 tin cup, 1 towel rack, 6 towels, 1 box matches, 1 dust brush, 1 window brush, 2 hand scrubs, 3 pounds castile soap, 5 pounds brown soap, 8 hose picks, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ tons stove coal, 1 ton engine coal, 1 cord kindling, 3 lanterns, 1 writing desk, 1 inkstand, 1 book, 1 log book, 10 feet stove pipe, 5 sponges, 1 beam and weights, 10 pounds waste, 12 bedsteads, 24 mattresses, 24 sheets, 36 blankets, 24 pillow slips, 12 counterpanes, 12 pillows, 1 bureau, 1 looking glass, 44 yards carpet, 2 fire ropes, 1 pair shafts, also have at this station 1 hook and ladder truck complete.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE W. EVANS,

Foreman at Station No. 16.

ENGINE COMPANY No. 17.

Located on Race street below Broad. Steamer second class, built by J. P. Morris & Co., of Philadelphia, with one 5½ inch reciprocating pump, 15 inch stroke; Mayer's patent relief valve attached; weight of apparatus as drawn to fires, 9,550 pounds. No. 17 Hose cart, built by Gardner & Fleming, weighing with 700 feet of gum hose, 2,950 pounds. Have 1,500 feet gum hose (Jones' couplings) at this station.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Position.</i>	<i>Age.</i>	<i>Residence.</i>	<i>Occupation.</i>
James McGahey.....	..	Foreman	32...	147 Juniper street.....	C. erk.
William Westcott.....	177...	Engineer.....	48...	113 Jacoby street.....	Engineer.
Chas. Stotsenburgh.....	178...	Driver.....	30...	9 Garden street.....	Driver.
David C. Henk.....	179...	Fireman.....	36...	1318 Shellbark street.....	Driver.
John Harvey.....	180...	Hoseman	27...	209 Path street.....	Driver.
Louis Kelly.....	181...	Hoseman.....	28...	221 Lybrand street.....	Carpenter.
Henry Mulligan.....	182...	Hoseman.....	24...	5 Leeds avenue	Moulder.
Theodore Felter.....	183...	Hoseman.....	27...	147 Juniper street.....	Painter.
Thos. Campbell.....	184...	Hoseman.....	27...	147 Juniper street.....	Bricklayer.
John Patterson.....	185...	Hoseman.....	29...	2213 Summer street.....	Galvanizer.
Thomas Ball.....	186...	Hoseman.....	29...	S. W. cor. 15th and Race...	Gilder.
Charles Clew.....	187...	Hoseman.....	24...	206 N. Fifteenth street....	Laborer.

*Schedule of property held in charge by Engine Company No. 17,
January 1st, 1875.*

1 engine, 1 hose cart, 3 horses, 1,500 feet gum hose, 1 desk, 1 monkey wrench, 1 duplex wrench, 3 plug males, 4 hose straps, 2 plug wrenches, 5 nozzles, 27 joints stove pipe, 1 heating apparatus, 1 screw jack, 2 oil cans, 2 one gallon oil cans, 3 hose pipes, 4 lanterns, 1 pair hose jumpers, 5 pounds waste, 1 slice bar, 4 sponges, 2 tons engine coal, 1 screw driver, 1 sieve, 3 halters, 2 sets double harness, 2 sets single harness, 6 horse blankets, 2 curry combs, 1 mane comb, 2 horse brushes, 1 mane brush, 1 dust brush, 3 shovels, 2 horse boots, 2 whips, 2 whip sockets, 3 horse buckets, 1 hammer, 3 fire buckets, 2 feed measures, 1 hay fork, 2 manure forks, 1 hay cutter, 2 bags salt, 2 axes, 1 hatchet, 1 saw, 50 feet garden hose, 4 bales hay, 1 bale straw, 25 bushels oats, 4 bushels corn meal, 6 bushels bran, 1 coal hod, 3 corn brooms, 1 hand scrub, 1 towel rack, 2 blocks and falls, 1 beam and weights, 1 side stream rope, 2 police ropes, 1 dust pan, 13 bedsteads, 26 mattresses, 13 pair double blankets, 12 single blankets, 13 spreads, 39 sheets, 26 pillow slips, 6 towels, 50 yards carpet, 24 chairs, 12 spittoons, 1 bureau and glass, 1 table, 6 window shades, 11 cap badges, 12 house keys, 12 alarm box keys, 2 baskets, 3 extra horse collars, 1 watering pot, 2 squirt cans, 1 vise, 1 water cooler, 6 extra trace chains, 1 match safe, 1 patent match for lighting engine.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES MCGAUHEY,

Foreman at Station No. 17.

ENGINE COMPANY No. 18.

Located at No. 1903 Callowhill street. Steamer second-class, built by Landell & Co., Philadelphia, pump 5 inches in diameter, 12 inch stroke; weight of apparatus as drawn to fires, 9,760 pounds. No. 18 Hose cart, built by Gardner & Fleming, weighing with 700 feet of gum hose, 3,060 pounds. Have 1,400 feet gum hose (Jones' couplings) at this station.

Name.	No.	Position.	Age.	Residence.	Occupation.
Chas. S. Williams.....	188	Foreman	30	1408 Brown street.....	Packer.
Thos. J. Hickey.....	189	Engineer	29	1903 Callowhill street.....	Machinist.
Thos. Durham.....	190	Driver	34	559 Osprey street.....	Driver.
D. McCready	191	Fireman	34	401 N. Nineteenth street...	Baker.
Wm. Barr.....	192	Hoseman	37	1909 Wood street.....	Button maker.
Edw. Morrison.....	193	Hoseman	35	2030 Wood street.....	Laborer.
James Moore.....	194	Hoseman	28	2221 Clayton street.....	Oiler.
Chas. McDonald.....	195	Hoseman	39	2233 Callowhill street.....	Carpenter.
Wm. Getman.....	196	Hoseman	32	1108 Master street.....	Painter.
Michael Eagan.....	197	Hoseman	33	1515 Wood street.....	Boltmaker.
Anton Laefler.....	198	Hoseman	34	918 Poplar street.....	Laborer.
Henry Clements		Hoseman	26	2407 Callowhill street.....	Driver.

Schedule of property held in charge by Engine Company No. 18, January 1st, 1875.

1 engine, 1 hose cart, 3 horses, 2 sets double harness, 2 sets single harness, 1 set patent harness, 6 horse blankets, 3 horse buckets, 3 forks, 1 stable broom, 2 curry combs, 1 mane comb, 2 mane brushes, 3 surcingles, 1 hay cutter, 12 snaps, 200 pounds hay, 50 pounds straw, 2 bushels oats, 1 bushel bran, 2 whip sockets, 1 chamois, 12 bedsteads, 24 mattresses, 10 pillows, 30 sheets, 12 spreads, 23 double blankets, 11 single blankets, 12 windsor chairs, 13 arm chairs, 5 towels, 1 bureau, 1 glass, 1 writing desk, 1 table, 1 towel rack, 2 corn brooms, 1 door mat, 3 stoves, 1 ladder, 2 fire ropes, 1 drag rope, 1 pair hose jumpers, 2 sweeping brushes, 2 dust brushes, 10 spittoons, 2 gongs, 2 jacks, 2 horse boots, 1 block and tackle, 1 sieve, 1 beam and weights, 1 hose tower and fixtures, 2 ladder straps, 2 hose straps, 3 metallic collar pads, 1 closet, 1 feed chest, 1 hammer, 1 hatchet, 1 coal basket, 1 whitewash brush, 1 water cooler, 23 pillow cases, 1 heating apparatus, 12 alarm box keys, 12 house keys, 11 cap badges, 30 feet garden hose, 1,400 feet gum hose, 27 feet suction, 6 window curtains, 1 carpet on bunk room, 2 coal scuttles, 3 pokers, 3 stove shovels, 3 pieces zinc, 3 large coal shovels, 1 summer door, 3 axes, 3 hose pipes, 5 nozzles, 5 lamps, 3 plug males, 1 can for heating water, 1 alarm card and frame, 1 rules and regulations and frame, 1 vice and bench, 1 box wheel grease, 4 one gallon oil cans, 1 half gallon oil can, 2 fire buckets, ½ pound rotten stone, ½ pound crocus, 2 monkey wrenches, 1 hand saw, 4 files, 1 sponge, 1 log book, 1 roll call book, 1 fire report book, 1 requisition book, 1 half peck measure, condemned stock, 9 old bedsteads, 1 steamer pole, 1 hand saw, 1 shovel.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES S. WILLIAMS,

Foreman at Station No. 18.

ENGINE COMPANY No. 19.

Located at No. 18 Armat street, Germantown. Steamer third-class, single engine, built by J. L. Chapman, of Philadelphia, with two single acting pumps, $4\frac{1}{2}$ inches in diameter, 12 inch stroke; weight of apparatus as drawn to fires, 5,900 pounds. No. 19 Hose carriage, built by J. Newhauser, Philadelphia, weight as drawn to fires, 4,500 pounds. Hook and Ladder Truck H, carrying 5 ladders and 5 hooks. Have 650 feet gum hose, 1,000 feet linen hose (Jones' couplings) at this station.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Position.</i>	<i>Age.</i>	<i>Residence.</i>	<i>Occupation.</i>
John Whiteman.....	199	Foreman	35...	95 Armat street.....	Conductor.
Geo. W. Taylor.....	199	Engineer	35...	15 Armat street.....	Machinist.
Jacob Kephart.....	200	Driver	33...	163 Rittenhouse street.....	Driver.
John S. Knight.....	201	Fireman	35...	48 Armat street.....	Boot maker.
Geo. W. Bussinger.....	202	Hoseman	38...	Laurel street.....	Bill poster.
William F. Clemens....	203	Hoseman	38...	Laurel street.....	Cord wainer.
Chas. Whiteman.....	204	Hoseman	26...	27 Manheim street.....	Weaver
Jno. T. Williamson.....	205	Hoseman	46...	Laurel street.....	Cordwainer.
Chas. W. Richter.....	206	Hoseman	36...	5012 Adams street.....	Carpenter.
Richd. M. Johnson.....	207	Hoseman	38...	Price street.....	Weaver.
John Leithhead.....	208	Hoseman	24 ..	Bringham street.....	Tinsmith.
Frank Cooley.....	209	Hoseman	29...	5014 Adams street.....	Needle maker.

*Schedule of property held in charge by Engine Company No. 19,
January 1st, 1875.*

1 engine, 1 four wheel hose carriage, 1 truck with 123 feet of ladders, 1,650 feet gum hose, 1,000 feet linen hose, 4 horses, 5 hooks, 2 picks, 6 axes, 7 lanterns, 1 crow bar, 12 hose picks, 3 hose pipes, 50 feet garden hose, 3 plug males, 4 one gallon oil cans, 2 squirt cans, 4 brass nozzles, 2 branch pipes, 3 monkey wrenches, 1 vise, 1 saw, 1 hatchet, 2 fire buckets, 2 plug spanners, 2 horse buckets, 1 beam and weights, 1 half peck measure, 1 jack, 1 coal bucket, 1 stove and 20 feet of pipe, 1 stove shovel, 1 heating apparatus, 2 sets double harness, 2 sets single harness, 7 horse blankets, 1 hay cutter, 2 forks, 2 shovels, 12 bedsteads, 20 pair blankets, 12 coverlids, 48 sheets, 24 pillow cases, 6 hand towels, 1 towel rack, 1 bureau, 1 table, 1 looking glass, 1 carpet, 1 rug, 1 dozen chairs, 1 long handle brush, 1 clock, 3 chamois, 6 spittoons, 3 brooms, 1 bar castile soap, 24 bed mattresses, 2 horse boots, 4 boxes matches, 1 writing desk, 1 water cooler, 2 police ropes, 12 house keys, 12 box keys, 12 cap badges, 2 blank books, 2 pounds brown soap, 1 log book, 1 bottle ink, 2 gongs, $\frac{1}{2}$ cord wood, 2 carriage ropes, 2 summer gates, 540 feet rope, 1 water sprinkler, 2 mane brushes, 2 mane combs, 8 bushels oats, 1 bale hay, 2 curry combs, 1 horse brush, 2 extra collars, 2 extra steamer wheels.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN WHITEMAN,

Foreman at Station No. 19.

ENGINE COMPANY No. 20.

Located at southwest corner Tenth and Filbert streets. Steamer first-class, double engine, built by Amoskeag Company, with two 5 inch reciprocating pumps, 12 inch stroke; weight of apparatus as drawn to fires, 9,500 pounds, Mayer's patent relief valve attached. No. 20 Hose cart, built by Gardner & Fleming, weighing with 750 feet gum hose, 3,125 pounds. Have 1,500 feet gum hose (Jones' couplings) at this station.

Name.	No.	Position.	Age.	Residence.	Occupation.
John W. Ege .....	.....	Foreman.....	29...	1019 Filbert street.....	Clerk.
Albert C. Baker.....	210 ..	Engineer	40...	1501 Filmore avenue	Engineer.
John McConnell.....	212...	Driver	27...	927 Filbert street, rear....	Dealer.
Wash. Fulmer.....	211..	Fireman.....	34...	1341 S. Eighth street.....	Butcher.
Wm. B. Brewster.....	215 ..	Hoseman.....	34 ..	837 Geary street.....	Carpenter.
Lewis C. Lindsay.....	213...	Hoseman.....	27 ..	229 N. Tenth street.....	Plumber.
Wm. H. Tomlin.....	217...	Hoseman.....	25...	1500 Filmore avenue.....	Upholsterer.
Edward Bradley	214...	Hoseman.....	28 ..	7 Charles avenue	Brush maker.
Michael Doyle	218...	Hoseman.....	28 ..	2046 Jones street	Marb'le polshr.
Louis Reimel	216...	Hoseman.....	25...	6 Mayland street.	Driver.
James Brown	219...	Hoseman.....	30...	715 S. Eleventh street	Butcher.
W. Scott Penrose.....	220...	Hoseman.....	31...	149 N. Juniper street.....	Laborer.

Schedule of property held in charge by Engine Company No. 20, January 1st, 1875.

1 engine, 1 hose cart, 3 horses, 1,500 feet gum hose, 2 sets double harness 2 sets single harness, 3 hose pipes, 4 nozzles, 2 plug males, 4 Jones' rings 16 feet suction, 1 strainer, 3 plug wrenches, 2 axes, 2 sets torches, 3 leather buckets, 2 ladder straps, 1 hose strap, 2 drag ropes, 7 brass lanterns, 1 pair hose jumpers damaged, 2 shovels, 2 blocks and rope, 1,600 feet of rope in hose gallery. 50 feet garden hose, 2 hay forks, 3 buckets, 1 hay cutter, 2 cotton hooks, 2 mane combs, 2 curry combs, 2 horse brushes, 3 oil cans, set stable fixtures, 1 dust brush, 3 corn brooms, 1 stable broom, 6 horse blankets, 1 set trace chains, 3 hame straps, 1 beam and weights, 3 monkey wrenches, 10 wrenches, 3 chisels, 2 screw jacks, 1 vise and bench, 3 levers, 3 files, 1 saw, 1 hatchet, 1 basket, 1 hammer, 1 gong, 1 chisel bar, 1 fly wheel lever, 15 chairs, 12 bedsteads, 12 counterpanes, 24 mattresses, 12 pillows. 24 pillow cases, 32 sheets, 24 blankets, 6 towels, 1 bureau, 1 towel rack, 1 looking glass, 2 tables, 1 writing desk. 5 spittoons 1 clock, 2 water coolers, 2 stoves and pipe, 1 heating apparatus, 3 hame straps, 5 yards carpet, 1 tin cup, 1 engine shovel, 1 pair tongs, 1 slice bar, 1 horse boot, 1 eight gallon oil can, 1 window brush, 1 whitewash brush, 2 match safes, 1 summer gate, 1 screw for drawing off fly wheel, 3 pair pipe tongs, 1 hand tongue for engine, 1 set books and writing materials, 1 tin boiler, 3 coal hods.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN W. EGE,

Foreman at Station No. 20.

ENGINE COMPANY No 21.

Located at No. 714 New Market street. Steamer first-class, double engine, built by Amoskeag Company, with two reciprocating pumps $4\frac{1}{2}$ inches in diameter, 12 inch stroke, with Mayer's patent relief valve attached; weight as drawn to fires, 9,100 pounds. No. 21 hose cart, built by Gardner & Fleming, weighing, with 800 feet of gum hose, 2,850 pounds. Have 1,500 feet gum hose (Jones' couplings) at this station.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Position.</i>	<i>Age.</i>	<i>Residence.</i>	<i>Occupation.</i>
Wm. H. Souder	221	Foreman.....	60	2011 Brown street	Bricklayer.
Oct. M. Knight	221	Engineer.....	35	517 New Market street...	Machinist.
Henry Laird	231	Driver	28	822 Rachel street.....	Driver.
Patrick Carr	229	Fireman.....	32	135 Vanhorn street.....	Tanner.
Henry Hollwarth.....	227	Hoseman.....	29	553 New Market street ..	Driver.
Geo. M. Nickert.....	230	Hoseman.....	28	225 Coates street.....	Baker.
Geo. Geissel.....	223	Hoseman.....	31	730 N. Second street	Coach maker.
John T. Hedney.....	225	Hoseman.....	26	6 Brunswick place.....	Morocco dresser.
Geo. A. Mendie.....	226	Hoseman.....	39	Cor. New Market & Brown	Cigar maker.
Wm. Colsher.....	224	Hoseman.....	40	712 N Second street.....	Morocco dresser.
G. S. White.....	228	Hoseman.....	28	910 New Market street ..	Ornamentier.
Geo. Cost.....	222	Hoseman.....	25	1005 New Market street....	Morocco dresser.

*Schedule of property held in charge by Engine Company No. 21,
January 1st, 1875.*

1 engine, 1 hose cart, 1,500 feet gum hose. 3 horses, 3 lengths suction, 1 strainer, 5 lanterns, 4 oil cans, 1 squirt can, 2 monkey wrenches, 2 files, 2 jack screws, 3 Jones' rings, 1 vise, broken, 2 gongs, 1 heating apparatus, 1 double tree for steamer, 2 summer gates, 2 axes, 1 hatchet, 1 hammer, 1 hand saw, 2 hose pipes, 3 plug males, 1 hose rope, 2 police ropes, 1 hose strap, 1 ladder strap, 1 pair hose jumpers, 50 feet garden hose, 1 block and fall, 1,300 feet of rope for hose tower, 18 blocks, 17 rollers and hangers, 1 water cooler, 1 water pot, 2 sets double harness, 2 sets single harness, 6 horse blankets. 3 summer sheets, 3 halter straps, 2 curry combs, 1 horse brush, 1 feed box, 3 buckets, 1 hay cutter, 3 forks, 2 shovels, 1 sieve, 2 horse boots, 3 corn brooms, 1 stove, 1 block and rope, 2 pokers, 1 coal shovel, 2 coal hods, 3 nozzles, 1 stop cock, 13 iron bedsteads, 26 mattresses, 13 pillows, 13 counterpanes, 13 white blankets, 24 double blankets, 12 single blankets, 36 pillow cases, 47 sheets, 30 old sheets, 13 Windsor chairs, 13 spittoons, 80 yards carpet, 3 bureaus, 1 table, 2 looking glasses, 1 clock, 12 arm chairs, 2 mats, 1 dust pan and brush, 1 beam and weights, 2 window shades, 1 hand scrub, 10 towels, 4 blank books, 12 alarm box keys, 12 house keys.

Respectfully submitted,
WILLIAM H. SOUDER,
Foreman at Station No. 21.

ENGINE COMPANY No. 22.

Located in Evelina street below Third. Steamer first-class, built by Reaney & Neafie, of Philadelphia, with pump 7 inches in diameter, 14 inch stroke, 11½ inch cylinder, with Mayer's patent relief valve attached; weight of apparatus as drawn to fires, 9,724 pounds. No. 23 Hose cart, built by Gardner & Fleming, of Philadelphia, weighing with 800 feet of gum hose, 2,800 pounds. Have 1,500 feet of new gum hose and 200 feet of old gum hose (Jones' couplings) at this station.

Name.	No.	Position.	Age.	Residence.	Occupation.
Michael Keevan.....	233	Foreman.....	44...	333 Gaskill street.....	Driver.
George R. Orr.....	232	Engineer.....	39...	7 Fairbank place.....	Engineer.
Miles McGehean.....	233...	Fireman.....	31...	302 Cypress street.....	Driver.
Thos. H. Powers.....	234	Driver.....	32 ..	2 Armstrong place.....	Driver.
Michael Conner.....	235	Hoseman.....	26 ..	309 Union street	Driver.
Andrew Casey	236...	Hoseman.....	37 ..	1217 S. Sixth street.....	Stone cutter.
John McCourt.....	237...	Hoseman.....	23 ..	1 Fairbank place.....	Driver.
Alfred C. Gohr.....	233...	Hoseman.....	32 ..	237 Union street.....	Watch maker.
William Stumpf.....	239...	Hoseman.....	30...	318 German street, rear...	Shoemaker.
Robt. J. Ormsby.....	240...	Hoseman	26 ..	616 S. Sixth street	Printer.
Patrick E. King.....	241...	Hoseman.....	34...	23 N. Second street.....	Driver.
John T. Watson.....	242	Hoseman.....	33...	1222 Race street.....	Millwright.

Schedule of property held in charge by Engine Company No. 22, January 1st, 1875.

1 engine, 1 hose cart, 3 horses, 1,700 feet gum hose, 2 four inch suction, 1 three inch suction, 75 feet new garden hose, 50 feet old garden hose, 1 patent hose rack and heater, 1 heating apparatus for engine, 1 old heating apparatus, 2 sets engine wheels, 1 set lead bars, 2 screw jacks, 1 set extra springs, 3 leather pipes and nozzles, 1 patent stop nozzle, 3 hose straps, 4 axes, 4 lanterns, 2 leather fire buckets, 3 pokers, 1 fire shovel, 4 large shovels, 1 wheelbarrow, 2 clocks, 1 block and tackle, 2 sets double harness, 2 sets single harness, 1 extra halter, 1 extra bridle, 3 brushes, 3 curry combs, 1 mane comb, 1 mane brush, 1 chamois, 2 sets trace chains, 4 horse buckets, 3 new kersey blankets, 3 gray blankets, 3 summer sheets, 2 hay forks, 1 hay cutter, 1 half peck measure, 1 beam and weights, 2 police ropes, 1 sixty foot rope, 1 small block and tackle, 1 carpet, 12 iron bedsteads, 24 mattresses, 24 pillows, 24 pillow cases, 12 bed spreads, 35 blankets, 44 sheets, 24 cane seat chairs, 12 Windsor chairs, 12 arm chairs, 1 bureau, 1 table, 7 spittoons, 1 looking glass, 1 water cooler, 1 towel rack, 4 towels, 4 corn brooms, 2 dust brushes, 1 dust pan, 1 vise and bench, 1 thumb vise, 2 hammers, 1 sledge, 24 wrenches, 1 spanner, 3 cold chisels, 2 monkey wrenches, 1 pair pincers, 1 screw driver, 2 saws, 1 hatchet, 1 ton stove coal, ½ ton engine coal, ½ cord kindling wood, 1 book case, 1 roll book, 1 log book, 2 hose jumpers, 1 sieve, 12 house keys, 12 alarm box keys, 11 cap badges, 1 summer gate, 2 whitewash brushes, 2 coal hods, 3 pounds cotton waste, ½ gallon engine oil, 1 crowbar, 1 set Jones' couplings off engine, 1 coupling for hose pipe, 1 pair fire tongs, 2 pair gas tongs, 1 brass pipe, 1 ten gallon can, 1 three gallon can, 4 one gallon cans, 1 plug wrench, 2 plug males, 1 match box, 5 window shades.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL KEEVAN,

Foreman at Station No. 22.

ENGINE COMPANY No. 23.

Located at No. 1936 Germantown avenue. Steamer third-class, built by J. L. Chapman, with pump 4 inches in diameter, 12 inch stroke; weight of apparatus as drawn to fires, 6,500 pounds. Hose cart No. 23, built by Garduer & Fleming, weighing with 750 feet of gum hose, 3,260 pounds. Hlave 1,800 feet gum hose (Jones' couplings) at this station.

Name.	No.	Position.	Age.	Residence.	Occupation.
John T. Garman.....	302	Foreman.....	34	1934 N. Fifth street.....	Dealer.
Frank V. Fulmer.....	303	Engineer.....	39	1932 N. Fifth street.....	Engineer.
John P. Morris.....	304	Fireman.....	44	2425 Germantown avenue..	Driver.
Amos W. Closson.....	305	Driver.....	35	1327 Marshall street.....	Hatter.
Thos. Murphy.....	306	Hoseman.....	24	1511 N. Front street.....	Weaver.
Abrm. Yeakel.....	307	Hoseman.....	34	2232 Apple street.....	Brick maker.
Peter Kucker.....	308	Hoseman.....	34	2235 N. Fifth street.....	Driver.
Jos. Parker.....	309	Hoseman.....	27	1950 Germantown avenue..	Laborer.
John P. Stow.....	310	Hoseman.....	33	814 Otis street.....	Driver.
Geo. P. Williamson.....	311	Hoseman.....	29	173 Master street.....	Warper.
Wm. Jackaway.....	312	Hoseman.....	34	2220 N. Sixth street.....	Plasterer.
Geo. Wentzell.....	313	Hoseman.....	35	2239 Orianna street.....	Moulder.

*Schedule of property held in charge by Engine Company No. 23,
January 1st, 1875.*

1 engine, 1 hose cart, 1800 feet gum hose, 3 horses, 1 set double harness, 1 set single harness, 12 bedsteads, 24 mattresses, 48 sheets, 24 double blankets, 24 pillow cases, 12 counterpanes, 1 bureau and glass, 24 arm chairs, 1 table, 1 ladder strap, 4 oil cans, 1 quart coal oil, 1 quart engine oil, 4 files, 10 sheets emery, 2 pounds rotten stone, $\frac{1}{2}$ pound crocus, 2 pounds soda, 5 pounds cotton waste, 1 hand saw, 2 hatchets, 5 towels, 1 towel rack, 2 boxes matches, 3 dust brushes, 1 sweep brush, 1 scrub brush, 2 whitewash brushes, 1 long handle scrub, 2 horse brushes, 2 mane brushes, 2 curry combs, 2 mane combs, 1 window brush, 4 horse buckets, 1 fire bucket, 3 corn brooms, 1 pound castile soap, 2 whip sockets, 3 sponges, 1 chamois, 1 screw jack, 1 vise, 4 brass lanterns, 3 axes, 2 police ropes, 12 coat straps, 1 half peck measure, 2 sieves, 1 box wheel grease, 2 double wrenches, 1 spring oiler, 1 squirt can, 2 horse boots, 3 balls lampwick, 2 tin basins, 2 tin cups, 3 surcingles, 2 match safes, 3 stopleaks, 1 hose rope, 1 pair pincers, 3 plug wrenches, 10 horse picks, 3 halters, 3 blank books, 5 nozzles, 2 hose pipes, $\frac{1}{4}$ cord kindling wood, 8 horse blankets, 1 feed box, 5 summer covers, 1 hay cutter, 3 hitching straps, 2 hay forks, 3 bushels oats, 1 double bit, 6 bushels middlings, 1 bale hay, 4 collar pads, 2 plug rings, 10 suaps, 1 heating apparatus, 2 stoves and pipe, 1 tin kettle, 3 coal hods, $\frac{1}{2}$ ton stove coal, $\frac{1}{2}$ ton engine coal, 4 pieces zinc, 13 house keys, 12 alarm keys, 11 badges, 50 feet garden hose, 2 hammers, 5 spittoons, 1 eight foot suction, 1 six foot suction, 1,600 feet rope, 1 hand tongue, 5 window shades, 1 extra pair trace chains, 3 leg fenders, 1 beam and weights, 1 dust pan, 2 step ladders, 1 summer gate, 1 pair hose jumpers, 88 yards carpet, 6 feet steam hose, 5 pounds pumice stone, 1 log book, 2 door mats, 1 pound tallow, 1 ice cooler, 1 tube brush, 1 alarm card framed, 1 rules of department framed, 1 gong, 6 feet small hose, 1 wheelbarrow, 6 tackle blocks, 1 clock, 3 hitching chains, 1 basket, 1 writing desk, 1 extra set engine wheels, 4 lantern globes.

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN T. GARMAN,
Foreman at Station No. 23.

ENGINE COMPANY No. 24.

Located at the northeast corner of Twenty-first and Ellsworth streets. Steamer, second-class, built by Neafie & Levy, of Philadelphia, with pump 4½ inches in diameter, 16 inch stroke; weight of apparatus as drawn to fires, 7,950 pounds. No. 25 Hose cart, built by Gardner & Fleming, weighing with 700 feet of gum hose, 3,250 pounds. Have 1,300 feet of gum hose (Jones' couplings) at this station.

Name.	No.	Position.	Age.	Residence.	Occupation.
George A. Napier.....	314	Foreman	37	1937 Kater street.....	Brass moulder.
Andrew Auld.....	314	Engineer	31	1915 Latona street.....	Brickmaker.
Wm Smith.....	315	Fireman	26	1738 Manton street.....	Laborer.
George W. Young.....	316	Driver	42	2012 Annin street.....	Driver.
Edward W. Paul.....	322	Hoseman	40	1719 Manton street.....	Hatter.
Peter Alexander.....	323	Hoseman	31	306 Kaufman street.....	Painter.
Matthias Clifton.....	324	Hoseman	32	1121 S. Twenty-third st....	Carpenter.
Charles H. Preole.....	321	Hoseman	29	1214 Peters street.....	Boat builder.
Frank A. Wilson.....	319	Hoseman	37	1915 Latona street.....	Stone cutter.
Geo. Doughty.....	320	Hoseman	34	2130 Annin street.....	Laborer.
James Patterson.....	317	Hoseman	27	1119 S. Twentieth street....	Brickmaker.
Alexander Craig.....	318	Hoseman	24	1221 S. Twentieth street....	Printer.

Schedule of property held in charge by Engine Company No. 24, January 1st, 1875.

1 engine, 1 hose cart, 3 horses, 1,300 feet gum hose, 25 feet snetion, 1 hand tongue, 1 set double harness, 1 set cart harness, 75 feet garden hose, 2 leather fire buckets, 3 hose pipes, 2 ladder straps, 3 axes, 4 lanterns, 1 screw jack, 6 reducers and rings, 3 large shovels, 1 small fire shovel, 1 poker, 2 stoves, 12 iron bedsteads, 24 mattresses, 48 sheets, 12 blankets, 12 counterpanes, 10 chairs, 30 pillow slips, 1 bureau and glass, 1 table, 1 clock, 1 desk, 1 door mat. 29 yards carpet, 5 spittoons, 1 towel rack, 2 dust brushes, 5 brooms, 1 stable broom, 42 joints stove pipe, 8 elbows, 7 hame straps, 5 towels, 2 horse brushes, 1 mane brush, 2 curry combs, 2 mane combs, 2 iron forks, 1 wooden fork 2 whip sockets, 1 hay cutter, 1 half peck measure, 8 trace chains, 14 cleats, 1,200 feet rope, 14 pulleys, 1 vise, 1 hammer, 1 hatchet, 2 monkey wrenches, 2 half spanners, 2 plug wrenches, 6 files, 1 pair pincers, 1 saw, 5 one gallon cans, 1 squirt can, 1 oiler, 2 tons coal, 3 tons engine coal, 1 heating apparatus, 1 coal hod, 2 surcingles, 8 snaps, 1 extra collar, 1 set hose jumpers, 1 feed chest, 2 window shades, 1 log book, 3 blank books, 3 nozzles, 6 hose picks, 7 pieces zinc, 12 house keys, 12 alarm keys, 11 badges, 5 straps, 2 baskets, 1 box wheel grease, 2 horse boots, 15 bushels oats, 5 bushels soft feed, 3 bales hay, 1 bale straw, 1 whitewash brush, 4 balls lampwick, 2 horse muzzles, 1 box of whitening, 2 stopleaks, 8 boxes matches, 6 horse blankets, 3 buckets, 1 sieve, 1 summer gate, 2 sponges, 3 extra bridles, 2 hose ropes, 3 halters, 1 beam and weights, 2 collar pads, 1 water cooler, 1 gong, 3 Jones' rings, 1 set rules, 1 alarm card frame, 1 inkstand, 1 police rope, 2 extra trace chains, 5 spittoons, 2 extension smoke stacks, ½ cord pine knots, 6 pounds brown soap.

Respectfully submitted,
GEORGE A. NAPIER,
Foreman at Station No. 24.

ENGINE COMPANY No. 25.

Located at No. 2424 Kensington avenue. Steamer second-class, built by Reaney & Neafie, of Philadelphia, pump $4\frac{3}{4}$ inches in diameter, 12 inch stroke, $8\frac{1}{2}$ inch cylinder; weight of engine ready for service, 7,105 pounds. No. 25 Hose cart, built by Gardner & Fleming, weighing with 700 feet gum hose, 3,125 pounds. Have 1450 of gum hose (Jones' couplings) at this station.

Name.	No.	Position.	Age.	Residence.	Occupation.
John Humphreys	325	Foreman	30	203 Letterley street.....	Rivet-r.
Richard Warren.....	325	Engineer	43	2315 Howard street.....	Machinist.
Henry Deal.....	326	Driver	33	2 Colville street.....	Butcher.
Edward McCarty.....	330	Fireman.....	30	4227 Orchard street.....	Driver.
John Stewart.....	327	Hoseman.....	32	1 Colville street.....	Cabinet maker.
Wm. Graham.....	334	Hoseman.....	27	2117 Coral street.....	Weaver.
James Patterson.....	328	Hoseman.....	32	2040 Hope street.....	Carder.
Michael Lay.....	333	Hoseman.....	24	2352 N. Ninth street.....	Carpenter.
David Farran.....	332	Hoseman.....	33	613 Gordon street.....	Moulder.
John Cook.....	329	Hoseman.....	27	1643 N. Second street.....	Weaver.
Chas. Wolf.....	331	Hoseman.....	35	2508 Lee street.....	Sail maker.
Robt. Burns.....	335	Hoseman.....	39	311 Taylor street.....	Weaver.

*Schedule of property held in charge by Engine Company No. 25,
January 1st, 1875.*

1 engine, 1 hose cart, 3 horses, 1450 feet gum hose, 24 feet suction, 70 feet garden hose, 1 heating apparatus, 1 suction screen, 1 plug reducer, 4 lanterns, 3 shovels, 1 screw jack, 1 slice bar, 2 monkey wrenches, 1 vise and bench, 4 files, 2 chisels, 1 hammer, 1 pair pincers, 2 oil cans, 2 packing wrenches, 3 engine wrenches, 1 five gallon oil can, 3 one gallon oil cans, 2 half gallon oil cans, 8 pounds cotton waste, 1 gallon coal oil, 1 gallon engine oil, 2 plug spanners, 3 plug males, 3 nozzles, 1 one-eighth, seven-eighth and one inch, 2 hose pipes, 1 drag rope, 2 fire buckets, 2 suction fenders, 2 hose straps, 2 ladder straps, 1 block and fall, 12 hose rollers, 12 picks, 1 set double harness, 2 sets cart harness, 3 halters and straps, 1 extra bit, 6 horse blankets, 2 whip sockets, 3 horse boots, 3 extra sheep skin pads, 1 extra set trace chains, 2 curry combs, 2 mane combs, 2 mane brushes, 2 horse brushes, 3 horse buckets, 2 stable forks, 1 hay cutter, 1 feed bin, 2 stable brooms, 1 feed measure, 1 sieve, 2 sponges, 3 bales hay, 2 bales straw, 20 bushels oats, 4 bushels middlings, 1 saw, 4 bushels corn meal, 4 bushels bran, 2 sacks salt, 6 sheets emery paper, 3 lumps rock salt, 1 pair hand holds, 6 hame straps, 1 pair hose jumpers, 2 alarm gongs, 1 water cooler, 12 bedsteads, 24 mattresses, 48 sheets, 12 counterpanes, 12 pillows, 24 pillow cases, 12 double blankets, 1 bureau and glass, 1 walnut desk, 10 arm chairs, 1 table, 1 towel rack, 6 towels, 12 spittoons, 14 closets, 1 ingrain carpet, 3 door mats, 1 summer gate, 2 stoves and pipe, 2 hand scrubs, 2 pieces zinc, 2 coal hods, 2 small shovels, 2 poker, 1 hatchet, 2 corn brooms, 1 dust pan and brush, 3 tons stove coal, $\frac{1}{2}$ ton engine coal, $\frac{1}{2}$ cord kindling wood, $\frac{1}{2}$ cord pine knots, 1 box wheel grease, 3 pounds soda, 6 boxes matches, 1 wheelbarrow, 1 alarm card and frame, 1 set rules and regulations and frame, 2 police ropes, 12 coat racks, 12 house keys, 12 alarm box keys, 14 closet keys, 11 cap badges, 1 ink-stand, 1 log book, $\frac{1}{2}$ box erocus, 2 stable racks, 1 closet in stable, 1 mixing box for feed.

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN HUMPHREYS,
Foreman at Station No. 25.

ENGINE COMPANY No. 26.

Located at Nos. 1011 and 1013 Hamilton street. Steamer first-class, built by Hunsworth, Eakins & Co., of Philadelphia, with pump $5\frac{1}{2}$ inches in diameter, 14 inch stroke; Mayer's patent relief valve attached; weight of apparatus as drawn to fires, 8,936 pounds. No. 26 Hose cart, built by Gardner & Fleming, weighing with 800 feet of gum hose, 3,160 pounds. Have 1,550 feet gum hose (Jones' couplings) at this station.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Position.</i>	<i>Age.</i>	<i>Residence.</i>	<i>Occupation.</i>
Martin L. Jennens.....	337	Foreman.....	32	107 Congress street.....	Watch maker.
Joseph A. Pidgeon.....	336	Engineer.....	41	812 Grover street.....	Engineer.
Thomas Allen.....	337	Fireman.....	30	1018 Buttonwood street.....	Painter.
James Miller.....	338	Driver.....	30	500 Darien street.....	Driver.
Edward Gampher.....	339	Hoseman.....	24	539 Queen street.....	Turner.
William J. Delaney.....	340	Hoseman.....	23	551 Chatham street.....	Butcher.
Michael C. Dolan.....	341	Hoseman.....	26	5 Fetter lane.....	Carpenter.
Tully Moore.....	342	Hoseman.....	32	704 S. Fourth street.....	Bartender.
John J. Magee.....	343	Hoseman.....	26	1507 Hancock street.....	Dyer.
Geo. M. Haedrick.....	344	Hoseman.....	28	822 Knox street.....	Plumber.
George W. Young.....	345	Hoseman.....	33	551 Chatham street.....	Lithographer.
Stephen J. Corr.....	346	Hoseman.....	25	224 Thompson street.....	Weaver.

Schedule of property held in charge by Engine Company No. 26, January 1st, 1875.

1 engine, 1 hose cart, 1550 feet gum hose, 4 horses, 1 three inch suction, 2 lengths five inch suction, 1 suction strainer, 5 gland wrenches, 1 heating apparatus, 2 duplex wrenches, 1 small monkey wrench, 1 squirt can, 1 large feeder, 1 hammer, 1 box wheel grease, 1 slice bar and rake, 1 lot of sheet gum, 20 feet gum thaw hose, 2 screw jacks, 4 files, 1 vise, 1 plug wrench, 1 wheel wrench, 2 plug males, 2 leather hose pipes, 3 nozzles, 4 suction protectors, 1 hose rope, 2 police ropes, 1 pair ear jumpers, 2 leather buckets, 3 horse buckets, 1 pair pincers, 4 hand lamps, 1 set double harness, 1 set single harness, 1 extra horse collar, 2 extra pair of lines, 2 extra horse bits, 4 halters, 5 horse blankets, 1 feed measure, 2 curry combs, 2 horse brushes, 1 mane comb, 1 mane brush, 3 metallic collar pads, 1 whip socket, 1 hay cutter, 1 hay fork, 1 stable fork, 4 hitching straps, 3 pieces sponge, 2 oil cans, 1 gallon lubricating oil, 1 horse boot, 1 saw, 1 hatchet, 1 small dust brush, 1 long handle brush, 3 brooms, 1 stable gong and pull, 1 tower gong and pull, 1 alarm box, 2 stoves, 1 lot stove pipe, 2 coal scuttles, 2 shovels, 1 table, 12 arm chairs, 1 ingrain carpet, 1 desk, 1 lining for carpet, 12 iron bedsteads, 24 mattresses, 12 pillows, 12 colored bed spreads, 12 double blankets, 36 sheets, 24 pillow cases, 1 bureau, 9 shades, 1 door mat, 3 towels, 1 towel rack, 1 water cooler, 5 spittoons, 2 axes, 1 log book, 2 blank books, 12 house keys, 12 signal box keys, 11 cap badges, 6 hose picks, 1 clock, 40 feet garden hose, 2 hose straps, 2 baskets, 4 bales hay, 2 bales straw, 32 bushels oats, 5 bushels middlings, 5 bushels cracked corn, salt, 1 bag $\frac{1}{2}$ ton cannel coal, 3 tons stove coal, $\frac{1}{2}$ cord kindling wood, 12 blocks, 3 iron bars, 1,200 feet of rope for hose tower.

Respectfully submitted,
MARTIN L. JENNENS,
Foreman at Station No. 26.

ENGINE COMPANY No. 27.

Located at No. 1913 Oxford street. Steamer second-class, built by Amoskeag Company, with one $4\frac{1}{2}$ inch reciprocating pump, 12 inch stroke; weight of apparatus as drawn to fires, 7,500 pounds. No. 27 Hose cart, built by Gardner & Fleming, weighing with 700 feet of gum hose 2,800 pounds. Have 1,000 feet gum hose (Jones' couplings) at this station.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Position.</i>	<i>Age.</i>	<i>Residence.</i>	<i>Occupation.</i>
Joseph C. Doyle.....	...	Foreman	29...	1716 Norwood street.....	Mason.
John Burns	347...	Engineer	31...	1803 Eighteenth street.....	Engineer.
William Stagart.....	348...	Fireman	34...	1530 Opal street.....	Brick maker.
Jos. Dougherty.....	349...	Driver	34...	1530 Garnet street.....	Driver.
David Brooks.....	352...	Hoseman.....	27...	2029 Parrish street.....	Butcher.
Andw. Mannal.....	353...	Hoseman.....	27...	2019 Orianna street.....	Painter.
Robt. K. Abel.....	357...	Hoseman.....	33...	956 Alder street.....	Butcher.
Chas. W. Wilkins.....	354...	Hoseman.....	25...	1731 Olive street.....	Driver.
William Warren.....	350...	Hoseman.....	30...	2018 Ridge avenue.....	Laborer.
John W. Roat.....	355...	Hoseman.....	25...	1530 Garnet street.....	Driver.
James Barford.....	356...	Hoseman.....	38...	1700 Norwood street.....	Moulder.
Timothy Whiteman.....	351...	Hoseman.....	31...	2116 Nicholas street.....	Laborer.

*Schedule of property held in charge by Engine Company No. 27,
January 1st, 1875.*

1 engine, 1 hose cart, 3 horses, 1,000 feet gum hose, 17 feet $4\frac{1}{2}$ inch suction, 7 feet 3 inch suction, 75 feet garden hose, 1 set double harness, 1 set single harness, 6 horse blankets, 3 horse sheets, 3 leather halters, 2 horse boots, 2 horse collars extra, 3 surcingles, 2 curry combs, 2 horse brushes, 1 half peck measure, 1 sieve, 1 feed chest, 1 hay cutter, 2 chamois, 1 vise, 1 hammer, 2 files, 2 monkey wrenches, 1 pair pincers, 4 one gallon oil cans, $\frac{1}{2}$ gallon engine oil, 3 spring oilers, 1 screw jack, 6 sheets emery cloth, 3 pounds waste, 1 pound rotten stone, 2 pounds crocus, 6 lanterns, 2 leather buckets, 2 horse buckets, 3 hose pipes, 3 nozzles, 3 plug males, 1 pair hose jumpers, 3 hose straps, 2 coils rope, 13 blocks, 13 cleats, 1 stove and pipe, 1 coal hod, 1 hatchet, 1 axe, 2 shovels, 1 fuel basket, 1 large poker, 1 slice bar, 1 beam and weights, 1 water cooler, 1 tin cup, $\frac{1}{4}$ ton stove coal, $\frac{3}{4}$ ton engine coal, $\frac{1}{4}$ cord kindling wood, 1 writing desk, 3 blank books, 1 log book, 12 closets, 1 carpet, 12 bedsteads, 24 mattresses, 12 pillows, 23 blankets, 46 sheets, 24 pillow cases, 12 counterpanes, 1 clock, 1 bureau and glass, 2 arm chairs, 1 table, 4 spittoons, 1 towel rack, 6 towels, 5 window shades, 1 pound castile soap, 12 cap badges, 12 house keys, 12 alarm box keys.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH C. DOYLE,

Foreman at Station No. 27.

HOOK AND LADDER COMPANY A.

Located at No. 2122 Fairmount avenue. Truck built by Gardner & Fleming; weight of apparatus as drawn to fires 7,500 pounds, carrying 7 ladders, 45, 40, 35, 30, 25, 20 and 12 feet lengths, 5 hooks, 4 axes, 2 picks, 2 buckets, 4 lanterns, 1 crowbar, 3 hay forks, 2 cotton hooks, and 3 ropes. Have a hose carriage and 500 feet gum hose (Jones' couplings) at this station.

Name.	No.	Position.	Age.	Residence.	Occupation.
Thomas Nicholson.....	243	Foreman.....	37	2130 Fairmount avenue....	Carpenter.
Edward Gilligan.....	243	Driver.....	28	2028 Callowhill street	Driver.
Charles Vansciver.....	244	Tillerman	29	2130 Fairmount avenue....	Laborer.
Wm. J. Theilacker.....	245	Ladderman ..	24	2310 Brown street..	Driver.
Con Sheridan.....	246	Ladderman ..	23	1312 Atmore street.....	Bricklayer.
Wm. H. Wallace.....	247	Ladderman ..	38	2114 Fairmount avenue....	Bookbinder.
John Meghan.....	248	Ladderman ..	31	1527 Wood street.....	Shoemaker.
James Starr.....	249	Ladderman ..	25	2442 Hare street.....	Laborer.
Philip Simpler.....	250	Ladderman ..	31	2308 Wood street.....	Laborer.
James Harvey.....	251	Ladderman ..	26	1308 Race street.....	Driver.
Geo. T. Snyder.....	252	Ladderman ..	28	809 Spring Garden street.	Cooper.
James Carlin.....	253	Ladderman ..	31	2406 Brandywine street....	Laborer.
Wm. McCready.....	254	Ladderman ..	29	2120 Market street.....	Painter.

Schedule of property held in charge by Hook and Ladder Company A, January 1st, 1875.

1 truck, 1 hose carriage, 500 feet gum hose, 3 horses, 2 sets double harness, 3 horse collars, 1 manure fork, 1 feed chest, 4 corn brooms, 3 door mats, 1 window brush, 3 tons stove coal, 118 yards carpet, 13 iron bedsteads, 26 mattresses, 13 double blankets, 13 single blankets, 50 sheets, 6 horse blankets, 5 bridles, 3 soft pads, 3 hitching straps, 2 metallic pads, 2 summer sheets, 2 surcingles, 2 curry combs, 3 horse brushes, 1 bottle horse liniment, 10 snaps, 1 sieve, 3 horse boots, 4 horse buckets, 1 feed box, 2 hay forks, 2 horse fenders, 12 trace chains, 1 hay cutter, 25 bushels oats, 4 bushels bran, 600 pounds hay, 100 pounds straw, 2 bushels corn on ear, 1 beam and weights, 1 block and fall, 1 crowbar, 5 lamps, 3 forks, 2 cotton hooks, 2 cushions, 2 leather buckets, 1 whip, 5 one gallon coal oil cans, 1 squirt can, ½ gallon lard oil, 1 portable heater, 2 shovels, 1 clock, 2 hat racks, 2 card frames, 1 hose pipe, 1 nozzle, 3 horse straps, 1 plug maul, 250 feet rope, 1 looking glass, 1 tin cup, 1 dust pan, 1 dust brush, 1 towel rack, 7 towels, 2 scrub brushes, 100 feet garden hose, 1 set leading bars, 1 water cooler, 1 five gallon tin kettle, 1 bureau, 1 summer door, 2 window shades, 1 whip socket, 1 roll book, 1 log book, 1 mane comb, 2 halters, 1 hatchet, 26 pillow cases, 13 counterpanes, 13 pillows, 22 chairs, 12 closets, 1 stove, 4 joints stove pipe, 2 elbows, 5 pounds zinc, 1 coal hod, 1 coal shovel, 1 poker, 18 spittoons, 1 screw jack, 3 chamois, 1 pound cotton waste, 2 monkey wrenches, 10 sheets emery paper, 1 plug wrench, 13 house keys, 13 alarm box keys, 12 cap badges, 12 closet keys, 7 ladders, 1 battering ram, 5 axes, 2 picks, 1 saw, 2 gongs, 1 half peck measure, 1 table, 1 wheel wrench, 1 desk, 1 inkstand, 4 hook poles, 2 raising poles, 1 extra set wheels, 3 pounds castile soap, 3 axe handles.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS NICHOLSON,

Foreman at Station A.

HOOK AND LADDER COMPANY B.

Located at No. 331 North Fourth street. Truck built by Gardner & Fleming; weight of apparatus as drawn to fires, 7,500 pounds, carrying 7 ladders, 45, 40, 35, 28, 22, 16, and 12 feet lengths, 5 lanterns. 1 crowbar, 6 axes, 2 picks, 2 pitchforks, 1 battering ram, 4 hooks, 2 raising poles, 2 buckets. Have a hose carriage and 900 feet of gum hose (Jones' couplings) at this station.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Position.</i>	<i>Age.</i>	<i>Residence.</i>	<i>Occupation.</i>
Charles Cooper .....	...	Foreman	40...	320 Wood street.....	Silversmith.
Lawrence Green.....	255...	Driver	27...	149 N. Twenty-second st..	Caulker.
William Snyder.....	256...	Tillerman.....	36...	704 Brown street.....	Painter.
John McLoughlin.....	257...	Ladderman	29...	128 Race street, rear.....	Laborer.
Thos. Billington.....	258...	Ladderman	35...	146 N. Water street.....	Carpenter.
Edward Barr.....	259...	Ladderman	27...	242 Race street.....	Fireman
Joseph Clair.....	260...	Ladderman.....	24...	520 N. Front street.....	Druggist.
Joseph Hager.....	261...	Ladderman	28...	320 Poplar street.....	Carpenter.
William McCarty.....	262...	Ladderman	28...	146 Onas street.....	Driver.
Benj. F. Hooley.....	263...	Ladderman	30...	346 Crown street.....	Clerk.
Mahlon Wolverton.....	264...	Ladderman.....	26...	2 McCormick place.....	Laborer.
John Jordan.....	265...	Ladderman	24...	510 Cresson street.....	Shoemaker.
John Peck.....	266...	Ladderman	24...	510 N. Front street.....	Driver.

*Schedule of property held in charge by Hook and Ladder Company B,
January 1st, 1875.*

1 truck, 7 ladders, 5 lanterns, 1 crowbar, 6 axes, 2 picks, 2 pitchforks, 1 battering ram, 4 hooks, 2 raising poles, 2 buckets, 1 hose carriage, 900 feet gum hose, 1 hose pipe, 1 plug wrench, 1 plug male, 3 hose picks, 2 hose straps, 3 horses, 2 sets double harness, 4 cotton hooks, 2 monkey wrenches, 1 wheel wrench, 2 police ropes, 2 ropes for truck, 1 screw jack, 3 one gallon oil cans, 1 squirt can, 1 bundle waste, $\frac{1}{2}$ pound crocus, 100 feet garden hose, 3 buckets, 3 brooms, 1 dust brush, 1 dust pan, 1 scrub brush, 1 window brush, 3 towels, 1 summer door, 13 iron bedsteads, 26 mattresses, old, 52 sheets, old, 13 double blankets, 13 single blankets, 13 counterpanes, 13 pillows, old, 26 pillow cases, 12 arm chairs, 1 bureau, 65 yards ingrain carpet, 6 window shades, 1 looking glass, 1 table, 2 stoves and pipe, 2 pieces zinc, 12 spittoons, 2 coal scuttles, 2 clothes racks, 1 match safe, 1 saw, 1 hay fork, 1 enrry comb, 1 horse brush, 1 mane comb and brush, 2 shovels, 1 horse boot, 1 sieve, 1 hay cutter, 1 halter chain, 4 horse blankets, old, 2 new horse blankets, 4 hitching straps, 4 halters, 1 chamois, 1 lot sponges, 1 towel rack, 1 block and fall, 2 pounds brown soap, 1 pound castile soap, 1 tin cup, 1 blank book, 1 daily log book, 1 ice cooler, 13 house keys, 13 alarm-box keys, 12 cap badges, $\frac{1}{2}$ ton coal, 1 feed box, 1 feed chest, 1 extra double tree, 1 extra swingletree, 2 sets trace chains, 1 clock, 20 bushels oats, 6 bushels bran, 3 bushels corn meal, 3 bales hay, 1 feed measure, 2 alarm box cards and frames, 1 hatchet, 13 hat fronts, 13 sets buttons, 1 whip socket, 6 boxes matches, 1 pound soda, 1 pair scales and weights, 1 writing desk, blocks and ropes for hose tower.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES COOPER,

Foreman at Station B.

HOOK AND LADDER COMPANY C.

Located at southeast corner of Norris and Sepviva streets. Truck built by Hartshorne; weight of apparatus as drawn to fires, 6,100 pounds, carrying 8 ladders, 11, 14, 20, 26, 31, 35, 42, and 45 feet lengths, 4 hooks, 2 tormentors, 1 brace pole, 4 lamps, 3 forks, 2 crowbars, 4 axes, 4 picks, 1 leather bucket. Have a hose carriage and 450 feet of gum hose (Jones' couplings) at this station.

Name.	No.	Position.	Age.	Residence.	Occupation.
Geo. H. Kochersperger..	267	Foreman	28	512 E. Girard avenue	Bill poster.
Thos. Miller.....	267	Driver	32	1916 Sepviva street	Driver.
David Sisk.....	268	Tillerman	29	1930 Sepviva street	Lithographer.
John Roats.....	269	Ladderman	32	2019 N. Second street	Brick maker.
Jas. Russell.....	270	Ladderman	35	Abigail street	Weaver.
John Hill.....	271	Ladderman	26	1640 Huston street	Weaver.
Wm. H. Emrick.....	272	Ladderman	30	1412 Palmer street	Segar maker.
Richard Welsh.....	273	Ladderman	30	2231 Waterloo street	Chair maker.
Joseph Lord.....	274	Ladderman	31	429 Norris street	Dyer.
John J. McKernan.....	275	Ladderman	28	1231 Cadwalader street	Clerk.
Joseph Routs.....	276	Ladderman	28	Manaklu & Norris sts.	Brick maker.
James Campbell.....	277	Ladderman	72	1912 Sepviva street	Bricklayer.
Edward Duffy.....	278	Ladderman	29	Union above Second st.	Varnisher.

Schedule of property held in charge by Hook and Ladder Company C, January 1st, 1875.

1 truck complete, 1 hose carriage, 1 fuel wagon, 900 feet gum hose, 2 horses, 1 ambulance 1 leather bucket, 1 ladder strap, 70 feet rope, 1 gong, 2 wrenches, 2 spanners, 4 cotton hooks, 1 set double trees, 1 police rope, 1 ton coal, 1 cord wood, 1 hose pipe, 2 plug males, 3 leather buckets, 1 piece chamois, 5 spittoons, 1 saw, 4 shovels, 2 summer gates, 13 arm chairs, 1 table, 1 stove and fixtures, 2 monkey wrenches, 1 screw jack, 2 oil feeders, 3 oil cans, 1 towel rack, 4 towels, 1 match box, 4 corn brooms, 1 tin cup, 1 hatchet, 2 plug wrenches, 1 desk, 3 books, 2 house buckets, 13 house keys, 13 alarm-box keys, 12 cap badges, 2 sets double harness, 1 set hip straps, 1 pair halter straps, 6 horse blankets, 1 shovel, 1 hay fork, 1 manure fork, 1 stable broom, 1 curry comb, 1 mane comb, 1 brush, 1 piece chamois, 1 half peck measure, 1 sieve, 1 pair scales, 50 feet garden hose, 1 horse boot, 1 piece sponge, 1 mixing box, 1 whip, 1 hay cutter, 1 feed box, 4 hitching straps, 2 blocks, 25 feet rope, 1 summer door, 1 pair surcingles, 13 bedsteads, 26 mattresses, 26 blankets, 13 spreads, 13 pillows, 26 pillow cases, 52 sheets, 8 chairs, 1 bureau and glass, 50 yards carpet, 1 dust brush, 1 scrub brush, 1 corn broom, 1 clock, 1 door mat.

Respectfully submitted,
GEORGE H. KOCHERSPERGER,
Foreman at Station C.

HOOK AND LADDER COMPANY D.

Located at No. 119 Queen street. New Truck, with platform springs, built by George W. Hetrick, Philadelphia; weight of apparatus as drawn to fires, 8,270 pounds, carrying 9 ladders, 45, 40, 35, 28, 20, 12, 16 feet, and 2 thirty foot side ladders.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>P. sition.</i>	<i>Age.</i>	<i>Residence.</i>	<i>Occupation.</i>
Wm. H. Gampher.....	...	Foreman.....	31...	778 S. Fifth street.....	Driller.
Wm. C. Gibson.....	279...	Tillerman.....	28..	122 Queen street.....	Silversmith.
Noah Boyer.....	280...	Driver	31...	322 Queen street.....	Driver.
George W. Gray.....	281...	Ladderman ...	34...	810 Swanson street.....	Fireman.
Matthias Hartman.....	282...	Ladderman... ..	27...	812 S. Second street.....	Baker.
James McGarity.....	283...	Ladderman... ..	25...	768 S. Third street.....	Trunk maker.
Geo. M. Schlag.....	284...	Ladderman ...	31...	106 Mary street.....	Caulker.
Jacob H. Peterson.....	285 ..	Ladderman... ..	27...	4743 Main st. (Frankford)...	Carpenter.
William Lemon.....	286...	Ladderman... ..	38...	752 S. Second street.....	Laborer.
Saml. McKillen.....	287...	Ladderman	29...	140 Almond street.....	Wood turner.
James Hanley.....	288...	Ladderman	23...	527 Carpenter street.....	Dealer.
James A. Rose.....	289...	Ladderman... ..	45...	208 Christian street.	Ship carpenter.
Frederick Pinker.....	290...	Ladderman	25...	108 Orthodox st. (F'nkd)...	Brass moulder

*Schedule of property held in charge by Hook and Ladder Company D,
January 1st, 1875.*

1 truck, 3 forks, 1 battering ram, 4 lamps, 1 crowbar, 6 axes, 2 picks, 1 ladder strap, 2 tormentors, 3 hooks, 1 gong, 4 fire buckets, 1 pair gray horses, 1 spare bay horse, 2 sets double harness, 2 dutch collars, 4 collars, 3 pair lines, 4 bridles, 3 halters, 7 blankets, 2 summer blankets, 2 curry combs, 2 brushes, 1 mane brush, 1 mane comb, 1 whip, 2 horse boots, 3 files, 1 pair pincers, 1 hatchet, 1 saw, 3 horse buckets, 2 stable forks, 2 shovels, 1 broom, 1 basket, 1 sieve for oats, 2 surcingles, 1 hay cutter, 300 feet rope, 1 telegraph box, 1 alarm box, 200 feet gum hose, 1 hose pipe, 1 plug male, 50 feet garden hose, 1 wheel wrench, 3 monkey wrenches, 7 cottage bedsteads, 14 mattresses, 14 double blankets, 7 white spreads, 14" pillows, 18 large sheets, 20 pillow cases, 1 bureau, 6 cane seat chairs, 12 arm chairs, 1 table, 1 door mat, 62 yards carpet, 1 tin boiler, 1 poker, 1 coal scuttle, 1 small shovel, 1 scrubbing brush, 3 towels, 2 account books, 1 summer door, 100 yards matting, 13 house keys, 13 telegraph keys, 12 hat badges, 1 writing desk, 1 stove, 1 feed chest, 4 one gallon oil cans, 2 squirt cans, 1 pair lead bars, 1 month's feed, 1 screw jack, 6 spittoons, 1 block and fall.

Respectfully submitted,
WILLIAM H. GAMPHER,
Foreman at Station D

HOOK AND LADDER COMPANY E.

Located at southwest corner Twentieth and Hand streets. Truck built by Gardner & Fleming; weight of apparatus as drawn to fires, 7,500 pounds, carrying 7 ladders, 45, 40, 35, 28, 22, 16, 12 foot lengths. Have a hose carriage and 950 feet gum hose (Jones' couplings) at this station.

Name.	No.	Position.	Age.	Residence.	Occupation.
Arch. A. Young.....	219...	Foreman.....	37...	1414 Christian street.....	Gas fitter.
Wm. A. Napier.....	219...	Driver.....	35...	2302 Wood street.....	Driver.
John Raiden.	292...	Tillerman.....	33...	518 Fitzwater street.....	Cordwainer.
William Cook.....	293...	Ladderman....	33...	2112 Harmstead street.....	Laborer.
Oliver Exley.....	294...	Ladderman....	27...	750 S. Eleventh street	Laborer.
John J. Winring.	295...	Ladderman....	29...	2011 South street.....	Painter.
Charles Segar.....	296 ..	Ladderman....	26 ..	1011 Stocker street.,	Plasterer.
John Blee.....	297...	Ladderman....	27...	2047 Evergreen street.....	Plumber.
John Smith.....	298...	Ladderman....	24...	610 Lloyd street.....	Dealer.
Jos. Townsend.....	299...	Ladderman....	34...	1913 South street.....	Utility man.
Benj. Fisher.....	300...	Ladderman....	25...	2037 Fitzwater street.....	Laborer.
Wm. Donnelly.....	301...	Ladderman....	44...	2138 Kater street	Painter.
Saml. Graham.....	302 ..	Ladderman....	38...	2002 Kater street.....	Brick maker.

Schedule of property held in charge by Hook and Ladder Company E, January 1st, 1875.

1 truck complete, 7 ladders 45, 40, 35, 28, 22, 16 and 12 foot lengths, 1 ladder 45 foot condemned, 6 hooks, 2 tormentors, 2 picks, 6 axes, 1 crowbar, 1 battering ram, 4 lamps, 2 pitch forks, 1 leather bucket, 1 four-wheel hose carriage, 950 feet gum hose, 80 feet rope, 2 lamps, 2 hose pipes and nozzles, 2 Jones' plug males, 2 hose straps, 2 hose picks, 1 plug spanner, 1 axe, 1 four-wheel fuel wagon, 2½ cords pine knots, 3 tons engine coal, 2 Roan horses, 1 set double harness, 1 set double harness, old, 1 dutch collar and traces, 1 extra pair bits, 1 extra horse collar, 1 hitching strap, 2 horse boots, 6 snaps, 4 horse blankets, good, 2 horse blankets, bad, 2 summer sheets, 1 ladder strap, 1 gong, 50 foot rope, 1 curry comb, 1 horse brush, 1 mane comb, 2 mane brushes, 1 bottle liniment, 1 feed chest, 12 bushels oats, 1 bushel bran, 250 pounds hay, 200 pounds straw, 2 pounds rock salt, 1 pound flax seed, 1 half peck measure, 1 sieve, 1 hay cutter, 2 pitch forks, 2 baskets, 1 extra swingle tree, 1 set lead bars and chains, 2 files, 1 four gallon oil can, 2 one gallon oil cans, 1 squirt can, 2 gallons lard oil, 1 quart coal oil, 2 pounds cotton waste, 5 pounds whitening, 5 pounds crocus, 1 box wheel grease, 2 chamois, 2 monkey wrenches, 4 wheel wrenches, 2 pieces sponge, 1 sheet emery, 1 long dust brush, 1 screw jack, 1 beam and weights, 4 wooden buckets, 9 axe handles, 1 lamp globe, 2 brooms, 3 scrub brushes, 1 hatchet, 1 white-wash brush, 1 looking glass, 3 shovels, 1 tin wash basin, 1 saw, broken, 2 door mats, 1 towel roller, 2 summer doors, 1 clothes rack, 2 stoves and pipe, 2 pieces zinc, 2 pokers, 2 stove shovels, 2 coal hods, 1 kettle for stove, 13 iron bedsteads, 24 pair blankets, 1 single blanket, 13 bed spreads, 41 sheets, 48 pillow cases, 26 straw mattresses, 13 straw pillows, 6 venetian blinds, 6 buff shades, 1 bureau, 6 spittoons, 8 towels, 12 cane seat chairs, 120 yards ingrain carpet, 1 water cooler, 1 writing desk, 2 cards and frame location of boxes, 1 copy of rules and frame, 1 table, 1 inkstand, 1 roll book, 1 log book, 12 arm chairs, 12 cap badges, 12 box keys, 12 door keys, 1 extra truck wheel, 75 feet garden hose, 1 telegraph instrument, 2 police ropes.

Respectfully submitted,

ARCHIBALD A. YOUNG,

Foreman at Station E.

HAND ENGINE, STATION A.

Located at Chestnut Hill.

Name.	No.	Position.	Age.	Residence.	Occupation.
George W. Shannon.....	375...	Hoseman.....	36...	36 Highland avenue.....	Weaver.

*Schedule of property held in charge by George W. Shannon,
January 1st, 1875.*

1 suction hand engine, 20 feet suction hose, 1 hose carriage, 100 feet gum hose (Jones' couplings), 100 feet bursted, 1 house key, 1 alarm box key, 1 blank book, 2 birch brooms, 1 hatchet, 2 shovels, 1 window brush, 1 dust brush, 1 hand scrub, 1 wall brush, 2 quarts engine oil, $\frac{1}{2}$ pint polishing oil, 1 ball lampwick, 5 files, 1 monkey wrench, $\frac{1}{2}$ box rotten stone, 6 hose picks, 1 hose pipe, 1 nozzle, 2 spanners, 2 reducers, 1 plug male, 2 plug wrenches, 2 lanterns, 2 wheel wrenches, 1 box wheel grease, 2 axes, 1 jack screw, 4 straps, 2 ropes, 2 ladder straps, 3 towels, 1 towel rack, 1 wash basin, 1 tin cup, 1 bucket, 1 squirt can, 3 oil cans, 1 chamois, 1 stop leak, 1 suction boot, 2 snaps, 2 rings, 1 iron bedstead, 2 mattresses, 2 pillow cases, 1 pillow, 4 sheets, 1 pair blankets, 1 counterpane, 1 table, 1 bureau and glass, 3 arm chairs, 1 box whitening, 1 hose strap, 100 feet garden hose, 2 door mats, 1 coal sieve, 1 suction reducer, 1 spittoon, 1 hand saw, 5 tons stove coal, 18 window curtains, 2 pieces zinc, 1 ingrain carpet, 1 stove, 1 poker, 1 coal hod, 18 feet stove pipe, 2 pounds waste, 9 sheets emery paper, 1 match box, 1 inkstand, 1 cap badge, 1 basket, 1 broom, 1 sponge, 9 boxes matches, 1 dust pan, 6 lampwicks, 1 alarm card, 1 log book.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE W. SHANNON,

Hoseman at Station A.

HAND ENGINE, STATION B.

Located at Roxborough.

Name.	No.	Position.	Age.	Residence.	Occupation.
Benj. F. Woodhouse.....	...	Hoseman.....	35...	At the station.....	Plasterer.

*Schedule of property held in charge by B. F. Woodhouse,
January 1st, 1875.*

1 suction side working hand engine, 1 hose carriage, 1 door key, 1,250 feet gum hose, 24 feet suction, 2 ropes, 2 lamps, 2 ladder straps, 2 suction boots, 2 hose pipes, 2 plug wrenches, 2 files, 1 monkey wrench, 3 oil cans, 1 alarm card and frame, 1 screw jack, 1 stove and pipe, 1 old drum, 1 coal hod, 2 shovels, 1 box grease, 45 feet garden hose, 4 hose picks, 1 Jones' male, 3 plug males, 2 spittoons, 1 log book, 1 requisition and receipt book, 1 sponge, 1 pound brown soap, 1 squirt can, 1 poker, 2 tons stove coal, 1 dust brush, 1 dust pan, 4 leather fire buckets, 1 wooden bucket, 1 large basket, 1 inkstand, 1 wash basin, 1 tin cup, 2 towels, 1 towel rack, 1 match box, 1 carpet, 1 bureau and glass, 1 small table, 3 arm chairs, 1 iron bedstead, 2 mattresses, 4 sheets, 2 pillow cases, 1 pillow, 1 pair blankets, 1 counterpane, 1 hatchet, 2 fire axes, 1 door mat, 1 long handle dust brush, 1 chamois, $\frac{1}{2}$ gallon coal oil.

Respectfully submitted,

B. F. WOODHOUSE,

Hoseman at Station B.

HAND ENGINE, STATION C.

Located at Kingsessing.

Name.	No.	Position.	Age.	Residence.	Occupation.
George M. Mackemson.	374	Hoseman	34	Kingsessing	Carpenter.

*Schedule of property held in charge by George M. Mackemson,
January 1st, 1875.*

1 suction hand engine, 18 feet suction hose, 1 hose carriage, 1,000 feet gum hose, 1 cap badge, 1 hose key, 2 carriage lanterns, 4 side lamps for wall, 1 jack screw, 1 bucket, 2 chamois, 2 hose pipes, 2 wrenches, 2 spanners, 1 log book, 1 stove and pipe, 1 sweeping brush, 1 one gallon oil can, 1 half gallon oil can, 2 branch pipes, 2 Bliss' couplings, 2 Bliss' rings, 1 ball packing wick, 1 pound sponge, 5 pounds rotten stone, 1 hatchet.

Respectfully submitted,
GEORGE M. MACKEMSON,
Hoseman at Station C.

HAND ENGINE, STATION D.

Located at Bridesburg.

Name.	No.	Position.	Age.	Residence.	Occupation.
Thomas Latta	Hoseman	34	182 Bridge street	Machinist.

*Schedule of property held in charge by Thomas Latta,
January 1st, 1875.*

1 suction engine, 16 feet suction, 1 hose carriage, 900 feet gum hose, 2 brass branch pipes, 6 spanners, 1 lead rope, 1 lamp, 2 picks, 1 plug male, 1 monkey wrench, 1 can oil, 6 lampwicks, 22 buttons, 1 box key.

Respectfully submitted,
THOMAS LATTA,
Hoseman at Station D.

AN ORDINANCE

To create and organize a Paid Fire Department for the City of Philadelphia, and to make an appropriation therefor.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Fire Department shall consist of seven Fire Commissioners, one Chief Engineer, five assistant engineers, and as many foremen, enginemen, hosemen, hook and laddermen, and other persons, to be divided into companies, as the number of engines and other fire apparatus belonging to the City shall from time to time require.

SECT. 2. The said Fire Commissioners shall be citizens of Philadelphia, of good character, not under thirty years of age, who shall serve without compensation, and be elected as follows: Three by Select Council and four by Common Council, on the last stated meeting in December, 1870. The said Commissioners, when elected, shall draw for their respective terms of office, three for the term of two years and four for the term of four years; and every second year thereafter, at their first stated meeting in the month of February, there shall be elected in the same manner three or four persons, as the case may be, by the Select or Common Council, in which the vacancy may occur, to serve for the term of four years. The minority in each Chamber shall at all times be represented by one member in the said Board of Fire Commissioners. The said Commissioners to hold their offices until their successors are duly elected and qualified.

SECT. 3 That in case of death, resignation, disqualification or removal of, or the neglect or refusal to perform the duties incumbent upon their offices by any or all of said Commissioners, the Councils shall proceed at once to fill such place or places by a new election, as above provided, and for the unexpired term.

Organization.

SECT. 4. That the said Fire Commissioners shall proceed at once to organize a department, to consist of not exceed-

ing twenty-two steam fire engines and five hook and ladder companies, and thereafter such number of companies as they may from time to time be authorized and directed by Councils. They shall have the appointment of and entire control over all officers and employees, and of the property of the Fire Department, and shall be held strictly accountable therefor to Councils, by whom, upon conviction of dereliction of duty, malfeasance in office, or violation of any of the provisions of this Ordinance, after a hearing before the Joint Committee on Fire Department, they shall be removed from office.

Stated Meetings.

SECT. 5. The said Fire Commissioners shall hold at least two stated meetings monthly, and keep a correct record of all their proceedings, subject at all times to the inspection of the Mayor and Councils, or their Committees, and shall annually, in the month of January, prepare an accurate report to Councils of the state of the department. They shall have authority, in conjunction with the Committee on Fire Department, to fit up and appropriate to their use and that of the engineer, suitable rooms as offices, the necessary expense of which shall be defrayed out of the funds appropriated for the use of the department, and the President of the Commissioners shall have authority to draw warrants upon the City Treasurer for such sum or sums of money as they may from time to time require, not exceeding the appropriations by Councils: *Provided*, That all bills for expenditures shall first be submitted to and approved by the Committee on Fire Department. They shall have power to suspend or expel any member of any fire company, reorganize any company, and they shall also adopt a suitable uniform to be worn by the officers and men. The said Fire Commissioners shall also have authority to make such rules and regulations for the government, discipline and good order of the department and for the extinguishment of fires, as they may think necessary and expedient: *Provided*, Such rules and regulations be not inconsistent with any Ordinance of Councils. All meetings of the Fire Commissioners shall be open to the public.

Election of Officers.

SECT. 6. That on the third day of January, 1871, the Fire Commissioners, as herein provided for, shall meet and organize, and elect from their number a President. They shall also elect a Secretary and Messenger, who by virtue of their offices, shall be members of the Fire Department. The Secretary shall also perform the duties of clerk to the Chief Engineer, and the Messenger shall also be messenger to the Chief Engineer. The said Fire Commissioners shall also give public notice by advertisement, in at least three newspapers for one week, that they are prepared to receive applications for membership in the Fire Department, and proposals for the sale or lease to the City, of such fire apparatus, houses, horses and other property needed by them for the purposes of the department.

Qualifications of Officers and Members.

SECT. 7. All officers and members of the Fire Department shall be persons of good moral character, and shall retain their respective positions for and during good behavior, and for such times as they perform their duties harmoniously with their associates and satisfactorily to the Fire Commissioners. They shall not be subject to removal on account of any political, religious or other sentiments entertained by them, so long as such opinion or sentiment does not interfere with the faithful and efficient discharge of their duties as members of the Fire Department.

Salaries.

SECT. 8. That the salaries of the officers and employees of the Fire Department shall be as follows:

Chief Engineer, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars per annum.

Secretary of the Fire Commissioners and Clerk of the Chief Engineer, twelve hundred (1200) dollars per annum.

Messenger of the Fire Commissioners, eight hundred (800) dollars per annum.

Assistant engineers, each, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars per annum.

Enginemen, each, one thousand (1,000) dollars per annum.

Firemen, each, eight hundred (800) dollars per annum.

Tillermen and driver, each, seven hundred and fifty (750) dollars per annum.

Foremen, each, four hundred and fifty (450) dollars per annum.

And the hose and hook and ladder men, each, three hundred and sixty (360) dollars per annum.

And all the said salaries shall be payable monthly.

Agreement of Appointee.

SECT. 9. Every officer and member of the Fire Department shall, before entering upon his duties, sign the following agreement, to be deposited with the Fire Commissioners :

"I, A. B., having been appointed a member of the Philadelphia Fire Department, hereby agree to abide by all the Ordinances of the Councils and rules and regulations of the Fire Commissioners relating thereto."

Any officer or member who shall neglect or refuse to sign the same, shall not be entitled to receive any compensation whatsoever.

SECT. 10. No person under twenty-one years of age shall be an officer or member of the Fire Department, nor shall any person be an officer or member who is not a legal voter in the City of Philadelphia ; and no person holding office of any kind under the United States, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania or the City of Philadelphia, shall hold any office created by this Ordinance.

The Chief Engineer.

SECT. 11. The Chief Engineer shall have the sole command at fires over the assistant engineers, officers and members of the Fire Department, and all other persons who may be present at fires. He shall direct all proper measures for the extinguishment of fires, protection of property and preservation of order. It shall be his duty to examine into the condition of all the fire apparatus and

houses connected therewith, as often as the Fire Commissioners or Councils may require, and whenever the engines or other apparatus shall need alterations or repairs, he shall report the same to the Fire Commissioners, who shall cause the same to be made. He shall transmit to the Fire Commissioners all returns of officers, members and companies, keep fair and exact rolls of the respective companies, specifying the time of admission and discharge, and name, age, occupation and residence of each member. He shall annually, in the month of January, and oftener, if required by the Fire Commissioners or Councils, report to them of the condition of the houses, fire apparatus and other property of the department, together with the names of the officers and members of the various fire companies: the number of fires since last report, the causes thereof, and extent of damages, as near as can be ascertained.

SECT. 12. In the absence of the Chief Engineer, an assistant engineer, to be designated by him, shall execute the duties of his office with full powers.

Force of Engine Company.

SECT. 13. Every engine company shall have one engineer, one fireman, and one driver, who shall be permanently employed, and who shall at all times be in and about the engine house, except when unavoidably absent; and shall also have one foreman and eight hosemen.

Force of Hook and Ladder Company.

SECT. 14. Every hook and ladder company shall have one driver, and one tillerman, who shall be permanently employed, and who shall at all times be in and about the truck house, except when unavoidably absent; and shall also have one foreman and ten members.

Property of Engine Company.

SECT. 15. The property of each engine company shall consist of not less than one steam fire-engine, one hose-carriage, one thousand feet of hose, together with such

other apparatus for effectual service as the Fire Commissioners shall deem necessary, and four horses. The use of said horses shall be controlled by the foreman of each of the several companies, subject to the approval of the Chief Engineer, in such manner as his judgment may dictate.

Property of Hook and Ladder Company.

SECT. 16. The property of each hook and ladder company shall consist of not less than one ladder truck, and all necessary ladders and implements, and two horses.

Their Powers as Police Officers.

SECT. 17. The Fire Commissioners, Chief and assistant engineers, and the foreman of companies be and they are hereby authorized to exercise the powers of police officers in going to, while at, and returning from any fire that may occur or alarm be given.

Extra Men.

SECT. 18. Each engine company may have extra men, not exceeding four in number, and each hook and ladder company not exceeding six. They shall not be entitled to pay, except when ordered on duty in the place of absentees, when they shall receive the same pay, to be deducted from the monthly salary of such absentees. Said extra men shall be furnished by the Commissioners with hat and badge without charge therefor; in case of a vacancy in the company to which they are attached, they shall, if worthy and competent, be eligible to promotion to fill the same.

Vacation.

SECT. 19. The Fire Commissioners may grant to any officer or member of the department, if they deem it compatible with the interests of the department, a vacation, not exceeding two weeks in any one year, upon such terms as they may think expedient.

Fire-Alarm Boxes.

SECT. 20. The Fire Commissioners shall have power to remove such of the fire-alarm signal boxes as may not be needed, and locate the same and such others as they shall deem necessary, and they shall also make such modifications in said boxes and the manner of giving alarms of fire as they shall consider requisite and necessary for the efficient working of the Fire Department: *Provided*, The same be done under the supervision of the Department of the Fire-Alarm and Police Telegraph.

Suspension or dismissal of Companies.

SECT. 21. The present Fire Department is hereby placed under the direction and control of the said Fire Commissioners, subject to their rules and regulations; and they shall have full power and authority to suspend any company or companies from active service, for violation of the same, or dismiss them from the Fire Department. The present chief and assistant engineers are hereby directed to report to and obey the rules and regulations of said Fire Commissioners; and whenever they shall deem the services of the said chief and assistant engineers no longer necessary, their term of office shall cease.

Lease.

SECT. 22. That the Fire Commissioners are hereby authorized, if they deem it advisable, to lease upon such terms and for such length of time not exceeding three years, as they shall think necessary and expedient, or purchase such of the apparatus, houses and other property of the present fire companies as will insure the immediate and efficient service of the department.

Unlawful Interference.

SECT. 23. That it shall not be lawful for any person or persons to injure, deface or in any manner destroy any of

the fire apparatus, or property of the same, or any police or fire-alarm telegraph box or wire, or hinder or obstruct any engine or hook and ladder company, or any members thereof or officers of the department, from freely passing along the streets of the City, to or from a fire, or in any manner hinder or prevent any of the said fire companies, or any member or officer of the department, from operating at any fire.

False Alarms.

SECT. 24. That it shall not be lawful for any person or persons, knowingly to give or cause to be given any false alarm of fire by means of the telegraph signal boxes.

Keys to Houses.

SECT. 25. That it shall not be lawful for any person or persons, without the consent and authority of the Fire Commissioners, to have in his or their possession, use or make, or cause to be made or used, any key or keys to any fire engine, hook and ladder house, or telegraph signal box; nor shall any person or persons not a member or officer of the Fire Department, use or wear part of the uniform determined upon by the Fire Commissioners, without their permission first had and obtained.

Fines and Penalties.

SECT. 26. Any person or persons violating any of the provisions of Sections 23, 24, and 25 of this Ordinance, shall suffer and pay a fine not less than five dollars, nor more than one hundred dollars, for the use of the City. Such fine to be recoverable as like penalties are now by law recoverable.

A SUPPLEMENT

To the Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to create and organize a Paid Fire Department for the City of Philadelphia, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved the twenty-ninth day of December, 1870.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That all appointments by the Fire Commissioners under the provisions of the Ordinance to which this is a supplement, shall be subject to confirmation by Select Council.

The Fire Commissioners shall transmit to Select Council the name, age, residence and occupation of each and every person appointed by them as an officer or member of the Fire Department, within one week from the date of such appointment, and the City Controller shall not countersign any warrant for the payment of the salary of any person so appointed, until after his confirmation, as herein provided.

A FURTHER SUPPLEMENT

To the Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to create and organize a Paid Fire Department for the City of Philadelphia, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved December 29th, A. D. 1870.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Fire Department of the City of Philadelphia be increased by the addition of five engine companies, and a hand engine and five hundred feet of hose and one hoseman, to be stationed at Kingsessing, in the Twenty-seventh Ward; and a hand engine and five hundred feet of hose and one hoseman to be stationed at Chestnut Hill, Twenty-second Ward; and a hand engine and four hundred feet of hose to be located at Bridesburg, Twenty-fifth Ward; and a hand engine and five hundred feet of hose to be stationed at Roxborough, in the Twenty-first Ward, one hoseman, with the same pay as hosemen are allowed by this Ordinance, to consist of the same number of officers and men, and with the same apparatus and property for effectual service, except the hand engine, as the companies now composing the Fire Department. The

said additional companies shall be organized in like manner as provided in the Ordinance to which this is a supplement, and to be located by the Fire Commissioners under the supervision of the Committee on Fire Department.

SECT. 2. That the foreman of each engine and hook and ladder company shall be permanently employed, and also such number of hosemen, not exceeding four to each company, and laddermen, not exceeding five to each company, as the Fire Commissioners shall deem necessary for the effectual working of the department. But nothing herein contained shall be construed to authorize any increase in the number of members of any company as heretofore established by Ordinance.

SECT. 3. The members of the Fire Department hereby authorized to be permanently employed, shall at all times be in and about the engine or truck house, except when absent on duty, or from other unavoidable cause, and shall perform such other duty as may be assigned them by the Fire Commissioners.

SECT. 4. The salaries of the foremen, hosemen and laddermen permanently employed shall be as follows: Foremen, each seven hundred and fifty dollars per annum; hosemen and laddermen, each per annum, six hundred dollars. The salary of the hosemen and laddermen not permanently employed shall remain as heretofore established by Ordinance.

SECT. 5. In the purchase of additional engines, hook and ladder trucks, hose carts, and hose for the use of the department, the Fire Commissioners shall advertise daily for one week in the two newspapers of the City of Philadelphia having the largest circulation, for proposals for the sale or construction of such apparatus. The proposals shall be opened in the presence of the Committee on Fire Department, and the offer for the sale or the contract for construction, as the case may be, shall be accepted from or awarded to the lowest and best bidder.

SECT. 6. That the Commissioners shall employ one clerk at the store house, at a salary of one thousand dollars per annum, and one driver of supply wagon at store house, at a salary of six hundred dollars per annum.

SECT. 7. That the engines, hose carts, hook and ladder trucks, and fuel wagons of the Fire Department, when

driven on any passenger railway in attending any fire or alarm of fire, shall have the right of way thereon, and when proceeding to fires on streets running north and south and approaching streets running east and west, shall do so at a slackened rate of the usual speed, and all persons driving vehicles, except passenger cars, on such railway shall turn entirely off the track. And it shall be the duty of the conductor and driver of any passenger railway car, upon the approach of any engine, hose cart, hook and ladder truck, or fuel wagon, when proceeding to a fire, to immediately stop said railway car until such apparatus of the Fire Department shall pass. Any person or persons violating the provisions hereof shall suffer and pay a penalty of ten dollars for the use of the City, to be recovered as like penalties are now by law recoverable.

SECT. 8. Sections 2, 3 and 4 of this supplemental Ordinance shall not be applicable to the Twenty-third Ward.

SECT. 9. This Ordinance shall go into effect on and after January first, A. D. 1872.

A FURTHER SUPPLEMENT

To the Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to create and organize a Paid Fire Department for the City of Philadelphia, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved December 29th, A. D. 1870.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the hosemen and ladder men of each engine and hook and ladder company shall be permanently employed on and after the first day of March, 1873, except in the Twenty-first, Twenty-second and Twenty-third Wards, where only one-half shall be permanently employed.

SECT. 2. The salaries of the foremen shall be one thousand dollars from and after the first day of January, 1873, any Ordinance to the contrary hereof notwithstanding.

A FURTHER SUPPLEMENT

To the Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to create and organize a Paid Fire Department for the City of Philadelphia, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved December 30th, A. D. 1873.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That on and after the first day of January, 1874, the pay of hose and ladder men shall be seven hundred and fifty dollars per annum: *Provided*, This does not apply to the temporary men in the Twenty-first, Twenty-second and Twenty-third Wards.

A FURTHER SUPPLEMENT

To an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to create and organize a Paid Fire Department for the City of Philadelphia, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved December 29th, A. D. 1870.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the hosemen of Engine Company No. 12, located at Manayunk, in the Twenty-first Ward, the hosemen of Engine Company No. 14, located at Frankford, in the Twenty-third Ward, and the hosemen of Engine Company No. 19, located at Germantown, in the Twenty-second Ward, shall be permanently employed on and after the first day of January, 1875. The salaries to be the same as those paid to the members of other companies, any Ordinance to the contrary hereof notwithstanding.

A. WILSON HENSZEY,
President of Common Council.

Attest—ABRAHAM STEWART,
Assistant Clerk of Common Council.

R. W. DOWNING,
President of Select Council.

Approved this twenty-first day of December, Anno Domini eighteen hundred and seventy-four, (A. D. 1874.)

WM. S. STOKLEY,
Mayor of Philadelphia.

Rules for the Government of the Philadelphia Fire Department.

Chief Engineer.

SECTION 1. The Chief Engineer must be fully equipped at the time of fire, and shall have entire control of the department and fire ground, and direct personally, or through the assistants, the disposition of the respective fire apparatus. He shall be in attendance at the office of the department daily between the hours of 10 o'clock and 12 o'clock A. M., and 1 o'clock and 4 o'clock P. M., except in case of fire or sickness. He shall issue to the department *forthwith* all orders emanating from the Board of Commissioners.

SECT. 2. It will be his duty to visit each engine and truck station once in two weeks, and see that the apparatus is in proper condition, and the men in their positions ready for service.

SECT. 3. He shall have power to grant to any officer or member, if he deem it compatible with the interests of the department, a temporary leave of absence, not exceeding twenty-four hours in any case; the application for leave of absence to be approved by the foreman before being granted by the Chief Engineer.

Assistant Engineers.

SECTION 1. The assistant engineers must be fully equipped, and shall take command, in their respective districts, of the apparatus, in time of fire, until the arrival of the Chief Engineer.

SECT. 2. They shall visit the several engine and truck stations, in their respective districts, at least *once* in each day, and see that the men are ready for duty, and that the apparatus is in good and serviceable condition, except the companies located in the Twenty-first, Twenty-second and Twenty-third Wards; said companies to be visited once in each week. They shall report the violation of any rule of government, and the condition of their respective companies daily to the Chief Engineer, and return immediately to the

station assigned them, when dismissed by the Chief Engineer.

SECT. 3. They shall examine all requisitions on the premises of the companies, and approve the same, when satisfied that articles asked for are required.

SECT. 4. They shall visit companies immediately after a fire to ascertain the condition of apparatus, and report all casualties immediately to the Chief Engineer.

SECT. 5. They shall submit to the Chief Engineer each day the various requisitions and daily roll-calls of the companies under their charge, except as is hereinbefore provided for.

SECT. 6. They shall remain at the stations to which they have been assigned by the Board of Fire Commissioners at all times, except when absent on duty.

SECT. 7. They shall make a report in detail, including the roll-calls of the day previous, from all companies under their charge, the same to be prepared previous to attending headquarters.

SECT. 8. Their report shall be made at 2 o'clock P. M. of each day (Sundays excepted) to the Chief Engineer.

Foremen.

SECTION 1. The foremen shall attend at the stations of their respective companies at all times, and see that the apparatus, hose, horses, and all connected with the company are at all times in good condition for service, and that their stations are kept in a clean and healthy condition. They shall be under the same rules and regulations as the hosemen, and under no circumstance will they be allowed to leave their stations except on their day off, during time of fire or while at meals; and in no event whatever will they be allowed to visit these headquarters.

SECT. 2. They shall have full charge, each of his respective company, at all times, and shall be strictly accountable for the acts of the men under them. The neglect to report any violation of rules or order to their superior officers shall render them liable to suspension.

SECT. 3. They shall keep a correct list of all members, and have roll-call at 6 o'clock A. M. and 7.30 o'clock P. M.,

daily, and a roll-call after every fire or alarm, and note the absentees. They shall also enter in a book, provided for that purpose, the name, age, residence, occupation, and the time of admission or discharge, of each member ; note all absence or refusal to perform duty, and report daily to the assistant engineer of their district, and shall make monthly statements in writing of the condition of their stations, apparatus, horses, etc., with an itemized estimate of the supplies required by their respective companies for the ensuing month.

SECT. 4. They shall number the hosemen from 1 to 8, and shall exercise the men twice in each week, so that they may become thoroughly acquainted with their duties.

Enginemen.

SECTION 1. It shall be the duty of the enginemen to be at all times in attendance at their respective engine stations, to take charge of and clean the engine, and all things belonging thereto, accompany the engine to all fires or alarms, and have full charge of running the engine, subject to the order of the foreman and superior officers, and to make such repairs to the apparatus as the facilities of the department will admit of.

Drivers.

SECTION 1. The drivers shall be in constant attendance at their respective engine and truck stations. They shall have charge of the stables, horses, harness, etc., have them well cleaned each morning, take charge of the horses of the company during the time of fires, and after each fire or alarm shall have the horses well cleaned, thoroughly examined and rubbed down. They shall exercise their horses daily, and shall not take them at any time (without a special order) more than two squares from their respective stations.

Firemen.

SECTION 1. The duty of each fireman shall be to drive the cart connected with the steam engine, and on arrival

at a fire, to attach the hose to the engine, and lead it to the fire, place his horse in charge of the engine driver, and attend to the fire of the engine under charge of the engine-man; and when the fire is extinguished, he shall again take charge of his horse and cart, and assist the hosemen in taking up the hose. He shall be in attendance at all times, and keep a full supply of fuel on hand for the engine; he shall have charge of the cart, and have it kept clean and ready for service at all times, and also of the horse belonging to and used therein, and assist the driver in the duties of the stable.

Tillermen.

SECTION 1. The tillermen shall be in constant attendance at their respective truck stations, accompanying their trucks to all fires or alarms, and assist the ladder-men in the performance of their duties on the fire ground. They shall take charge of and keep in neat and clean order their respective trucks, ladders and all connected therewith not otherwise provided for.

Hose and Laddermen.

SECTION 1. It shall be the duty of the hose and ladder-men to be at all times in attendance at their respective stations, and accompany the apparatus to all fires and alarms. They shall keep their respective stations in a clean and healthy condition, attend to cleaning and hanging up the hose, and have it replaced on the cart at the proper time, and perform such other duties as may be required by the foreman.

Storehouse Clerk.

SECTION 1. It shall be the duty of the storehouse clerk to receive, take charge of, and distribute upon requisition, under the direction of the Committee on Supplies and Repairs, all articles for the use of the department.

SECT. 2. He shall keep accurate accounts in detail with each company and the headquarters of the department, and perform such other duties as may be directed by the Board of Commissioners.

Driver of the Supply Wagon.

SECTION 1. It shall be the duty of the driver of the supply wagon to be in attendance at the storehouse from 7 o'clock A. M. to 6 o'clock P. M., except when absent on duty. He shall attend to, and take charge of, and keep in perfect order the horse, wagon, and appurtenances belonging to the storehouse. He shall assist the storehouse clerk in receiving, arranging and distributing all articles belonging to the department, and perform such other duties as may be directed by the Committee on Supplies and Repairs.

Superintendent of Horses.

SECTION 1. The superintendent of horses shall make semi-monthly visits to the several stations, and report to the Board, at each meeting, the condition of horses in charge of the several companies; he shall have full charge of the headquarter's stables, and the arranging of horses, and be held responsible for the care and condition of horses, and that the men employed are careful and competent in the performance of duty, and shall be subject to the immediate orders of the Committee on Supplies and Repairs.

Miscellaneous.

SECTION 1. Pay rolls will be made and duplicated from the returns of the several foremen by the assistant engineers of each district, and forwarded to the Chief monthly, who, if he approves, shall sign and forward them to the Board of Commissioners; said Commissioners shall approve them if correct, either by their President or a committee, as may be directed, and forward one with the warrants to the office of the City Controller, the other to be filed in the office of the Board.

SECT. 2. Every member of the department shall be required to keep his uniform and equipments in a neat and cleanly condition, and wear the same at *all times* when on duty.

SECT. 3. No member of the department, while wearing

the uniform or equipments of the same, will be allowed to enter any drinking saloon or tavern, under a penalty of suspension from the department, with loss of pay, for such time as the Board of Commissioners may direct.

SECT. 4. The foremen of the different companies shall so arrange the hours for meals that six men shall be on duty at all times, three of whom shall be hosemen.

SECT. 5. The members attached to the several companies composing the department, shall, from the first day of May to the first day of October, make arrangements to spend alternately each sixth day with their families, and from the first day of October to the first day of May, but one man at a time shall be allowed to absent himself from his station between the hours of 7 o'clock P. M. and 7 o'clock A. M.

The foregoing rules are to be so construed that no member shall be considered exempt from duty in the event of fire.

Number and Location of Fire-Alarm Boxes.

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| <p>1 State House.
 2 Girard Bank.
 3 Second and Dock streets.
 4 Second and South streets.
 5 Second street and Washington avenue.
 6 Fifth street and Washington avenue.
 7 Eighth street and Washington avenue.
 8 Twelfth and Filbert streets.
 9 Broad street and Washington avenue—Depot.
 12 Sixth and South streets.
 13 Ninth and Locust streets.
 14 Eleventh and Chestnut streets.
 15 Twelfth and South streets.
 16 Sixteenth and Lombard streets.
 17 United States Arsenal.
 18 Twentieth and Walnut streets.
 19 Moyamensing avenue and Greeuwich street—Engine No. 10.
 21 Beach and Palmer streets.
 23 Eighth and Sansom streets.
 24 Third and Poplar streets.
 25 Seventh and Arch streets.
 26 Tenth and Filbert streets—Engine No. 20.
 27 Broad and Chestnut streets.
 28 Sixth street and Passyunk road.
 29 Penna. Hospital, Eighth and Spruce sts.
 31 Eighteenth and Market streets.
 32 Twenty-first and Market streets.
 34 Twentieth and Arch streets.
 35 Nineteenth and Callowhill streets.
 36 Seventeenth and Callowhill streets.
 37 Broad and Coates streets.
 38 Eighteenth and Coates streets.
 39 Buttonwood below Thirteenth street.
 41 Third and Market streets.
 42 Front and Market streets.
 43 Vine street wharf, Delaware.
 45 Second and Callowhill streets.
 46 Norris and Sepviva streets—Truck C.
 47 Twenty fifth and South streets—Depot.
 48 Thirtieth and Market streets—Depot.
 49 Germantown road and Oxford street.
 51 York road and Buttonwood street.
 52 Sixth and Callowhill streets.</p> | <p>53 Ninth and Green streets—Depot.
 54 Eleventh street and Washington avenue.
 56 Eleventh and Hamilton streets—Mill.
 57 Broad and Hamilton streets—Baldwin's.
 58 Nineteenth and Master streets—Depot.
 59 Twelfth and Parrish streets.
 61 Second and Laurel streets.
 62 Laurel street and Frankford road—Gas Works.
 63 Moyamensing Prison.
 64 Howard and Putnam streets—Engine No. 15.
 65 Third and Arch streets—Insurance Patrol Station.
 67 Broad and Callowhill streets—Depot.
 68 Sixth and Coates streets.
 69 Fifth street and Washington avenue.
 71 American and Berks streets.
 72 Twenty-first and Ellsworth streets—Engine No. 24.
 73 Richmond and Norris streets.
 74 Richmond street and Lehigh avenue.
 75 Fifth and Morris streets.
 76 Falls of Schuylkill—Dobson's Mill.
 78 Front and Berks streets.
 81 Fifth street and Girard avenue.
 82 Eighth street and Girard avenue.
 83 Fifth and Commerce streets.
 84 Broad street and Girard avenue.
 85 Ridge and Girard avenues.
 86 Twenty-sixth street and Girard avenue—Depot.
 87 Broad street and Germantown avenue.
 89 Ridge and Columbia avenues—Depot.
 92 Tenth and Coates streets.
 93 Twenty-fourth and Coates streets—Depot.
 94 Third and Evelina streets—Engine No. 22.
 95 Tenth street and Montgomery avenue—Depot.
 96 Forty-first and Haverford streets—Depot.
 123 Twentieth and Fitzwater streets—Station House.
 124 Point Breeze Gas Works.
 125 Second and Christian streets—Station House.</p> |
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- 126 Jefferson street, above Twentieth—Station House.
- 127 Third and Union streets—Station House.
- 128 Fifth street, above Race—Station House.
- 129 Fifth and North streets—Fire Association
- 131 Eleventh and Vinestreeets—Station House
- 132 Twenty-second and Spruce sts.—Depot.
- 134 Fifteenth and Locust sts.—Station House.
- 135 Broad street and Susquehanna avenue—Station House.
- 136 Fifteenth and Filbert sts.—Station House.
- 137 St. John and Green sts.—Station House.
- 138 Chestnut street wharf, Schuylkill—Harbor Police Station.
- 139 Girard avenue and Vienna street.
- 141 Hamilton street, below Eleventh street—Engine No. 26.
- 142 Eighth and Lombard sts.—Station House.
- 143 Thirteenth and Spring Garden streets—Station House.
- 145 Twenty-third and Brown streets—Station House.
- 146 Twenty-fifth and Callowhill streets—Gas Works.
- 147 Front and Master streets—Station House.
- 148 Front and Noble streets—Station House.
- 149 Buttonwood street, above Tenth—Station House.
- 151 Falls of Schnylkill Bridge.
- 152 Tenth and Thompson sts.—Station House
- 153 Trenton avenue and Dauphin street—Station House.
- 154 Roxborough Station House.
- 156 Manayunk Station House.
- 157 Germantown Station House.
- 158 Chestnut Hill Station House.
- 162 Frankford Station House.
- 163 Thirty-seventh street and Darby road—Station House.
- 164 Twelfth and Cherry streets—Fire Department Headquarters.
- 165 Taylor street—Station House.
- 167 Clearfield and West sts.—Station House.
- 168 Thirty-ninth street and Lancaster avenue—Station House.
- 172 Thompson and Ash sts.—Depot, Bridesburgh.
- 173 Richmond and Bridge sts.—Bridesburgh.
- 174 Trenton av. and Bridgest.—Bridesburgh.
- 175 Orthodox street and Trenton avenue—Bridesburgh.
- 176 Fifteenth and Brown sts.—Engine No. 13.
- 182 Seventeenth and Pine streets.
- 183 Twentieth and Oxford sts.—Engine No. 27
- 184 Twenty-third and Walnut streets.
- 185 Hancock and Oxford streets.
- 186 Twenty-third and Filbert streets.
- 212 Seventh and Tasker streets.
- 216 Eleventh and Lombard streets—Engine No. 11.
- 217 Twentieth and Lombard sts.—Truck E.
- 218 Nineteenth and South sts.—Engine No. 1.
- 219 Second and Pine streets—Engine No. 26.
- 223 Seventh street—Gas Office.
- 225 Second and Queen streets—Engine No. 3.
- 226 Seventeenth and Sansom streets—Engine No. 4.
- 227 Broad and Race streets—Engine No. 17.
- 228 Eighth and Race streets.
- 231 Second and Race streets—Engine No. 8.
- 232 Twenty-fourth and Spring Garden streets.
- 234 Fourth and Wood streets—Truck B.
- 235 Poplar street wharf, Delaware.
- 236 Ridge avenue and Vine street.
- 237 Twenty-third and Callowhill streets.
- 238 Twenty-second street and Pennsylvania avenue.
- 239 Twenty-second and Coates sts.—Truck A.
- 241 New Market and Coates streets—Engine No. 21.
- 242 Girard and Germantown avenues.
- 243 Girard avenue and Front street.
- 245 Frankford road and Allen street—Engine No. 6.
- 246 Allegheny avenue and Richmond street.
- 247 Sixth and Diamond streets—Depot.
- 248 Ninth and Parrish streets.
- 249 Thirteenth and Oxford streets—Engine No. 2.
- 251 Main and Wister sts., Germantown—Mill.
- 252 Main street and Walnut lane, Germantown—Mill.
- 253 Locust and Chew streets, Germantown.
- 254 Mill street, Germantown—Factory.
- 255 Mill street, Germantown—Mill.
- 256 Roxborough—Engine B.
- 257 Pulp Mill, Manayunk.
- 261 Wister st. and Godfrey av., Germantown.
- 262 Chestnut Hill—Station House.
- 263 Main and Armat streets, Germantown—Engine No. 19.
- 264 Main and Franklin streets, Germantown—Engine No. 9.
- 265 Main and Green streets, Manayunk—Engine No. 12.
- 267 Main street, Frankford—Engine No. 14.
- 268 Main and Church streets, Frankford—Engine No. 7.
- 271 Forty-second and Chestnut streets—Depot.
- 272 Thirty-first and Chestnut streets—Depot.

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| <p>273 Thirty-first and Thompson streets.</p> <p>274 Thirty-seventh and Market streets—Engine No. 5.</p> <p>276 Hestonville—Engine No. 16.</p> <p>281 Cumberland street and Kensington avenue—Depot.</p> <p>282 Frankford road and Lehigh avenue—Depot.</p> <p>283 Norris street and Germantown avenue—Engine No. 23.</p> <p>284 Sixth and Master streets.</p> <p>312 Thirty-second and Walnut streets.</p> <p>313 Thirty-eighth street and Darby road.</p> <p>314 Forty-second street and Darby road.</p> <p>315 Darby and Gray's Ferry roads—Depot.</p> <p>316 Darby road and Gray's lane.</p> <p>317 Darby road and Blue Bell Toll Gate.</p> <p>321 Forty-eighth and Market streets.</p> <p>323 Walnut street wharf, Delaware.</p> <p>324 Front and Almond streets.</p> <p>325 Navy Yard.</p> | <p>326 Ninth and Mifflin streets.</p> <p>327 Passyunk road and Mifflin street.</p> <p>328 Sixty-sixth street and Haverford road.</p> <p>341 Gray's lane and Market street.</p> <p>342 Seventeenth st. and Washington avenue.</p> <p>343 Sixteenth and Fitzwater streets.</p> <p>345 Twentieth and Tioga streets.</p> <p>346 Gray's lane and Lombard street.</p> <p>347 Gray's lane and Baltimore avenue.</p> <p>348 Gray's lane and Vine street.</p> <p>351 Manheim and Wayne sts., Germantown.</p> <p>352 Ridge avenue and Wissahickon.</p> <p>353 Forty-third and Market streets.</p> <p>354 Mount Airy.</p> <p>356 Thirty-sixth and Haverford streets.</p> <p>357 Darby road and Fortieth street.</p> <p>358 Episcopal Hospital, Front street and Lehigh avenue.</p> <p>361 Kensington avenue, above Front street—Engine No. 25.</p> <p>842 General Alarm.</p> |
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List of the Number of Alarm Boxes, giving the Companies that respond.

Box	FIRST ALARM COMPANIES.		SECOND ALARM COMPANIES.		THIRD ALARM COMPANIES.	
1	3, 4, 8, 17, 20, 22,	B, D	1, 11, 21, 26,	E.....	6, 10, 13, 15,	A, C.
2	3, 4, 8, 17, 20, 22,	B, D	1, 11, 21, 26,	E.....	6, 10, 13, 15,	A, C.
3	3, 4, 8, 17, 20, 22,	B, D	1, 11, 21, 26,	E.....	6, 10, 13, 15,	A, C.
4	1, 3, 8, 10, 11, 22,	B, D	4, 17, 20, 21,	E.....	6, 13, 24, 26,	A, C.
5	3, 10, 11, 22, 24,	D, E	1, 4, 8, 20,	B.....	3, 17, 21, 26,	A, C.
6	1, 3, 10, 11, 24,	D, E	4, 8, 20, 22,	B.....	17, 18, 21, 26,	A, C.
7	1, 3, 10, 11, 20, 24,	D, E	4, 8, 17, 22,	B.....	13, 18, 21, 26,	A, C.
8	4, 11, 13, 17, 20, 26,	A, B	1, 8, 18, 22,	E.....	2, 3, 6, 21,	C, D.
9	1, 4, 10, 11, 17, 24,	D, E	3, 13, 18, 20,	A.....	2, 8, 22, 26,	B, C.
12	1, 3, 10, 11, 20, 22,	D, E	4, 8, 17, 24,	B.....	13, 18, 21, 26,	A, C.
13	1, 3, 4, 11, 20, 22,	D, E	8, 10, 17, 26,	B.....	2, 13, 18, 24,	A, C.
14	4, 11, 17, 20, 22, 26,	D, E	1, 3, 8, 13,	B.....	2, 10, 18, 21,	A, C.
15	1, 3, 4, 10, 11, 20,	D, E	17, 22, 24, 26,	B.....	8, 13, 18, 21,	A, C.
16	1, 4, 11, 17, 18, 24,	A, E	3, 10, 13, 20,	D.....	2, 8, 22, 26,	B, C.
17	1, 4, 11, 24,	A, E	3, 5, 10, 17, 18,	D.....	13, 20, 26, 27,	B, C.
18	1, 4, 11, 17, 18, 24,	A, E	5, 13, 20, 22,	D.....	2, 3, 10, 26,	B, C.
19	3, 10, 11, 22, 24,	D, E	1, 4, 8, 20,	B.....	17, 18, 21, 26,	A, C.
21	2, 6, 15, 21, 23, 25,	B, C	8, 13, 26, 27,	A.....	7, 17, 18, 20,	D, E.
23	4, 8, 11, 17, 20, 22, 26,	B, D	1, 3, 13, 18,	A, E.....	10, 21, 24, 27,	C.
24	6, 8, 13, 15, 21, 26,	B, C	2, 18, 20, 23,	A.....	17, 22, 25, 27,	D, E.
25	8, 13, 17, 20, 22, 26,	B, D	3, 4, 11, 21,	A.....	1, 2, 10, 18,	C, E.

List of the Number of Alarm Boxes, &c.—Continued.

BOX	FIRST ALARM COMPANIES.		SECOND ALARM COMPANIES.		THIRD ALARM COMPANIES.	
26	4, 11, 13, 17, 20, 26,	B, D	1, 8, 18, 22,	A.	2, 3, 10, 21,	C, E.
27	1, 4, 11, 13, 17, 20,	A, E	18, 22, 24, 26,	B, D.	2, 3, 8, 10,	C
28	1, 3, 10, 11, 20,	D, E	4, 17, 22, 24,	B.	8, 13, 18, 26,	A, C.
29	1, 3, 4, 11, 20, 22,	D, E	8, 10, 17, 26,	B.	13, 18, 21, 24,	A, C.
31	1, 4, 13, 17, 18, 20,	A, E	5, 11, 24, 26,	B.	2, 8, 22, 27,	C, D.
32	1, 4, 13, 17, 18, 20,	A, E	5, 11, 24, 26,	B.	2, 8, 22, 26,	C, D.
34	1, 4, 13, 17, 18, 20,	A, E	5, 11, 24, 26,	B.	2, 8, 22, 26,	C, D.
35	1, 4, 13, 17, 18, 26,	A, E	2, 20, 24, 27,	B.	5, 8, 11, 21,	C, D.
36	4, 13, 17, 18, 20, 26,	A, E	1, 2, 11, 27,	B.	8, 21, 23, 24,	C, D.
37	2, 13, 17, 18, 26, 27,	A, B	4, 20, 21, 23,	E.	1, 6, 8, 11,	C, D.
38	2, 13, 17, 18, 26, 27,		1, 4, 20, 21,	B.	6, 11, 23, 24,	C, D.
39	2, 13, 17, 18, 20, 26,	A, B	4, 11, 21, 27,	E.	1, 6, 8, 23,	C, D.
41	3, 8, 17, 20, 21, 22, 26,	B, D	1, 4, 6, 11,	E.	10, 13, 15, 23,	A, C.
42	3, 8, 17, 20, 21, 22, 26,	B, D	1, 4, 6, 11,	E.	10, 13, 15, 23,	A, C.
43	6, 8, 20, 21, 22, 26,	B, D	3, 13, 15, 17,	A.	4, 11, 18, 23,	C, E.
45	6, 8, 20, 21, 22, 26,	B, D	3, 13, 15, 17,	A.	4, 11, 18, 23,	C, E.
46	6, 7, 15, 21, 23, 25,	B, C	2, 13, 26, 27,	A.	3, 8, 17, 18,	D, E.
47	1, 4, 5, 10, 11, 24,	A, E	3, 13, 17, 18,	D.	20, 22, 26, 27,	B, C.
48	1, 4, 5, 16, 17, 18,	A, E	11, 13, 20, 24,	B.	2, 22, 26, 27,	C, D.
49	2, 6, 15, 21, 23, 25,	B, C	8, 13, 18, 26,	A.	7, 17, 20, 27,	D, E.
51	8, 13, 17, 20, 21, 26,	A, B	6, 15, 18, 23,	D.	2, 4, 11, 25,	C, E.
52	8, 13, 17, 20, 21, 26,	A, B	6, 15, 18, 23,	D.	2, 4, 11, 25,	C, E.
53	13, 17, 18, 20, 21, 26,	A, B	2, 6, 8, 15,	C.	4, 11, 23, 27,	D, E.
64	1, 3, 10, 11, 20, 24,	D, E	4, 13, 17, 26,	B.	2, 8, 18, 22,	A, C.
56	13, 17, 18, 20, 21, 26,	A, E	2, 4, 8, 11,	E.	1, 6, 22, 27,	C, D.
57	2, 13, 17, 18, 20, 26,	A, B	4, 11, 21, 27,	E.	1, 6, 8, 23,	C, D.
68	2, 13, 18, 23, 26, 27,	A, E	4, 6, 17, 21,	C.	1, 11, 15, 20,	B, D.
59	2, 13, 17, 18, 21, 26,	A, B	4, 6, 11, 20,	C.	8, 15, 23, 27,	D, E.
61	6, 13, 15, 21, 23, 26,	B, C	2, 8, 25, 27,	A.	17, 18, 20, 22,	D, E.
62	6, 13, 15, 21, 23, 26,	B, C	2, 8, 25, 27,	A.	17, 18, 20, 22,	D, E.

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Box	FIRST ALARM COMPANIES.		SECOND ALARM COMPANIES.		THIRD ALARM COMPANIES.	
63	3, 10, 11, 24,	D, E	1, 4, 17, 20,	B	13, 18, 22, 26,	A, C.
64	2, 6, 15, 21, 23, 25,	B, C	7, 13, 18, 26,	A	8, 17, 20, 27,	D, E.
65	3, 8, 17, 20, 21, 22, 26,	B, D	4, 6, 11, 13,	A, C.....	1, 10, 15, 23,	E.
67	2, 13, 17, 18, 20, 26,	A, B	4, 11, 21, 27,	E.....	1, 6, 8, 23,	C, D.
68	6, 13, 15, 21, 23, 26,	A, B	2, 8, 17, 20,	C.....	4, 11, 18, 27,	D, E.
69	1, 3, 10, 11, 20, 24,	D, E	4, 8, 17, 22,	B.....	13, 18, 21, 26,	A, C.
71	6, 7, 15, 21, 23, 25,	B, C	2, 13, 26, 27,	A.....	8, 17, 18, 20,	D, E.
72	1, 4, 10, 11, 17, 24,	A, E	3, 13, 18, 20,	D.....	5, 22, 26, 27,	B, C.
73	6, 7, 15, 21, 23, 25,	B, C	2, 13, 26, 27,	A.....	8, 17, 18, 20,	D, E.
74	6, 7, 15, 21, 23, 25,	B, C	2, 13, 26, 27,	A.....	8, 14, 18,	D, E.
75	1, 3, 10, 11, 20, 24,	D, E	4, 8, 17, 22,	B.....	13, 18, 21, 26,	A, C.
76	12, 13, 16, 19, 27,	A.....	2, 9, 18, 26,	C.....	6, 15, 23,	E.
78	2, 6, 15, 21, 23, 25,	B, C	7, 13, 18, 26,	A.....	8, 17, 20, 27,	D, E.
81	2, 6, 13, 15, 21, 23,	B, C	8, 18, 25, 26,	A.....	11, 17, 20, 27,	D, E.
82	2, 6, 13, 21, 23, 26,	A, B	8, 15, 18, 20,	C.....	4, 11, 17, 27,	D, E.
83	3, 8, 17, 20, 21, 22, 26,	B, D	4, 6, 11, 13,	A.....	1, 10, 18, 23,	C, E.
84	2, 13, 18, 26, 27,	A, B	4, 6, 17, 23,	C.....	11, 20, 21, 25,	D, E.
85	2, 13, 17, 18, 26, 27,	A, B	4, 6, 20, 21,	E.....	11, 15, 23, 25,	C, D.
86	2, 13, 16, 18, 27,	A.....	4, 17, 21, 26,	E.....	6, 15, 20, 23,	B.
87	2, 13, 19, 23, 27,	A, C	6, 15, 18, 25,	B.....	4, 9, 17, 26,	D, E.
89	2, 13, 17, 18, 26, 27,	A, E	4, 6, 20, 21,	B.....	11, 15, 23, 25,	C, D.
92	2, 13, 17, 20, 21, 26,	A, B	4, 6, 8, 18,	C.....	11, 15, 23, 27,	D, E.
93	2, 4, 13, 18, 26, 27,	A, E	1, 17, 20, 21,	B.....	5, 11, 23, 24,	C, D.
94	3, 4, 8, 11, 20, 22,	B, D	1, 17, 21, 26,	E.....	6, 10, 13, 18,	A, C.
95	2, 13, 15, 23, 26, 27,	A, C	6, 2, 21, 25,	B.....	8, 11, 17, 18,	D, E.
96	4, 5, 16, 18,	A.....	1, 13, 17, 26,	E.....	11, 20, 23, 27,	B, C.
123	1, 4, 10, 11, 17, 24,	A, E	3, 5, 18, 20,	D.....	13, 22, 26, 27,	B, C.
124	1, 10, 24,	E.....	4, 11,	A.	5, 17,	
125	1, 3, 10, 11, 22,	B, D	4, 8, 20, 24,	E.....	13, 17, 21, 26,	A, C.
126	2, 13, 17, 18, 26, 27,	A, E	4, 6, 20, 21,	B.....	11, 15, 23, 25,	C, D.

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Box	FIRST ALARM COMPANIES.		SECOND ALARM COMPANIES.		THIRD ALARM COMPANIES.	
127	3, 4, 8, 11, 20, 22,	B, D	1, 17, 21, 26,	E.....	6, 10, 13, 18,	A, C.
128	8, 17, 20, 21, 22, 26,	B, D	3, 4, 11, 13,	A.	1, 6, 18, 23,	C, E.
129	3, 8, 17, 20, 21, 22, 26,	B, D	4, 6, 11, 13,	A.....	1, 10, 18, 23,	C, E.
131	13, 17, 20, 26,	A, B	4, 8, 11, 18,	E.....	1, 2, 3, 21,	C, D.
132	1, 4, 5, 11, 18, 24,	A, E	3, 10, 17, 20,	D	13, 22, 26, 27,	B, C.
134	1, 4, 11, 13, 17, 20,	A, E	18, 22, 24, 26,	B	2, 3, 8, 10,	C, D.
135	2, 13, 19, 23, 27,	A....	6, 15, 18, 25,	C.	4, 9, 17, 26,	B.
136	4, 13, 17, 18, 20, 26,	A, E	1, 11, 22, 24,	B.....	2, 3, 8, 10,	C, D.
137	6, 8, 13, 15, 21, 26,	B, C	2, 18, 20, 23,	A	17, 22, 25, 27,	D, E.
138	1, 4, 5, 17, 18, 24,	A, E	11, 13, 20, 22,	B.....	2, 3, 10, 26,	C, D.
139	6, 7, 15, 21, 23, 25,	B, C	2, 13, 26, 27,	A.....	8, 17, 18, 20,	D, E.
141	13, 17, 18, 20, 21, 26,	A, B	2, 43, 8, 11,	E.	1, 6, 22, 27,	C, D.
142	1, 3, 10, 11, 20,	D, E	4, 17, 22, 24,	B.....	8, 13, 18, 26,	A, C.
143	2, 13, 17, 18, 20, 26,	A, B	4, 11, 21, 27,	E	1, 6, 8, 23,	C, D.
145	2, 4, 13, 18, 26, 27,	A, E	1, 17, 20, 21,	B.....	5, 11, 23, 24,	C, D.
146	4, 13, 17, 18, 26, 27,	A, E	1, 2, 5, 20,	B.....	11, 16, 21, 24,	C, D.
147	2, 6, 15, 21, 23, 25,	B, C	8, 13, 26, 27,	A.....	7, 17, 18, 20,	D, E.
148	6, 8, 20, 21, 22, 26,	B, D	3, 13, 15, 17,	A.....	4, 18, 23, 25,	C, E.
149	13, 17, 18, 20, 21, 26,	A, B	2, 4, 8, 11,	E.....	1, 6, 22, 27,	C, D.
151	12, 13, 16, 19, 27,	A,	2, 9, 18, 26,	C.	6, 15, 23,	B.
152	2, 6, 13, 21, 23, 26,	A, B	15, 18, 20, 27,	C.....	4, 8, 11, 17,	D, E.
153	6, 7, 15, 21, 23, 25,	B, C	2, 13, 26, 27,	A.....	8, 17, 18, 20,	D, E.
154	12, Hand Engine B	G	9.....	.....	19,	
156	12, 16, 19, 27,	G.....	2, 9, 13, 23,	A.....	6, 15, 18,	C.
157	9, 19, 23,	F.....	2, 12, 27,	C.....	13, 14,	A.
158	9, Hand Engine A.....		19,	F.....	12, 23.	
162	7, 14, 25.	H.....	6, 15, 23,	C.....	19, 21,	B.
163	1, 4, 5, 16, 17, 18,	A, E	11, 13, 20, 24,	B.....	2, 22, 26, 27,	C, D.
164	4, 11, 13, 17, 20, 26,	A, B	1, 8, 18, 21,	E.....	2, 3, 6, 22,	C, D.
165	1, 3, 10, 11, 24,	D, E	4, 17, 20, 22,	B.....	8, 13, 18, 26,	A, C.

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Box	FIRST ALARM COMPANIES.		SECOND ALARM COMPANIES.		THIRD ALARM COMPANIES.	
167	6, 7, 15, 21, 23, 25,	C.....	2, 13, 26, 27,	B.....	8, 14, 17,	A.
168	4, 5, 16, 18,	A.....	1, 3, 17, 24,	E.....	2, 20, 26, 27,	B.
172	6, 7, 15, 21, 23, 25,	B, C	2, 13, 26, 27,	A.....	8, 17, 18, 20,	D, E.
173	7, 14, 25,	C.....	15, 23,	B.....	6, 21,	A.
174	7, 14, 25,	C.....	15, 23,	B.....	6, 21,	A.
175	7, 14, 25,	C.....	15, 23,	B.....	6, 21,	A.
176	2, 13, 17, 18, 26, 27,	A, B	4, 20, 21, 23,	E.....	1, 6, 8, 11,	C, D.
182	1, 4, 11, 17, 18, 24,	A, E	10, 13, 20, 26,	D.....	2, 3, 22, 27,	B, C.
183	2, 13, 18, 26, 27,	A, E	4, 5, 17, 23,	C.....	6, 11, 20, 21,	B.
184	1, 4, 5, 17, 18, 24,	A, E	11, 13, 20, 26,	B.....	2, 3, 10, 22,	C, D.
185	2, 6, 15, 21, 23, 25,	B, C	8, 13, 18, 26,	A.....	7, 17, 20, 27,	D, E.
186	1, 4, 5, 17, 18, 20,	A, E	11, 13, 24, 26,	B.....	2, 8, 22, 27,	C, D.
212	1, 3, 10, 11, 20, 24,	D, E	4, 17, 22, 26,	B.....	8, 13, 18, 21,	A, C.
216	1, 3, 4, 11, 17, 20,	D, E	10, 22, 24, 26,	A.....	8, 13, 18, 21,	B, C.
217	1, 4, 11, 17, 18, 24,	A, E	5, 10, 20, 26,	D.....	3, 13, 22, 27,	B, C.
218	1, 4, 11, 17, 18, 24,	A, E	5, 10, 20, 26,	D.....	3, 13, 22, 27,	B, C.
219	1, 3, 8, 10, 11, 22,	B, D	4, 17, 20, 21,	E.....	6, 13, 24, 26,	A, C.
223	4, 8, 11, 17, 20, 22, 26,	B, D	1, 3, 13, 21,	A.....	10, 18, 24, 27,	C, E.
225	1, 3, 8, 10, 11, 22,	B, D	4, 17, 20, 21,	E.....	6, 13, 24, 26,	A, C.
226	1, 4, 11, 17, 18, 20,	A, E	13, 22, 24, 26,	B.....	3, 5, 8, 10,	C, D.
227	4, 13, 17, 18, 20, 23,	A, B	1, 2, 8, 11,	E.....	8, 21, 24, 27,	C, D.
228	8, 11, 13, 17, 20, 26,	A, B	4, 18, 21, 22,	D.....	1, 2, 3, 6,	C, E.
231	3, 8, 17, 20, 22, 26,	B, D	4, 6, 11, 13,	A.....	1, 10, 18, 23,	C, E.
232	4, 13, 17, 18, 26, 27,	A, E	1, 2, 5, 20,	B.....	11, 16, 21, 24,	C, D.
234	8, 17, 20, 21, 22, 26,	B, D	3, 6, 11, 13,	A.....	2, 4, 8, 23,	C, E.
235	6, 8, 13, 15, 21, 23,	B, C	2, 20, 25, 26,	A.....	17, 18, 22, 27,	D, E.
236	8, 13, 17, 18, 20, 26,	A, B	2, 4, 11, 21,	D.....	1, 6, 22, 27,	C, E.
237	4, 13, 17, 18, 26, 27,	A, E	1, 2, 5, 20,	B.....	11, 16, 21, 24,	C, D.
238	4, 13, 18, 26, 27,	A, E	1, 2, 5, 20,	B.....	11, 16, 21, 24,	C, D.
239	2, 4, 13, 18, 26, 27,	A, E	1, 17, 20, 21,	B.....	5, 11, 23, 24,	C, D.

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Box	FIRST ALARM COMPANIES.		SECOND ALARM COMPANIES.		THIRD ALARM COMPANIES.	
241	6, 8, 13, 15, 21, 26,	B, C	2, 20, 23, 25,	A.....	17, 18, 22, 27,	D, E.
242	2, 6, 15, 21, 23, 25,	B, C	8, 13, 18, 26,	A.....	17, 20, 22, 27,	D, E.
243	2, 6, 15, 21, 23, 25,	B, C	8, 13, 18, 26,	A.....	17, 20, 22, 27,	D, E.
245	2, 6, 15, 21, 23, 25,	B, C	8, 13, 18, 26,	A.....	17, 20, 22, 27,	D, E.
246	6, 7, 15, 21, 23, 25,	C....	2, 13, 26, 27,	B.....	8, 14, 17, 18,	A.
247	2, 6, 15, 21, 23, 25,	B, C	7, 13, 26, 27,	A.....	8, 17, 18, 20,	D, E.
248	2, 13, 17, 20, 21, 26,	A, B	6, 8, 18, 23,	C... ..	4, 11, 15, 27,	D, E.
249	2, 13, 18, 23, 27,	A, C	15, 17, 21, 26,	B.....	4, 6, 20, 25,	D, E.
251	9, 19, 23,	F....	2, 12, 27,	A.....	13, 14,	C.
252	9, 19, 23,	F.....	2, 12, 27,	A.....	13, 14,	C.
253	9, 19, 23,	F.....	2, 12, 27,	A.....	13, 14,	C.
254	9, 19, 23,	F.....	2, 12, 27,	A.....	13, 14,	C.
255	9, 19, 23,	F.....	2, 12, 27,	A.....	13, 14,	C.
256	12, Hand Engine B	G.....	9.....		19.	
257	12, 16, 19, 27,	G.....	2, 9,	A.....	13,	C.
261	9, 19, 23,	F.....	2, 12, 27,	A.....	13, 14,	C.
262	9, Hand Engine A.....		19	F.....	23.	
263	9, 19, 23,	F.....	2, 12, 27,	A.....	13, 14,	C.
264	9, 19, 23,	F.....	2, 12, 27,	A.....	13, 14,	C.
265	12, 16, 19, 27,	G.....	2, 9,	A.....	13.	
267	7, 14, 25,	H.....	6, 15, 23,	C.....	19, 21,	B.
268	7, 14, 25,	H.....	6, 15, 23,	C.....	19, 21,	B.
271	4, 5, 16,	E.....	1, 11, 17, 18,	A.....	13, 20, 24,	B.
272	1, 4, 5, 16, 17, 18,	A, E	11, 13, 20, 24,	B.....	2, 22, 26, 27,	C, D.
273	2, 13, 16, 18, 27,	A....	4, 17, 21, 26,	E.....	6, 15, 20, 23,	B.
274	1, 4, 5, 16, 17,	A, E	11, 13, 18, 24,	B.....	10, 20, 26, 27,	C, D.
276	4, 5, 16, 18,	A.....	1, 13, 17,	E.....	2, 20, 26, 27,	B.
281	6, 7, 15, 21, 23, 25,	B, C	2, 13, 26, 27,	A.....	8, 17, 18, 20,	D, E.
282	6, 7, 15, 21, 23, 25,	B, C	2, 8, 13, 27,	A.....	17, 18, 20, 26,	D, E.
283	2, 6, 15, 21, 23, 25,	B, C	7, 13, 26, 27,	A.....	8, 17, 18, 20,	D, E.

List of the Number of Alarm Boxes, &c.—Continued.

Box	FIRST ALARM COMPANIES.		SECOND ALARM COMPANIES.		THIRD ALARM COMPANIES.	
284	2, 6, 13, 15, 21, 23,	B, C	18, 25, 26, 27,	A.....	8, 11, 17, 20,	D, E.
312	1, 4, 5, 16, 17, 18,	A, E	11, 13, 20, 24,	B.....	2, 8, 26, 27,	C, D.
313	4, 5, 16,	E....	1, 11, 17, 18,	A.....	13, 20, 24, 26,	B, D.
314	4, 5, 16,	E....	1, 11, 17, 18,	A.....	13, 20, 24, 26,	B, D.
315	4, 5, 16,	E....	1, 11, 17, 18,	A.....	13, 20, 24, 26,	B, D.
316	4, 5, 16,	E....	1, 11, 17, 18,	A.....	13, 20, 24, 26,	B, D.
317	4, 5, 16,	E....	1, 11, 17, 18,	A.....	13, 20, 24, 26,	B, D.
321	4, 5, 16,	E....	1, 11, 17, 18,	A.....	13, 20, 24, 26,	B, D.
323	3, 4, 8, 20, 22, 26,	B, D	1, 11, 17, 21,	E.....	6, 10, 13, 18,	A, C.
324	1, 3, 8, 10, 11, 22,	D, E	4, 17, 20, 21,	B.....	6, 13, 24, 26,	A, C.
325	3, 10, 11, 22, 24,	D, E	1, 4, 8, 20,	B.....	13, 17, 21, 26,	A, C.
326	1, 3, 10, 11, 24,	D, E	4, 17, 20, 22,	B.....	8, 13, 18, 26,	A, C.
327	1, 10, 11, 24,	D, E	3, 4, 17, 20,	A.....	18, 18, 22, 26,	A, C.
328	5, 6,	A....	4, 18,	E.....	13, 17,	B.
341	4, 5, 16,	E....	1, 11, 17, 18,	A.....	13, 20, 24, 26,	B.
342	1, 4, 10, 11, 17, 24,	A, E	3, 13, 18, 20,	D.....	5, 22, 26, 27,	B, C.
343	1, 4, 11, 17, 18, 24,	A, E	3, 10, 13, 20,	D....	2, 22, 26, 27,	B, C.
345	2, 19, 23, 27,	A....	13, 18, 25,	C.....	6, 9, 15,	B.
346	4, 5, 16,	E....	1, 11, 17, 18,	A.....	13, 20, 24, 26,	B.
347	4, 5, 16,	E....	1, 11, 17, 18,	A.....	13, 20, 24, 26,	B.
348	4, 5, 16,	A....	1, 11, 17, 18,	E.....	13, 20, 24, 26,	B.
351	9, 19, 23,	F....	2, 12, 27,	A.....	13, 14,	C.
352	12, 16, 19, 27,	G....	2, 9,	A.....	13,	
353	4, 5, 16,	E....	1, 11, 17, 18,	A.....	13, 20, 24, 26,	B.
354	9, Hand Engine A.....		19,	F.....	23,	
356	4, 5, 16, 18,	A....	1, 13, 17, 24,	E.....	13, 20, 26, 27,	B.
357	4, 5, 16,	E....	1, 11, 17, 18,	A.....	13, 20, 24, 26,	B.
358	6, 7, 15, 21, 23, 25,	B, C	2, 13, 26, 27,	A.....	8, 17, 18, 20,	D, E.
361	6, 7, 15, 21, 23, 25,	B, C	2, 13, 26, 27,	A.....	8, 17, 18, 20,	D, E.

842 General Alarm.

APPENDIX No. 42.

To the President and Members of
Common Council of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the resolutions and petitions to pave Cambria, Oxford, Bolton, Redner, Turner, Somerset, Marshall, Dauphin, Girard avenue, Twenty-fifth and Boudinot streets, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	DANL. W. GILBERT,
AMOS M. SLACK,	JOHN BARDSLEY,
M. S. BONSALE,	DANIEL CURRIE,
S. A. MILLER,	H. MARCUS,
W. K. PARK,	A. ALBRIGHT,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	JOHN FOX,
JOHN A. MISKEY.	

January 28, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Cambria, Oxford, Bolton, Redner, Turner, Somerset, Marshall, Dauphin, Girard avenue, Twenty-fifth and Boudinot streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers, who shall be selected by a majority of the owners of property fronting on the following streets, for the paving thereof, viz.: Cambria street, from Germantown avenue to Broad street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, with rubble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed twenty hundred and twenty-three dollars and fifty cents; Oxford street, from Twenty-third street to Thirty-first street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, cost of intersections not to exceed twenty-six hundred and sixty-six dollars and twenty-five cents; Bolton street, from Twenty-third street to Twenty-fourth street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, cost of intersections not to exceed one hundred and forty dollars; Redner street from Twenty-third street to Twenty-fourth street, in the

Twenty-ninth Ward, cost of intersections not to exceed one hundred and one dollars and twenty-five cents; Turner street, from Twenty-third street to Twenty-fourth street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, cost of intersections not to exceed two hundred and twenty-one dollars and twenty-five cents; Somerset street, from Germantown avenue to Broad street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, with rubble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed fifteen hundred and thirty-seven dollars and fifty cents; Marshall street, from Huntingdon street to Lehigh avenue, in the Nineteenth Ward, cost of intersections not to exceed sixty-five dollars; Dauphin street, from Broad street to Sixteenth street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, with rubble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed thirteen hundred and thirty-nine dollars and fifty cents; Girard avenue, from Fifty-second street to Lancaster avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, with rubble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed thirteen hundred and twenty dollars; Twenty-fifth street, from Ridge avenue to Jefferson street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, cost of intersections not to exceed eleven hundred and seventy-one dollars and twenty-five cents; Boudinot street, from Cambria street to Indiana street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, with rubble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed four hundred and forty-four dollars.

APPENDIX No. 43.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select
and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the resolutions to grade Hancock and Oxford streets, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed bill, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	AMOS M. SLACK,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	S. A. MILLER,
DANIEL CURRIE,	M. S. BONSALE,
H. MARCUS,	W. K. PARK,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,	JOHN FOX,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	JOHN MONROE,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	GEORGE DORLAN.

January 31, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Hancock and Oxford streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, do ordain,* That the Department of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to have the following streets graded to the established grade of the City, viz.: Hancock street, from Berks street to Columbia avenue, in the Nineteenth Ward: *Provided,* The cost thereof shall not exceed nine hundred and seventy dollars, and that the Chief Commissioner of Highways first invite proposals for said grading; Oxford street, from Twenty-third street to Twenty-ninth street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, cost not to exceed thirty-six hundred and thirty-three dollars and fifty cents.

APPENDIX No. 44.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition to pave York street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed bill, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n,</i>	AMOS M. SLACK,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	M. S. BONSALE,
DANIEL CURRIE,	S. A. MILLER,
H. MARCUS,	H. McDOWELL,
W. K. PARK,	CHAS. THOMSON JONES,
ADAM ALBRIGHT,	JOHN FOX,
JOHN A. MISKEY.	

January 31, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of York street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, do ordain*, That the Department of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers, who shall be selected by a majority of the owners of property fronting on York street, from Broad street to Glenwood avenue, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, for the paving thereof with rubble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed thirty-five hundred and nineteen dollars. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said street, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said street in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 45.

To the Presidents and Members of Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance authorizing the grading of Grape street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W ELLWOOD ROWAN, *Ch'n*,
JOHN BARDSLEY,
DANIEL CURRIE,
S. A. MILLER,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,
ADAM ALBRIGHT,

AMOS M. SLACK,
M. S. BONSALE,
H. MARCUS,
H. McDOWELL,
W. K. PARK,
JOHN FOX,

JOHN A. MISKEY.

January 21, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Grape street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade Grape street from Thirty-eighth street to Thirty-ninth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, to the established grade of the City, the cost thereof not to exceed twenty-two hundred and fifty dollars.

APPENDIX N o. 46.

To the Presidents and Members of Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the resolution to authorize the paving of Knorr, Elizabeth and Gransback streets, respectfully report that we have examined the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed bill, and ask its adoption.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, *Ch'n*,
JOHN BARDSLEY,
DANIEL CURRIE,
H. MARCUS,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,
JOHN FOX,

AMOS M. SLACK,
SAML. A. MILLER,
M. S. BONSALE,
W. K. PARK,
A. ALBRIGHT,
JOHN A. MISKEY,

JOHN MONROE.

January 21, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Knorr, Elizabeth and Gransback streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers, who shall be selected by a majority of the owners of property fronting on the following streets, for the paving thereof, viz.:

Knorr street, from Fillmore street to Huntingdon street, in the Nineteenth Ward, with rubble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed twenty-five dollars and fifty cents; Elizabeth street, from Emerald street to Jasper street, in the Nineteenth Ward, with rubble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed fifty-two dollars and fifty cents; Gransback street, from Cambria street to Clearfield street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, with rubble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed seventy-eight dollars. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said street, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said streets in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 47.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the resolutions to pave Pine, Wyoming, Anthracite and Salmon streets, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed bill, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	AMOS M. SLACK,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	S. A. MILLER,
DANIEL CURRIE,	M. S. BONSALE,
H. MARCUS,	G. A. ENO,
H. McDOWELL,	W. K. PARK,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,	JOHN FOX,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	JOHN MONROE.

January 21, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Pine, Wyoming, Anthracite and Salmon streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter

into a contract with a competent paver or pavers, who shall be selected by a majority of the owners of property, fronting on the following streets, for the paving thereof, viz.: Pine street, from Thirty-fourth street to Woodland avenue, in the Twenty-seventh Ward, with rubble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed twenty-four hundred and ninety-three dollars; Wyoming street, from Ann street to Clearfield street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, with rubble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed sixty-three dollars and fifty cents; Anthracite street, from Almond street to Belgrade street, in the Eighteenth Ward, no cost for intersections; Salmon street, from Alleghany avenue to Westmoreland street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, no cost for intersections. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said streets, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said streets in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 48.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the resolution to amend a resolution entitled a “Resolution to authorize the opening of Somerset, Sixty-one-and-a-half, Sixty-two-and-a-half, Arch, Race and Crawford streets,” respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed bill, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	AMOS M. SLACK,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	S. A. MILLER,
DANIEL CURRIE,	M. S. BONSALE,
H. MARCUS,	W. K. PARK,
JOHN FOX,	JOHN A. MISKEY,
JOHN MONROE,	DANL. W. GILBERT,
GEORGE DORLAN.	

January 21, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To amend a resolution entitled a "Resolution authorizing the opening of Somerset, Sixty-one-and-a-half, Sixty-two-and-a-half, Arch, Race and Crawford streets."

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That so much of a resolution entitled a "Resolution to authorize the opening of Somerset, Sixty-one-and-a-half, Sixty-two-and-a-half, Arch, Race and Crawford streets," approved June 22d, A. D. 1874, as relates to Somerset street, be amended by striking out all that portion relative to a bond of indemnity.

APPENDIX No. 49.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance to repeal a portion of an Ordinance authorizing the construction of certain sewers, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed bill, and ask its adoption.

W. ELWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	AMOS M. SLACK,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	S. A. MILLER,
DANIEL CURRIE,	M. S. BONSALE,
H. MARCUS,	W. K. PARK,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,	A. ALBRIGHT,
JOHN FOX,	JOHN A. MISKEY,

JOHN MONROE.

January 21, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To repeal a portion of an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers on Cnyler, Twenty-sixth, Fortieth, Forty-first, Wright, Race, Filson, Foulkrod, Seventeenth and Wharton streets, and Elm and Girard avenues, and Master street."

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That so much of an Ordinance

entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers on Cuyler, Twenty-sixth, Fortieth, Forty-first, Wright, Race, Filson, Foulkrod, Seventeenth and Whar-ton streets, and Elm and Girard avenues, and Master street," approved November 17th, 1874, as relates to the construction of sewer on Wright street, be and the same is hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 50.

To the Presidents and Members of Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition to grade Franklin street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed bill, and asked its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	AMOS M. SLACK,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	S. A. MILLER,
DANIEL CURRIE,	M. S. BONSALE,
H. MARCUS,	H. McDOWELL,
GEO. A. ENO,	W. K. PARK,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	JOHN FOX,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	JOHN MONROE.

January 21, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Franklin street, in the Twenty-third Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade Franklin street, from Harrison street to Dyer street, in the Twenty-third Ward, to the established grade of the City, the cost thereof not to exceed two hundred and seventy-five dollars and fifty cents.

APPENDIX No. 51.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petitions and resolutions to pave Thirty-seventh, Aspen, Thirty-sixth, Clearfield and Eadline streets, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed bill, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, *Ch'n*,
JOHN BARDSLEY,
DANIEL CURRIE,
H. MARCUS,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,
JOHN A. MISKEY,
DANL. W. GILBERT,

AMOS M. SLACK,
S. A. MILLER,
M. S. BONSALE,
W. K. PARK,
JOHN FOX,
JOHN MONROE,
GEO. DORLAN.

January 21, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Thirty-seventh, Aspen, Thirty-sixth, Clearfield and Eadline streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers, who shall be selected by a majority of the owners of property fronting on the following streets, for the paving thereof, viz.: Aspen street, from Forty-eighth street to Fiftieth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, with rubble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed nine hundred and seventy-five dollars; Thirty-seventh street, from Atlanta avenue to Mantua avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, no cost for intersections; Thirty-sixth street, from Woodland avenue to Pine street, in the Twenty-seventh Ward, no cost for intersections; Clearfield street, from Frankford avenue to Kensington avenue, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, with rubble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed four hundred and seventy-one dollars; intersection of

Eadline street with Sewer street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, with rubble pavement; cost not to exceed one hundred and sixty-five dollars. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said streets, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said streets in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 52.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition to grade Tackawanna street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed bill, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	AMOS M. SLACK,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	S. A. MILLER,
DANIEL CURRIE,	M. S. BONSALE,
H. MARCUS,	W. K. PARK,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	JOHN FOX,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	JOHN MONROE,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	GEORGE DORLAN.

January 21, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Tackawanna street, in the Twenty-third Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade Tackawanna street, from Church street to Harrison street, in the Twenty-third Ward, to the established grade of the City, the cost thereof not to exceed thirty-six hundred and forty-one dollars and fifty cents.

APPENDIX No. 53.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petitions for opening Twenty-third, Media, Fifty-second and Forty-sixth streets, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed bill, and ask its adoption.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	AMOS M. SLACK,
GEORGE DORLAN,	M. S. BONSALE,
H. MARCUS,	JOHN BARDSLEY,
S. A. MILLER,	DANIEL CURRIE,
W. K. PARK,	JOHN FOX,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	JOHN A. MISKEY,
JOHN MONROE,	DANL. W. GILBERT.

January 21, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Twenty-third, Media, Fifty-second and Forty-sixth streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which the following streets will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice, said streets will be required for public use, viz.: Twenty-third street, from Ellsworth street to Reed street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward: *Provided*, The owners of property in the vicinity of said street shall file a satisfactory bond of indemnity with the City Solicitor, guaranteeing the City against any expense for said opening over and above one thousand dollars; Media street, from Conestoga street to Fifty-second street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward; Fifty-second street, from Girard avenue to Haverford avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward; Forty-sixth street, from Lancaster avenue to West-

minster avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward: *Provided*, The owners of property on the last three named streets first dedicate the same to the use of the City.

A P P E N D I X No. 54.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the resolution to amend a resolution entitled a “Resolution to pave the market plots on Lehigh avenue,” respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed bill, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch’n</i> ,	AMOS M. SLACK,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	S. A. MILLER,
DANIEL CURRIE,	M. S. BONSALE,
H. MARCUS,	W. K. PARK,
JOHN FOX,	JOHN A. MISKEY,
JOHN MONROE,	DANL. W. GILBERT,
GEORGE DORLAN.	

January 21, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To amend a resolution entitled a “Resolution to authorize the paving of market plots on Lehigh avenue,” passed December 30th, 1873.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That so much of a resolution entitled a “Resolution to authorize the paving of the market plots on Lehigh avenue,” passed December 30th, A. D. 1873, as relates to the payment for paving the intersections, be so amended as to read, cost of intersections not to exceed six hundred and forty-nine dollars and fifty cents.

APPENDIX No. 55.

RESOLUTION

To meet in Joint Convention to elect Heads of Departments.

Resolved by Common Council, That Select Council be invited to meet Common Council in Joint Convention, in Common Council chamber, on Thursday, February 11th, 1875, at four o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing a Chief Commissioner of Highways, Chief Engineer of the Water Works, and Commissioner of Markets and City Property.

APPENDIX No. 56.

OFFICE OF THE
CHIEF ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR,
PHILADELPHIA, *February 4, 1875.*

Hon. A. WILSON HENSZEY,
President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—I beg leave to report that a plan of the revision of lines and grades of that portion of the Twenty-fifth Ward embraced between William street and Alleghany avenue, and Bath street and the Delaware river, is now prepared, in pursuance of resolution of December 7th, 1874, for the consideration of Councils.

Very respectfully,
SAML. L. SMEDLEY,
Chief Engineer and Surveyor.

APPENDIX No. 57.

To the Presidents and Members of Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance to pay supervisors' salaries, respectfully report that we have examined and ap-

prove the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	P. H. KLOHSE,
GEORGE DORLAN,	AMOS M. SLACK,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	M. S. BONSALE,
WILLIAM McMULLIN,	W. K. PARK,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,	H. McDOWELL,
JOHN MONROE,	A. ALBRIGHT,
JOHN FOX,	JOHN A. MISKEY,

SAML. A. MILLER.

February 4, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing the Chief Commissioner of Highways to draw warrants in payment of salaries of the Supervisors of Highways.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to draw warrants out of Item 1 of the appropriation to the Department of Highways for the year 1875, for the payment of salaries of the Supervisors of the Department for the months of January and February, and the City Controller is hereby authorized to countersign said warrants: *Provided*, The amount so drawn shall be at the rate paid during the year 1874.

APPENDIX No. 58.

To the Common Council
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee appointed to try the matter of the petitions of certain citizens and voters of the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, on behalf of James McElroy and Richard Lloyd, contesting the right of B. Frank. Bonham to his seat as a member of Common Council from the said Ward, respectfully report that the Committee met on Friday, January 15th, 1875, at 3 o'clock P. M., in Common Council chamber, pursuant to the order of Common Council, and at said meeting organ-

ized by selecting William B. Collins, Chairman, John Eckstein, Clerk, and Gavin Neilson, Messenger. James McElroy, contestant, was present with William McCandless and E. Coppee Mitchell, Esquires, as his counsel; Richard Lloyd with J. Alexander Simpson, Esq., as his counsel, and B. Frank. Bonham, the sitting member, with William B. Mann, Esq., as his counsel. The Committee met from day to day (except Sunday) until the present. The Committee decided to try the petition on behalf of James McElroy first, on account of the allegations of fraud, when the counsel for James McElroy withdrew the allegations of fraud, and the two petitions were tried together on the question as to whether the Twenty-ninth Ward was entitled to two additional members of Common Council, as it was conceded by counsel for the respondent that if the said Ward was not entitled to two additional members, the tickets having two names for Common Councilmen, should have been thrown out and not counted as part of the poll. The Committee, therefore, issued an order to his Honor the Mayor and Recorder to produce the ballot boxes of the Twenty-ninth Ward, to ascertain how the vote stood for Common Councilman, counting those tickets only with one name on. The tickets with one name on were counted, and were as follow: B. Frank. Bonham, 208 votes; James Jenner, 123 votes; Richard Lloyd, 960 votes; James McElroy, 1,012 votes; James Watt, 3 votes; James McElroy having received the highest number of votes with one name on, the counsel for Richard Lloyd retired from the case, having contended that the completed canvassers' list of 1873, taken in August and September of that year, which contained 5,894 names, should be the list to determine the quota of the Ward. The Sheriff's proclamation was in evidence, calling for the election of one member of Common Council. The list made by the assessors in February, 1874, with 5,864 names was offered in evidence; also, the list of assessors made between the months of June and September of 1874, with 6,003 names.

The law on the subject is as follows:

The act of March 21st, 1861, section 6, provides: That each Ward of the City of Philadelphia shall have a member of Common Council for each two thousand of taxable

inhabitants that it shall contain, according to the list of taxables for the preceding year.

The act of April 16th, 1866, provides: That the true intent and meaning of the act of March 21st, 1861, shall be that the preceding year mentioned in the 6th section of said act shall be held and taken to be the year preceding the organization, and not the election, anything in the above recited section to the contrary notwithstanding.

The act of March 20th, 1872, and the last act provides: That, hereafter, each Ward of the City of Philadelphia shall have a member of Common Council for each two thousand names on the completed canvassers' list of the year the election is held for Common Councilman. The counsel for Mr. McElroy contended that the list of February, 1874, should determine the case. The counsel for respondent contended that the list made by the assessors between the months of June and September, 1874, having been made with more care, and at the time the completed canvassers' list was formerly made, should be taken to ascertain the quota of the Ward; it also corresponds with the act of April 16th, 1866, having been made preceding the organization, and not the election, and then to take the prior lists and put Mr. McElroy in, instead of Mr. Bonham, would be to place a minority member in office, and defeat the will of the majority. The list of February, 1874, was made in great haste, and is a very imperfect list, and should not be taken to determine this case. The Committee are of opinion that the lists made between the months of June and September of the year 1874 should be taken, which shows 6,003 names upon it, and that the tickets with two names upon them, should not be thrown out, and that B. Frank. Bonham received a plurality of the legal votes cast for Common Councilman, at the election held in February, 1874, and is, therefore, legally elected a member of Common Council from the Twenty-ninth Ward, for the term of two years, from the first Monday of January, 1875, and is, therefore, entitled to retain his seat.

WM. B. COLLINS, *Ch'n*, ALEXANDER RUSSELL,

OWEN F. KANEY, WM. WRIGHT,

P. H. KLOHSE, JOSEPH H. TATEM,

H. N. UHLER, M. D.

January 30, 1875.

APPENDIX No. 59.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Election Divisions respectfully report that they have considered certain Ordinances and resolutions to change and establish the places of holding elections in several Wards of the City, and submit the annexed Ordinance to authorize the changes and fixing of places, and recommend its passage.

AMOS M. SLACK, *Ch'n*,
SAML. WILLIAMSON,
ROBT. J. HANBY,
JOSEPH H. TATEM,
NATHAN SPERING,
A. ALBRIGHT,
G. A. ENO,

GEORGE WHITE,
JOS. CARTLEDGE,
E. H. HAYHURST,
P. H. KLOHSE,
THOMAS HILL,
JOHN FOX,
W. K. PARK.

February 4, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To change places of voting in several divisions of the Wards of the City.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the places of holding elections in the several divisions hereinafter named shall be changed and established, as follows: Third Ward, Third Division, changed to No. 766 South Front street; Fifth Ward, Eighth Division, changed to No. 213 Lodge street; Tenth Ward, Twentieth Division, changed to No. 118 North Tenth street; Nineteenth Ward, Forty-third Division, changed to the southeast corner of Orianna and York streets; Twenty-second Ward, Fifteenth Division, changed to No. 138 Centre street; Twenty-third Ward, Nineteenth Division, changed to the house of Rudolph Bollinger, Tacony; Twenty-sixth Ward, Eighth Division, changed to the southeast corner of Twenty-second and Webster streets; Twenty-ninth Ward, Tenth Division, changed to the northeast corner of Twenty-seventh street and Girard avenue; Eighteenth Division, changed to the southeast corner of Ridge and Columbia avenues; Twenty-

sixth Ward, Fourth Division, changed to the northwest corner of Twelfth and Federal streets; Eighteenth Ward, Eighth Division, located at the house of Mrs. Jones, No. 428 Wildey street; Fifteenth Ward, Twentieth Division, changed to No. 1703 Wylie street.

APPENDIX No. 60.

To the President and Members
of Common Council :

GENTLEMEN :—The undersigned respectfully represents, that at the February election, in the year 1874, he was voted for upon the same ticket for Common Council of the Twenty-ninth Ward, with B. Frank. Bonham, the sitting member; that the tickets had a large plurality over either of the other candidates, who were Richard Lloyd, James McElroy and James Watt, and although returned with the said large plurality, yet the Judges of the Court sitting as a return board, issued a certificate of election to the said B. Frank. Bonham only. The said B. Frank. Bonham, had by the return a few more votes than your petitioner. At the organization of Common Council, January 4th, 1875, the said B. Frank. Bonham was admitted on said certificate to a seat in Common Council, and your petitioner excluded, because he had no certificate, although his right to a seat was the same as the right of the said B. Frank. Bonham, he having been elected on the same ticket, and having a plurality over all others. Since said organization, the citizens of the Twenty-ninth Ward, on behalf of said Richard Lloyd and the said James McElroy, have presented petitions of contest, and a committee selected in accordance with law to investigate and try the contested election case of B. Frank. Bonham, a sitting member of this body from the Twenty-ninth Ward, and said committee, after hearing the case conducted by eminent counsel, have made their report, which is final, and they therein declare that the list of names to determine the quota of the Twenty-ninth Ward for Common Council, at said February election, 1874, is the list made by the assessors between the months of June and September, 1874, and that according to

said list, the said Ward was entitled to two additional Common Councilmen, said list having thereon 6,003 names, and that the tickets voted with the names B. Frank. Bonham and James Jenner thereon, were legal votes, they having no more names thereon than authorized by law. Now, your petitioner claims the same right to a seat in Common Council as the said B. Frank. Bonham, and according to said report, he has been legally elected to said body, and the people of said Twenty-ninth Ward have the right to be represented by your said petitioner in said body for a like term as the said B. Frank. Bonham, and requests that your honorable body may order and declare that your petitioner may be admitted to a seat in your honorable body, and his name placed upon the roll of members, and he will ever pray, &c., &c.

Most resp. yours,

JAMES JENNER,

2063 Ridge avenue.

APPENDIX No. 61.

RESOLUTION

To meet in Joint Convention to elect heads of departments and repeal a certain resolution.

Resolved by Common Council, That Select Council be invited to meet Common Council in Joint Convention, in Common Council chamber, on Thursday, February 18th, 1875, at 4 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing a Chief Commissioner of Highways, Chief Engineer of the Water Works, and Commissioner of Markets and City Property, and that the resolution entitled "Resolution to meet in Joint Convention to elect heads of departments, passed February 4th, 1875, be and the same is hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 62.

OFFICE OF THE CITY TREASURER,
PHILADELPHIA, *February 9, 1875.*

JOHN BARDSLEY, Esq.,

MY DEAR SIR:—Are you aware that in confiding the registration of *all* warrants to the Controller, you have given no authority to the treasurer to pay *interest* on such registration?

If you will look at the Ordinance, January 17th, 1868, you will observe that the treasurer is to *stamp* warrants which he cannot pay on first presentation, and that such stamped warrants are to bear interest until notice of payment is published.

Your Ordinance of December, 1874, needs amendment, as follows: *And, thereafter* (after January 1st, 1875), all warrants so registered, on which the words *for interest* shall appear, shall be payable with interest from the date of registration, until date of public notice, for payment of same shall be made by the City Treasurer in the manner heretofore provided by Ordinance of Councils relating to stamped warrants.

Very truly,
D. P. SOUTHWORTH.

APPENDIX No. 63.

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR,
PHILADELPHIA, *February 11, 1875.*

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—In reply to your resolution requesting to be informed when the South Street Bridge would probably be completed, I have the honor to inclose, by direction of the commissioner for the crection of said bridge, a com

munication from the executors of the late John W. Murphy to the Chief Engineer.

Very respectfully, yours,
JOHN K. FINDLAY,
President of South Street Bridge Commission.

PHILADELPHIA, *January 26, 1875.*

SAMUEL L. SMEDLEY, Esq.,
Chief Engineer and Surveyor:

DEAR SIR:—Your favor of the 25th inst. is at hand, in which you inform us that a resolution has been received from Councils asking the South Street Bridge Commissioners when the South Street Bridge will be completed ready for travel; and also, desiring information when with your (our) present arrangements the work will be done.

In reply, we would say, that we fully anticipate being able to finish all complete by June 1st prox., but shall use every exertion to have done prior to that time, if possible.

We would kindly urge upon you the necessity of having the grading done on the west approach beyond the retaining walls, in order that we may be able to set curb, flagging and pavement, at the earliest moment in spring, &c.

Respectfully, &c.,
(Signed,) F. W. GETZ,
For Executors, &c.

APPENDIX No. 64.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay damages caused by the opening of Robin street, in the Twenty-seventh Ward, and an Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay damages caused by the widening of Thirty-fourth street, from Market to Aspen street, in front of the property of David McClees,

and submit the annexed bill to make an appropriation to pay said damages, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
HENRY BUDD,
JNO. COCHRAN,
JAS. R. GATES,
O. HOWARD WILSON,
W. W. BURNELL,

WM. DIVINE,
H. MARCUS,
S. G. KING,
W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,
WM. BRADLY,
GEO. A. SMITH,
JOHN A. MISKEY.

February 11, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation to pay damages caused by the opening of Robin street, and the widening of Thirty-fourth street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of five thousand nine hundred and sixteen dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated out of Item 19 in an Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Law Department for the year 1875," approved December 28th, 1874, to pay the following awards, viz.: To Andrew C. Craig, guardian of the minor children of Joseph B. Craig, deceased, one thousand and forty dollars and seventy-five cents; to John B. Colahan, nine hundred and sixty dollars and seventy cents; to Mary T. Mustin, eight hundred and fifty-three dollars and forty-two cents; to Constance Wiltberger, two hundred and forty dollars and seventeen cents; to Theodore P. Wiltberger, two hundred dollars and fourteen cents; to William H. Woodward, eight hundred dollars and fifty-eight cents; to the West Philadelphia Industrial School, three hundred and twenty dollars and twenty-four cents, for the opening of Robin street, in the Twenty-seventh Ward, as confirmed by the Court of Quarter Sessions on the eleventh day of January, 1875. To David McClees, fifteen hundred dollars, for the widening of Thirty-fourth street, from Market to Aspen street, as confirmed by said court January 11th, 1874. And the warrants shall be drawn by the City Solicitor in favor of the above parties, or their attorneys of record, in accordance with existing Ordinances.

APPENDIX No. 65.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance to authorize the City Solicitor to satisfy a judgment against the Keystone Bridge Company and others, and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,

WM. DIVINE,

H. MARCUS,

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,

O. HOWARD WILSON,

W. W. BURNELL,

WM. BRADLY,

S. G. KING,

H. B. LIPPINCOTT,

HENRY BUDD,

JAS. R. GATES,

GEO. A. SMITH,

JNO. COCHRAN,

JOHN A. MISKEY.

February 11, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the City Solicitor to satisfy a judgment against the Keystone Bridge Company and others.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Solicitor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to enter satisfaction in the District Court of this county, upon a certain judgment in favor of the City and against the Keystone Bridge Company et al., of March Term, 1873, D. S. B., 327, for three hundred thousand dollars, and upon the record of the same judgment in Alleghany county, of April Term, 1873, No. 529: *Provided*, The City Solicitor is of opinion that the interests of the City will not be prejudiced by the passage of this Ordinance.

APPENDIX No. 66.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance to make

an appropriation for fitting up rooms for office of the Register of Wills, and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,
HENRY BUDD,	WM. DIVINE,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,	H. MARCUS,
JAS. R. GATES,	GEO. A. SMITH,
O. HOWARD WILSON,	WM. BRADLY,
S. G. KING,	JNO. COCHRAN,
W. W. BURNELL,	JOHN A. MISKEY.

February 11, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation for fitting up rooms for office of the Register of Wills.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of two thousand dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated to the Commissioner of Markets and City Property to defray the expense of fitting up rooms in the Philadelphia National Bank building to accommodate the office of the Register of Wills for the City and county of Philadelphia: *Provided*, That the Commissioner of Markets and City Property invite proposals from three or more responsible persons; the bids to be opened in the presence of the Committee on Finance, and the contract to be awarded to the lowest bidder. The warrants to be drawn by the Commissioner of Markets and City Property in conformity with existing Ordinances.

APPENDIX No. 67.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition and resolution to pave Somerset street, respectfully report that we have examined

and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
GEORGE DORLAN,	P. H. KLOHSE,
A. ALBRIGHT,	JOHN MONROE,
JOHN FOX,	JOHN A. MISKEY,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	HENRY GLASS,
M. S. BONSALE,	DANIEL CURRIE,
AMOS M. SLACK.	

February 11, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Somerset street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers, who shall be selected by a majority of the owners of property fronting on Somerset street, from Front street to Sixth street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, for the paving thereof; the cost of intersections not to exceed Forty-seven hundred and sixty-two dollars and fifty cents. The condition of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said street, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said street in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 68.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petitions and resolutions to pave Clifton, Chatham, Almond and Gaul streets, Hart lane, Eighth, Boudinot, Miller and Division streets, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and

submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
AMOS M. SLACK,	JOHN BARDSLEY,
GEORGE DORLAN,	P. H. KLOHSE,
JOHN MONROE,	JOHN FOX,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	DANL. W. GILBERT,
HENRY GLASS,	M. S. BONSALE,
DANIEL CURRIE.	

February 11, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Clifton, Chatham, Almond and Gaul streets, Hart lane, Eighth, Boudinot, Miller and Division streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers, who shall be selected by a majority of the owners of property fronting on the following streets, for the paving thereof, viz.: Clifton street, from Neff street to Westmoreland street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, with rubble pavement; cost of intersections not to exceed two hundred and twenty-three dollars and fifty cents; Chatham street, from Clearfield street to Westmoreland street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, with rubble pavement; costs of intersections not to exceed one hundred and forty-seven dollars; Almond street, from Ann street to Westmoreland street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, with rubble pavement; cost of intersections not to exceed three hundred and forty-six dollars and fifty cents; Gaul street, from Ann street to Westmoreland street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, with rubble pavement; cost of intersections not to exceed five hundred and eighty-eight dollars and thirty-three cents; Hart lane, from D street to Indiana street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, with rubble pavement; cost of intersections not to exceed four hundred and thirty-three dollars and fifty cents; Eighth street, from Lehigh avenue to Indiana street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, with rubble pavement; cost of intersections not to exceed eight hundred and sixty-two dol-

lars and fifty-cents; Boudinot street, from Cambria street to Hart lane, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, with rubble pavement; cost of intersections not to exceed ninety-three dollars; Miller street, from Clearfield street to Westmoreland street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward; no cost for intersections; Division street, from Belgrade street to Richmond street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward; no cost for intersections. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said streets, and shall also enter into an obligation to keep the street in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 69.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the resolution authorizing the Chief Commissioner of Highways to construct a trunk, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
AMOS M. SLACK,	JOHN BARDSLEY,
GEORGE DORLAN,	P. H. KLOHSE,
A. ALBRIGHT,	JOHN MONROE,
JOHN FOX,	JOHN A. MISKEY,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	HENRY GLASS,
M. S. BONSALE.	

February 11, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the Chief Commissioner of Highways to construct a trunk.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to construct a wooden trunk on Passyunk avenue, from

Twenty-second street to Twenty-third street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward ; cost not to exceed five hundred dollars ; the same to be taken from Item 5 of the annual appropriation to the Department of Highways for the year 1875 ; and the Chief Commissioner is hereby directed to ask for estimates for constructing the above mentioned trunk.

APPENDIX No. 70.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petitions and resolutions to authorize the grading of Somerset and Cambria streets, Girard avenue, Fleeson, Forty-nine-and-a-half, Twenty-fifth, Boudinot, Leamy and Dauphin streets, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WILLIAM McMULLIN,
AMOS M. SLACK,	JOHN BARDSLEY,
GEORGE DORLAN,	P. H. KLOHSE,
A. ALBRIGHT,	JOHN MONROE,
JOHN FOX,	JOHN A. MISKEY,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	HENRY GLASS,
M. S. BONSALE.	

January 28, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Somerset and Cambria streets, Girard avenue, Fleeson, Forty-nine-and-a-half, Twenty-fifth, Boudinot, Dauphin and Leamy streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade the following streets to the established grade of the City, viz.: Somerset street, from Germantown avenue to Broad street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, cost not to exceed nine hundred and thirty-five dollars and fifty cents ; Cambria street, from Germantown avenue to Broad street, in the

Twenty-eighth Ward, cost not to exceed nine hundred and fifty-eight dollars; Girard avenue, from Lancaster avenue to Fifty-second street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, cost not to exceed thirteen hundred dollars; Fleeson street, from Pechin street to Tibben street, in the Twenty-first Ward, cost not to exceed six hundred and twenty-four dollars and twenty five cents; Forty-nine-and-a-half street, from Westminster avenue to Seneca street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, cost not to exceed six hundred and ninety dollars and seventy-five cents; Boudinot street, from Cambria street to Indiana street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, cost not to exceed eleven hundred and forty dollars and fifty cents; Twenty-fifth street, from Jefferson street to Ridge avenue, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, cost not to exceed fourteen hundred and seventy dollars and seventy-five cents; Dauphin street, from Broad street to Sixteenth street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, cost not to exceed twelve hundred and thirty-three dollars and twenty-five cents; Leamy street, from Tusculum street to Indiana street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, cost not to exceed seven hundred and thirty-seven dollars and seventy-five cents.

APPENDIX No. 71.

To the Presidents and Members of Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petitions and resolutions to grade Tree, Swain, Forty-seventh, Twenth-eighth, Thirtieth, Twenty-seventh and Bailey streets, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed ordinance, and ask its adoption.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, *Ch'n*,
GEORGE DORLAN,
JOHN A. MISKEY,
DANL. W. GILBERT,
JOHN BARDSLEY,
JNO. MONROE,
AMOS M. SLACK,
February 11, 1875.

WM. McMULLIN,
JOHN FOX,
HENRY GLASS,
P. H. KLOHSE,
A. ALBRIGHT,
M. S. BONSALE,
S. A. MILLER.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Tree, Swain, Forty-seventh, Twenty-eighth, Thirtieth, Twenty-seventh and Bailey streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade the following streets to the established grade of the City, viz.: Tree street, from Seventh street to Moyamensing avenue, in the First Ward, cost not to exceed two hundred and eighty-six dollars and forty-five cents; Swain street, from Twenty-fifth street to Twenty sixth street, in the Fifteenth Ward, cost not to exceed nine hundred and seventy-one dollars; Forty-seventh street, from Spruce street northward to a point forty feet south of Locust street, in the Twenty-seventh Ward, cost not to exceed one thousand dollars; Twenty-eighth street, from Clearfield street to Westmoreland street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, cost not to exceed eight hundred and six dollars and fifty cents; Thirtieth street, from Clearfield street to Nicetown lane, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, cost not to exceed nine hundred and nine dollars and seventy-five cents; Twenty-seventh street, from Girard avenue to Mount Pleasant street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, cost not to exceed four hundred and fourteen dollars and fifty cents; Bailey street, from Jefferson street to Columbia avenue, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, cost not to exceed five hundred and forty-four dollars and twenty-five cents.

APPENDIX No. 72.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petitions and resolutions to authorize the paving of Bailey, Lingo, Sixth, Swain and Edgley streets, respectfully report that we have examined and ap-

prove the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	HENRY GLASS,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	AMOS M. SLACK,
GEORGE DORLAN,	JOHN FOX,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	P. H. KLOHSE,
S. A. MILLER,	A. ALBRIGHT,
JNO. MONROE,	M. S. BONSALE.

February 11, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Bailey, Lingo, Sixth, Swain and Edgley streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers, who shall be selected by a majority of the owners of property fronting on the following streets, for the paving thereof, viz.: Bailey street, from Jefferson street to Columbia avenue, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, cost of intersections not to exceed five hundred and sixty-eight dollars and seventy-five cents; Lingo street, from Reed street to Dickinson street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, cost of intersections not to exceed one hundred and fifty-five dollars; Sixth street, from Cantrell street to Jackson street, in the First Ward, cost of intersections not to exceed three hundred and twenty-five dollars; Swain street, from Twenty-fifth street to Twenty-sixth street, in the Fifteenth Ward, with rubble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed forty-two dollars; Edgley street, from Twenty-ninth street to Thirtieth street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, with rubble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed seventy dollars and fifty cents. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said streets, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said streets in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 73.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition for the grading of Spencer street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
M. S. BONSALE,	JOHN FOX,
JNO. A. MISKEY,	HENRY GLASS,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	JOHN BARDSLEY,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	AMOS M. SLACK,
GEO. DORLAN,	P. H. KLOHSE,
S. A. MILLER,	A. ALBRIGHT,
JOHN MONROE.	

February 11, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Spencer street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to have Spencer street, from Ridge avenue to Norristown Railroad, graded to the established grade of the City, at a cost not to exceed the sum of two hundred and seventy-seven dollars and seventy-five cents.

APPENDIX No. 74.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition for the paving of Hancock street, respectfully report that we have examined and

approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, *Ch'n*,
AMOS M. SLACK,
GEORGE DORLAN,
S. A. MILLER,
JOHN MONROE,
JOHN A. MISKEY,
HENRY GLASS,

WILLIAM McMULLIN,
JOHN BARDSLEY,
P. H. KLOHSE,
A. ALBRIGHT,
JOHN FOX,
DANIEL W. GILBERT,
M. S. BONSALE.

February 11, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Hancock street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers, who shall be selected by a majority of the owners of property respectively fronting on Hancock street, from Berks street to Putnam street, for the paving thereof with cobble stone paving; the cost of the intersections not to exceed the sum of four hundred and twenty dollars. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said street, and shall also enter into an obligation with the City to keep said paving in good condition for three years after the same shall have been finished.

APPENDIX No. 75.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petitions for paving Spencer and James streets, respectfully report that we have examined and

approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WILLIAM McMULLIN,
GEORGE DORLAN,	JOHN FOX,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	HENRY GLASS,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	M. S. BONSALE,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	JOHN MONROE,
AMOS M. SLACK,	A. ALBRIGHT.

February 11, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Spencer street and James street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers, who shall be selected by a majority of the owners of property fronting on Spencer street, from Ridge avenue to the Norristown Railroad, for the paving thereof, the cost of intersections not to exceed eighty-one dollars; also, James street, from Ridge avenue to the Norristown Railroad, the cost of intersections not to exceed the sum of one hundred and sixty-eight dollars. The conditions of which contract shall be, that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the property owners respectively fronting on said street, and shall also enter into an obligation with the City to keep said paving in good condition for three years after said paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 76.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition of Messrs. Kreider, Campbell & Co. to lay a pipe, respectfully report that we have

examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WILLIAM McMULLIN,
GEORGE DORLAN,	JOHN A. MISKEY,
HENRY GLASS,	DANL. W. GILBERT,
M. S. BONSALE,	JOHN BARDSLEY,
JOHN MONROE,	S. A. MILLER,
A. ALBRIGHT,	P. H. KLOHSE,

AMOS M. SLACK.

February 11, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

Granting permission to Messrs Kreider, Campbell & Co. to lay a pipe.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Messrs. Kreider, Campbell & Co. to lay a pipe or flume across and under Germantown avenue, connecting their works, No. 1030, on said avenue with their blacksmith shop and foundry on the opposite side of avenue, the same to be removed at any time when deemed necessary, without expense to said City: *Provided*, The said Kreider, Campbell & Co. first pay into the City Treasury the sum of twenty-five dollars, to pay for the publication of the above Ordinance.

APPENDIX No. 77.

RESOLUTION

To meet in Joint Convention to elect heads of departments.

Resolved by Common Council, That Select Council be invited to meet Common Council in Joint Convention, in Common Council Chamber, on Thursday, February 18th, 1875, at 4½ o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing a Chief Commissioner of Highways, Chief Engineer of the Water Works and Commissioner of Markets and City Property.

APPENDIX No. 78.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance to authorize the grading of Sixteenth street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
P. H. KLOHSE,	JNO. MONROE,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,	GEO. DORLAN,
AMOS M. SLACK,	SAML. A. MILLER,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	A. ALBRIGHT,
M. S. BONSALE,	JOHN FOX,
JNO. A. MISKEY.	

January 21, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Sixteenth street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade Sixteenth street, from Morris street to Passyunk avenue, to the established grade of the City. Cost not to exceed fifteen hundred and eighty-eight dollars and fifty cents.

APPENDIX No. 79.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition to grade Trenton avenue, in the Nineteenth and Twenty-fifth Wards, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and

submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	W. K. PARK,
P. H. KLOHSE,	SAML. A. MILLER,
GEO. DORLAN,	JNO. MONROE,
AMOS M. SLACK,	A. ALBRIGHT,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	JOHN FOX,
M. S. BONSALE,	JNO. A. MISKEY.

February 18, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Trenton avenue, in the Nineteenth and Twenty-fifth Wards.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to have Trenton avenue graded, from Cambria street to Cumberland street, in the Nineteenth and Twenty-fifth Wards, to the established grade of the City, at a cost not to exceed twenty-two hundred and six dollars and twenty-five cents.

APPENDIX No. 80.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition to pave Sixteenth street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WILLIAM McMULLIN,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,	GEO. DORLAN,
M. S. BONSALE,	JOHN FOX,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	SAML. A. MILLER,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	H. McDOWELL,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	AMOS M. SLACK,
JNO. MONROE,	A. ALBRIGHT,

P. H. KLOHSE.

January 21, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Sixteenth street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers, who shall be selected by a majority of the owners of property fronting on Sixteenth street, from Dickerson street to Passyunk avenue, in the Twenty sixth Ward, for the paving thereof; cost not to exceed twenty-one hundred and thirty-eight dollars and seventy-five cents. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said street, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said street in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 81.

To the Presidents and Members of Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition for the paving of Trenton avenue, in the Nineteenth and Twenty-fifth Wards, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	CHAS. THOMSON JONES,
P. H. KLOHSE,	W. K. PARK,
GEORGE DORLAN,	JOHN MONROE,
AMOS M. SLACK,	A. ALBRIGHT,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	JOHN FOX,
M. S. BONSALE,	JOHN A. MISKEY,
WILLIAM McMULLIN,	SAML. A. MILLER.

February 4, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Trenton avenue, in the Twenty-fifth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers, who shall be selected by a majority of the owners of property fronting on Trenton avenue, from Cambria street to Cumberland street, in the Nineteenth and Twenty-fifth Wards, for the paving thereof with rubble stone, the cost of intersection not to exceed the sum of thirty-seven hundred and seventy-one (3771) dollars and sixty-six (66) cents. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the property owners respectively fronting on said avenue, and shall also enter into an obligation with the City to keep said paving in good condition for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 82.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance to authorize the grading of Twenty-seventh street, in the Fifteenth Ward, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	CHAS. THOMSON JONES,
P. H. KLOHSE,	W. K. PARK,
GEORGE DORLAN,	JOHN MONROE,
AMOS M. SLACK,	A. ALBRIGHT,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	JOHN FOX,
M. S. BONSALE,	JOHN A. MISKEY,
WILLIAM McMULLIN,	SAML. A. MILLER.

February 4, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Dauphin and Twenty-seventh streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade the following streets to the established grade of the City, viz.: Dauphin street, from Twenty-fifth street to Ridge avenue, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, cost not to exceed six hundred and ninety-seven dollars and twenty-five cents; Twenty-seventh street, from Brown street to Poplar street, in the Fifteenth Ward, cost not to exceed seven hundred and ninety-six dollars.

APPENDIX No. 83.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the resolution to grade Clearfield street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	P. H. KLOHSE,
GEORGE DORLAN,	AMOS M. SLACK,
M. S. BONSALE,	WM. McMULLIN,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,	SAML. A. MILLER,
H. McDOWELL,	W. K. PARK.

January 28, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Clearfield street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade Clearfield street, from Fifth street to Sixth street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, to the established grade of the City, the cost thereof not to exceed fifty-eight hundred and sixty-five dollars.

APPENDIX No. 84.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance to grade Almond and other streets, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	P. H. KLOHSE,
GEORGE DORLAN,	AMOS M. SLACK,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	M. S. BONSALE,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,	WM. McMULLIN,
H. McDOWELL,	W. K. PARK,
JOHN MONROE,	A. ALBRIGHT,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	SAML. A. MILLER,

JOHN FOX.

February 4, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Almond, Miller, Hancock, Chatham, Division, Gaul, Eighth and Boudinot streets, Wheat Sheaf and Hart lanes.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade the following streets to the established grade of the City, viz.: Almond street, from Ann street to Westmoreland street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward; cost not to exceed eighteen hundred and six dollars and fifty cents; Miller street, from Westmoreland street to Clearfield street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward; cost not to exceed two hundred and fifty-five dollars; Hancock street, from Lehigh avenue to Somerset street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward; cost not to exceed seven hundred and fourteen dollars and seventy-five cents; Chatham street, from Westmoreland street to Clearfield street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward; cost not to exceed four hundred and eighty-seven dollars and fifty cents; Division street, from Belgrade street to Richmond street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward; cost not to exceed seven hun-

dred and twenty-seven dollars and twenty-five cents; Gaul street, from Ann street to Westmoreland street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, cost not to exceed fifteen hundred and thirty-eight dollars; Eighth street, from Lehigh avenue to Indiana street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward; cost not to exceed thirteen hundred and eighteen dollars and twenty-five cents; Boudinot street, from Cambria street to Hart lane, in the Twenty-fifth Ward; cost not to exceed nine hundred and nine dollars and twenty-five cents; Wheat Sheaf lane, from Frankford avenue to Cedar street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward; cost not to exceed six hundred and sixty-six dollars and seventy-five cents; Hart lane, from D street to Indiana street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward; cost not to exceed eight hundred and fifty-two dollars and twenty-five cents.

APPENDIX No. 85.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We your Committee on Police, to whom was referred the Ordinance supplementary to an Ordinance to create a Department of Police, approved November 15th, 1855, providing for the appointment of two additional Sergeants of Police, respectfully report that they have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

JOHN F. GLENN, *Ch'n*,
ALEXANDER RUSSELL,
SAML. WILLIAMSON,
WM. BRADLY,
GEO. A. ENO,
A. ALBRIGHT,

M. A. DAVIS,
GILBERT WEIR,
DAVID MOUAT,
O. HOWARD WILSON,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,
GEO. A. SMITH.

February 11, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

Supplementary to an Ordinance to create a Department of Police, approved November 15th, 1855, providing for the appointment of two additional Sergeants of Police.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Mayor shall nominate, and by and with the advice and consent of Select Council appoint, two additional Sergeants of Police; one for the Fifteenth District, and the other for the Twenty-second Police District. Said officers to perform such duties as shall be prescribed by the Mayor: *Provided*, Their salaries be paid out of Item 12 in an Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Police for the year 1875.

APPENDIX No. 86.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the General Assembly relative to the pipe line bill.

Whereas, The Honorable the Senate and House of Representatives have under consideration a bill generally known as the pipe line bill; *And whereas*, The passage of said bill will be greatly to the prejudice of the commercial interests of our City, by diverting her trade elsewhere; therefore, be it

Resolved by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Senate and House of Representatives be and they are hereby most respectfully and earnestly requested not to pass said bill.

APPENDIX No. 87.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—Your Committee on Surveys and Regulations, to whom was referred the accompanying Ordinance to place certain streets upon the plans of the City, report that the streets named in the Ordinance have all been dedicated to the City, and the deeds filed in the Department of Surveys, most of the streets have been built upon and the balance will be, as soon as the building season opens. We therefore, return the Ordinance, and respectfully ask its adoption.

WM. THORNTON, *Ch'n*,

JOS. H. TATEM,

S. C. COLLINS,

JOHN Siner,

GEO. E. HALL,

GEO. A. SMITH,

WM. JAMES,

B. F. BONHAM,

H. N. UHLER, M. D.,

PETER RITTENHOUSE,

JAS. R. GATES,

W. W. BURNELL,

JNO. COCHRAN.

February 17, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To place upon the public plans Cantrell street, Delancy place, Bambrey street, Swain street, Fleeson street, Highland avenue, Ashland avenue, Clementine street, Andrew street, Lingo street, Mt. Holly street, Fernon street, Webster street, St. Alban's place, Widener street, Fountain street, Bolton street, Turner street, Redner street and Alter street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Surveys be and they are hereby authorized to place upon the public plans of the City, the following described streets:

Cantrell street, thirty feet in width, extending from Eleventh to Twelfth street, parallel with and at the distance of one hundred and ten feet southward from Snyder avenue, in the First Ward.

De Lancy place, of the width of fifty feet, extending from Twenty-third to Twenty-fourth street, parallel with and at the distance of two hundred and seven feet southward from Spruce street, in the Seventh Ward.

Bambrey street, of the width of thirty feet, extending from Poplar street southward, parallel with and at the distance of one hundred and twenty feet one inch and three-quarters eastward from Twenty-sixth street, to a point eighty-eight feet northward from Brown street, thence extending westward parallel with the said Brown street to said Twenty-sixth street, in the Fifteenth Ward.

Swain street, of the width of forty feet, extending from Twenty-fifth to Twenty-sixth street, parallel with and at the distance of one hundred and eighty feet northward from Hare street, in the Fifteenth Ward.

Fleeson street, of the width of forty feet, extending from Tibben to Pechin street, two hundred and five feet southeastward from Prospect street, on the northeast side of Tibben street, in the Twenty-first Ward.

Highland avenue, of the width of fifty feet, extending from Penn street to Shur's lane, parallel with and at the distance of two hundred and twenty-three feet northeastward from Pechin street, in the Twenty-first Ward.

Ashland avenue, of the width of fifty feet, extending from Penn street to Shur's lane, parallel with and at the distance of two hundred and eight feet northeastward from Manayunk avenue, in the Twenty-first Ward.

Clementine street, of the width of fifty feet, extending from Emerald to Jasper street, parallel with and at the distance of one hundred and fifty feet northeastward from Clearfield street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward.

Andrew street, of the width of thirty feet, extending from Emerald to Jasper street, parallel with and at the distance of three hundred and twenty five feet northeastward from Clearfield street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward.

Lingo street, of the width of thirty-feet, extending from Dickinson to Tasker street, parallel with and at the distance of one hundred and sixteen feet eastward from Eighteenth street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward.

Mt. Holly street, of the width of thirty feet, extending from Dickinson to Tasker street, parallel with and at the distance of one hundred and sixteen feet westward from Seventeenth street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward.

Fernon street, of the width of thirty feet, extending from Seventeenth to Eighteenth street, parallel with and at the

distance of one hundred and sixteen feet southward from Tasker street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward.

Webster street, of the width of thirty feet, extending from Twenty-fourth street to Gray's Ferry road, parallel with and at the distance of one hundred and three feet northward from Christian street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward.

St. Alban's place, of the width of fifty feet, extending from Twenty-second to Twenty-third street, parallel with and at the distance of one hundred and thirty-six feet northward from Catharine street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward.

Widener street, of the width of thirty feet, extending from Nineteenth to Uber street, parallel with and at the distance of one hundred and three feet northward from Berks street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward.

Fontain street, of the width of thirty-five feet, extending from Thirtieth to Thirty-first street, parallel with and at the distance of one hundred and sixty feet southward from Park avenue, in the Twenty-eighth Ward.

Bolton street, of the width of forty feet, extending from Twenty-third to Twenty-fourth street, parallel with and at the distance of two hundred and seventeen feet southward from Oxford street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward.

Turner street, of the width of forty feet, extending from Twenty-third to Twenty-fourth street, parallel with and at the distance of one hundred and twenty-eight feet northward from Oxford street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward.

Redner street, of the width of thirty feet, extending from Twenty-third to Twenty-fourth street, parallel with and at the distance of one hundred and two feet southward from Oxford street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward.

Alter street, of the width of thirty feet, extending from Gray's Ferry road to Schuylkill avenue, parallel with and at the distance of one hundred and fifty-three feet ten and a half inches northward from Ellsworth street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward.

APPENDIX No. 88.

DEPARTMENT OF MARKETS AND CITY PROPERTY,
PHILADELPHIA, *February 24, 1875.*

To the Presidents and Members of Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—I herewith enclose a communication from Mr. F. Fraley, Chairman of the Committee of the American Philosophical Society, in reference to lease of said building.

Yours respectfully,
J. H. PUGH.
Commissioner.

PHILADELPHIA, *February 12, 1875.*

J. H. PUGH, Esq.,
Commissioner of City Property.

DEAR SIR :—At a meeting of the American Philosophical Society, held on the 5th instant, a Committee was appointed to confer with the City authorities on the subject of the tenancy of the City of certain parts of the hall of the society. The term for which the City took the premises expired in July, 1868, and since that time the tenancy has been by holding over from year to year. As the City has recently removed the Water Department, &c., from the building, and directed that the rooms should be prepared for the Court of Common Pleas, it is deemed proper that some more permanent arrangement should be made than that now existing. It is understood that the City desires to make alterations to fit the rooms for the occupation of the courts, and, of course, this cannot be properly done without the consent of the society.

Will you have the kindness to place this letter in the hands of the Mayor, or of the Committee on City Property, in order that the subject to which it refers shall have proper attention?

Respectfully yours,
F. FRALEY,
Chairman of the Committee.

APPENDIX No. 89.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance to create a loan for the building of main sewers in the City of Philadelphia, and also resolution to publish a loan bill for sewers, and report the same back, and recommend their passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	O. HOWARD WILSON,
WM. B. COLLINS,	WM. BRADLY,
ROBT. B. SALTER,	GEO. A. SMITH,
HENRY BUDD,	S. G. KING,
W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,	H. MARCUS,
JAS. W. ALLEN,	JAS. R. GATES,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,	W. W. BURNELL,
JOHN A. MISKEY.	

February 25, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To create a loan for the building of main sewers in the City of Philadelphia.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Mayor of Philadelphia be and he is hereby authorized to borrow, at not less than par, on the credit of the City, from time to time, for the construction of main sewers, one million dollars, for which interest not to exceed the rate of six per cent. per annum shall be paid, half-yearly, on the first days of January and July in each year, at the office of the City Treasurer. The principal of said loan shall be payable and paid at the expiration of thirty years from the date of the same, and not before, without the consent of the holders thereof; and certificates therefor, in the usual form of certificates of City loan, shall be issued in such amounts as the lenders may require, but not for less amounts than fifty dollars, and not for any other fractional part of one hundred dollars, and if required, in amounts of five hundred, and one thousand dollars, and it shall be expressed in said cer-

tificates, that the said loan therein mentioned, and the interest thereof, are payable free from all taxes.

SECT. 2. Whenever any loan shall be made by virtue hereof, there shall be by force of this Ordinance, annually appropriated out of the income of the corporate estates, and from the sum raised by taxation, a sum sufficient to pay the interest on said certificates, and the further sum of three-tenths of one per centum on the par value of such certificates shall be appropriated quarterly out of said income and taxes, to a sinking fund, which fund and its accumulations are hereby specially pledged for the redemption and payment of said certificates.

RESOLUTION

To publish a loan bill for sewers.

Resolved, That the Clerk of Common Council be authorized to publish in two daily newspapers of this City, daily, for four weeks, the Ordinance presented to Common Council on Thursday, February 25th, 1875, entitled "An Ordinance to create a loan for the building of main sewers in the City of Philadelphia," and that the said Clerk, at the stated meeting of Councils, after the expiration of four weeks from the first day of said publication, shall present to this Council one of each of said newspapers for every day in which the same shall have been made.

APPENDIX No. 90.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance to authorize satisfaction to be entered on the official bond of Samuel P.

Hancock, and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,
ROBERT B. SALTER,
JAMES W. ALLEN,
W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,
O. HOWARD WILSON,
GEO. A. SMITH,
H. MARCUS,
W. W. BURNELL,

WM. B. COLLINS,
HENRY BUDD,
JOS. L. CAVEN,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
WM. BRADLY,
S. G. KING,
JAS. R. GATES,
JOHN A. MISKEY.

February 25, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize satisfaction to be entered on the official bond of Samuel P. Hancock.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Solicitor be and he is hereby instructed to enter satisfaction of record upon the official bond of Samuel P. Hancock, D. C., D. S. B., December, 1871, No. 291, December 30th, 1871, City Controller, for his term of office, ending December 31st, 1874 : *Provided*, That the said Samuel P. Hancock has entered the requisite security before the judges of the court for his present term, commencing January 1st, 1875.

APPENDIX No. 91.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance to create a loan for the improvement of Fairmount Park, and the construction of bridges across the river Schuylkill ; and, also,

resolution to publish a Park loan bill, and report the same back, and recommend their passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,
ROBERT B. SALTER,
JAMES W. ALLEN,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
WM. BRADLY,
S. G. KING,
JAS. R. GATES,

WM. B. COLLINS,
HENRY BUDD,
W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,
O. HOWARD WILSON,
GEO. A. SMITH,
H. MARCUS,
W. W. BURNELL,

JOHN A. MISKEY.

February 25, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To create a loan for the improvement of Fairmount Park and the construction of bridges across the river Schuylkill.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Mayor of Philadelphia be and he is hereby authorized to borrow, at not less than par, on the credit of the City, one million dollars, for the improvement of Fairmount Park and the construction of bridges across the river Schuylkill, for which interest not to exceed the rate of six per centum per annum shall be paid half yearly, on the first days of January and July in each year, at the office of the City Treasurer, and the said loan shall be called the "Park Loan." The principal of said loan shall be payable and paid at the expiration of thirty years from the date of the same, and not before, without the consent of the holders thereof; and the certificates therefor, in the usual form of the certificates of City loan, shall be issued in such amounts as the lenders may require, but not for less amounts than fifty dollars, and not for any other fractional part of one hundred dollars, or if required, in amounts of five hundred or one thousand dollars; and it shall be expressed in said certificates that the loan therein mentioned, and the interest thereof, are payable free from all taxes.

SECT. 2. Whenever any loan shall be made by virtue thereof, there shall be by force of this Ordinance annually appropriated out of the income of the corporate estates, and from the sum raised by taxation, a sum sufficient to

pay the interest on said certificates; and the further sum of three-tenths of one per centum on the par value of such certificates so issued shall be appropriated quarterly out of said income and taxes to a sinking fund, which fund and its accumulations are hereby specially pledged for the redemption and payment of said certificates.

RESOLUTION

To publish a Park loan bill.

Resolved, That the Clerk of Common Council be authorized to publish in two daily newspapers of the City, daily for four weeks, the Ordinance presented to Common Council, on Thursday, February 25th, 1875, entitled "An Ordinance to create a loan for the improvement of Fairmount Park and the construction of bridges across the river Schuylkill," and that the said Clerk at the stated meeting of Councils, after the expiration of four weeks from the first day of said publication, shall present to this Council one of each of said newspapers for every day in which the same shall have been made.

APPENDIX No. 92.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay damages caused by the opening of Paschall street; also, an Ordinance for the payment of damages in opening Forty-fourth street; also, an Ordinance appropriating damages for the opening of Huron street, from Forty-second street to Lancaster avenue, and an Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay damages caused by the widening of Hamilton street, from Green lane to Centre street, Twenty-first Ward, and submit the

annexed Ordinance to pay said damages, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. B. COLLINS,
ROBERT B. SALTER,	HENRY BUDD,
JAS. W. ALLEN,	W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,
JOS. L. CAVEN,	H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
O. HOWARD WILSON,	GEO. A. SMITH,
S. G. KING,	H. MARCUS,
JAS. R. GATES,	W. W. BURNELL,

JOHN A. MISKEY.

February 25, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation to pay damages caused by the opening of Paschall, Forty-fourth, Huron (or Aspen) streets, and the widening of Hamilton street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of eleven thousand one hundred and twenty-five dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated out of Item 19 in an Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Law Department for the year 1875, approved December 28th, 1874, to pay the following awards, viz.: To Lewis Frey, eight hundred (800) dollars; to Alfred A. Lister, three hundred (300) dollars; to Wilson J. Hansell, one hundred (100) dollars; to John Cochran, twenty-five (25) dollars; for the opening of Paschall street, from Lancaster avenue to fifty-second street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, as confirmed by the Court of Quarter Sessions, February 8th, 1875. To William Stokes, two hundred (200) dollars, for the opening of Forty-fourth street, as confirmed by the Court of Quarter Sessions, January 12th, 1875. To Maria L. Omensetter and Emma A. Lippincott, heirs of Henry Hauptman, deceased, the sum of seven thousand (7,000) dollars; to J. Davis Ottey, the sum of twelve hundred (1200) dollars; to Robert Young, the sum of six hundred (600) dollars; to Walter B. Ferrell, one hundred and twenty-five (125) dollars; to William J. Ferrell, one hundred and twenty-five (125) dollars; to the guardian of Joseph Ferrell, one hundred and twenty-five (125) dollars; to the guardian of Samuel Ferrell, one hundred and

twenty-five (125) dollars; and to Mary Johnson, one hundred and twenty-five (125) dollars; for the opening of Huron (or Aspen) street, from Forty-second street to Lancaster avenue, as confirmed by the said Court of Quarter Sessions, on the eighth day of February, 1875. To Ellen Rowland, three hundred (300) dollars, for the widening of Hamilton street, from Green lane to Centre street, Twenty-first ward. And warrants shall be drawn by the City Solicitor in favor of the above parties or their attorneys of record, in conformity with existing Ordinances.

APPENDIX No. 93.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance to release a property of John Valdey from the lien of a certain judgment, and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. B. COLLINS,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	ROBT. B. SALTER,
HENRY BUDD,	JAS. W. ALLEN,
JOS. L. CAVEN,	W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,	O. HOWARD WILSON,
WM. BRADLY,	GEO. A. SMITH,
S. G. KING,	H. MARCUS,
JAS. R. GATES,	W. W. BURNELL.

February 25, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To release property of John Valdey from the lien of a certain judgment

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Solicitor be authorized and directed to release from the lien of the judgment, D. C., D. S. B., No. 759, March Term, 1874, the following described property of John Valdey, to wit: All that certain lot or piece of ground situate on the north side of Cumberland street, at the distance of forty-five feet

westward from Lemon street, in the Nineteenth Ward; containing in front or breadth on said Cumberland street eighteen feet, and extending in length or depth northwardly of that breadth one hundred and sixty feet to Dickinson street: *Provided*, His co-sureties assent thereto; the sum of twenty-five dollars be paid into the City Treasury to pay for the publication of this Ordinance, and in the opinion of the City Solicitor the interests of the City will not be prejudiced by this.

APPENDIX No. 94.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance to approve the sureties of John L. Hill, Chief Commissioner of Highways elect, and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. B. COLLINS,
ROBT. B. SALTER,	HENRY BUDD,
JAS. W. ALLEN,	W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,	O. H. WILSON,
WM. BRADLY,	GEO. A. SMITH,
S. G. KING,	H. MARCUS,
JAS. R. GATES,	W. W. BURNELL,
JOHN A. MISKEY.	

February 25, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To approve the sureties of John L. Hill, Chief Commissioner of Highways elect.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That George W. Middleton and Charles A. Porter are hereby approved as the sureties of John L. Hill, Chief Commissioner of Highways elect, and the City Solicitor is hereby directed to prepare the proper bond, with warrant of attorney, for said parties to execute, and cause a judgment to be entered thereon; and further,

to file agreements of record that the lien of the judgment entered in pursuance of said warrant of attorney shall only operate on and against the respective properties submitted to the Committee on Finance by the said sureties; that is to say, the lien of the judgment against the said George W. Middleton shall only operate on and against the several lots of ground whereon are erected the premises No. 1401 North Fifteenth street (being at the northeast corner of Fifteenth and Master streets), the premises No. 1325 Olive street, and the premises No. 1617 and No. 1619 North Eighteenth street, all in the City of Philadelphia; and that the lien of the judgment against Charles A. Porter shall only operate on and against the two lots of ground whereon are erected the premises No. 1814 Montgomery street, and No. 1210 North Eighteenth street, and the lot of ground on the north side of Market street, east of Forty-third street, beginning at the distance of six hundred and eleven feet ten inches westward from the west side of Forty-first street; containing in front on the said Market street one hundred feet, and extending in depth about two hundred and twenty feet to Powelton avenue, where it has a front of fifty feet.

APPENDIX No. 95.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance to approve the sureties of William Dixey, Commissioner of Markets and City Property elect, and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,
ROBERT B. SALTER,
W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
O. HOWARD WILSON,
S. G. KING,
JAS. R. GATES,

WM. B. COLLINS,
HENRY BUDD,
JAMES W. ALLEN,
WM. BRADLY,
GEO. A. SMITH,
H. MARCUS,
W. W. BURNELL,

JOHN A. MISKEY.

February 25, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To approve the sureties of William Dixey, Commissioner of Markets and City Property elect.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That Joseph Hemphill and William King are hereby approved as the sureties of William Dixey, Commissioner of Markets and City Property elect, and the City Solicitor is hereby directed to prepare the proper bond, with warrant of attorney, for said parties to execute, and cause a judgment to be entered thereon; and further, to file agreements of record that the lien of the judgment entered in pursuance of said warrant of attorney shall only operate on and against the respective properties submitted to the Committee on Finance; that is to say, the lien of the judgment against Joseph Hemphill shall only operate on and against the lots of ground whereon are erected the premises numbered 1334, 1336, 1338 and 1348 Frankford road, No. 1234 Leopard street, and No. 1335 Adrian street, in the Seventeenth Ward; and that the lien of the judgment against William King shall only operate on and against a lot of ground whereon is erected premises No. 2114 Sansom street, in the Eighth Ward.

APPENDIX No. 96.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered a communication from Benjamin Shallcross, submitting the names of his sureties,

and submit the annexed Ordinance to approve the same, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. B. COLLINS,
ROBT. B. SALTER,	HENRY BUDD,
JAS. W. ALLEN,	JOS. L. CAVEN,
W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,	H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
O. HOWARD WILSON,	WM. BRADLY,
GEO. A. SMITH,	S. G. KING,
H. MARCUS,	JAS. R. GATES,
W. W. BURNELL,	JOHN A. MISKEY.

February 25, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To approve the sureties of Benjamin Shallcross, Receiver of Taxes of the Twenty-third Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That Peter Castor and Robert W. Shallcross, are hereby approved as the sureties of Benjamin Shallcross, Receiver of Taxes of the Twenty-third Ward; and the City Solicitor is hereby directed to prepare the proper bond and warrant of attorney for said parties to execute, and to have judgment entered thereon; and to file agreements of record that the lien of the judgment against Peter Castor, shall only operate on and against premises situate at the northerly corner of Main and Allen streets, Twenty-third Ward, and lots composed of ten contiguous lots on Wm. Kinsey's plan of lots, Nos. 77 to 86, on the southeasterly side of Willow street, Twenty-third Ward; also lots 24 and 25 on said plan, situate on Cherry street, and lots 52 to 55, on Foulkrod street, Twenty-third Ward. And the lien of the judgment against Robert W. Shallcross, shall only operate on and against lot of ground situate in the Twenty-third Ward, on Oxford, Paul and Sellers streets.

APPENDIX No. 97.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance to enter satisfaction on the official bond of Alexander McCuen, City Commissioner, and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,
ROBT. B. SALTER,
JAS. W. ALLEN,
W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
WM. BRADLY,
S. G. KING,
JAS. R. GATES,

WM. B. COLLINS,
HENRY BUDD,
JOHN A. MISKEY,
JOS. L. CAVEN,
O. HOWARD WILSON,
GEO. A. SMITH,
H. MARCUS,
W. W. BURNELL.

February 25, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To enter satisfaction on the official bond of Alexander McCuen, City Commissioner.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Solicitor is authorized and directed to enter satisfaction on the official bond of Alexander McCuen, City Commissioner, for the term ending December 31st, 1874: *Provided*, The City Controller shall certify that his accounts are settled, and there is no default.

APPENDIX No. 98.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered a communication from the Chief Engineer and Surveyor, relative to appropriation for the completion of Fairmount Bridge, and are of opinion

that that bridge should be finished as well as some smaller bridges built, and therefore submit the annexed Ordinance to create a loan for the same, and resolution to publish a loan bill for bridges, and recommend their passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. B. COLLINS,
ROBT. B. SALTER,	HENRY BUDD,
JAS. W. ALLEN,	W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,	O. HOWARD WILSON,
WM. BRADLY,	GEO. A. SMITH,
S. G. KING,	H. MARCUS,
JAS. R. GATES,	W. W. BURNELL,
JOHN A. MISKEY.	

February 25, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To create a loan for the building of bridges in the City of Philadelphia.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to borrow, at not less than par, on the credit of the City, from time to time, for the building of bridges, five hundred thousand dollars, for which interest not to exceed the rate of six per cent. per annum shall be paid half yearly, on the first days of January and July in each year, at the office of the City Treasurer. The principal of said loan shall be payable and paid at the expiration of thirty years from the date of the same, and not before, without the consent of the holders thereof. And certificates therefor, in the usual forms of certificates of City Loan, shall be issued in such amounts as the lenders may require, but not for less amounts than fifty dollars, and not for any other fractional part of one hundred dollars, and if required, in amounts of five hundred and one thousand dollars; and it shall be expressed in said certificate that the loan therein mentioned and the interest thereof are payable free from all taxes.

SECT. 2. Whenever any loan shall be made by virtue hereof, there shall be, by the force of this Ordinance, annually appropriated out of the income of the corporate estates, and from the sum raised by taxation, a sum sufficient to pay the interest on said certificates; and the

further sum of three-tenths of one per centum on the par value of such certificates so issued shall be appropriated quarterly out of said income and taxes to a sinking fund; which fund and its accumulations are hereby specially pledged for the redemption and payment of said certificates.

RESOLUTION

To publish a loan bill for bridges.

Resolved, That the Clerk of Common Council be authorized to publish in two daily newspapers of this City, daily for four weeks, the Ordinance presented to Common Council on Thursday, February 25th, 1875, entitled "An Ordinance to create a loan for the building of bridges in the City of Philadelphia," and that the said Clerk at the stated meeting of Councils, after the expiration of four weeks from the first day of said publication, shall present to this Council one of each of said newspapers for every day in which the same shall have been made.

APPENDIX No. 99.

DEPARTMENT OF MARKETS AND CITY PROPERTY. PHILADELPHIA, *March 2, 1875.*

To the Presidents and Members of the
Select and Common Councils:

GENTLEMEN:—In compliance with a resolution of instruction passed by your Honorable Bodies, approved December 19th, 1874, providing for the refitting of rooms lately occupied by the Water Department for court purposes, I would respectfully state that the rooms have been completely fitted up for use of the courts; and that the cost of said alterations, &c., amounts to the sum of two thousand nine hundred and forty-three dollars and seven cents, and that the same should be provided for by your Honorable Bodies. I would, therefore, suggest that an appropriation

be made so that this department can pay the bills incurred.

Very respectfully yours,
J. H. PUGH,
Commissioner of Markets and City Property.

APPENDIX No. 100.

RESOLUTION

To allow the Mayor to use such means as he may see proper to prevent the ice gorge in the Schuylkill.

Resolved by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized to use such means as he may consider necessary for the prevention of damages by the ice in the river Schuylkill.

APPENDIX No. 101.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Trustees of the City Ice Boats.

Resolved by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Trustees of the City Ice Boats be requested to inform Councils why they have their repairs to the City Ice Boats done out of the City of Philadelphia.

APPENDIX No. 102.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Reorganizing the Board of Health, respectfully report that they have considered the bill referred to them, entitled "An Ordinance to reorganize the Department of the Board of Health," and having submitted the same to the City Solicitor, have re.

ceived from him a bill modified so as to conform to law, which the Committee submit hereto annexed, entitled "An Ordinance to reorganize the Board of Health," and recommend its passage.

SAML. A. MILLER, *Ch'n*,

JAS. M. GIBSON,

ALEXANDER RUSSELL,

March 4, 1875.

HENRY MARCUS,

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,

CHAS. THOMSON JONES.

AN ORDINANCE

To reorganize the Board of Health.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That at the last stated meeting in the month of March, A. D. 1875, the Select and Common Councils shall meet in Joint Convention, and elect twelve citizens as members of the Board of Health, three to serve four years, three to serve three years, three to serve two years, and three to serve one year from the first Monday of April, A. D. 1875, or until their successors shall be elected, and one of the persons so to be elected for each of said terms, shall be chosen and nominated by such members of said Select and Common Councils as are in a political minority, and the said Select and Common Councils shall annually, thereafter, elect three citizens to be members of said Board, in the manner aforesaid, at the last stated meeting in the month of March of each year.

SECT. 2. The persons who shall be elected, as aforesaid, together with the Mayor, the Presidents of Select and Common Councils, the Chief Commissioner of Highways, and the members of the Board of Health, as now organized, shall constitute the Department of the Board of Health, except as hereinafter provided.

SECT. 3. That upon the expiration of the term of any of the present members of said Board, or upon the death, resignation or other displacement of any such members, the place of such members shall not be filled, and the said Board shall, from time to time, contain only such of the present members thereof whose terms shall not have expired, or been vacated in the manner before mentioned, and when all of the present members thereof shall have

gone out of the said office, in the manner before stated, the said Board shall consist wholly of the persons who are named in the second section of this Ordinance, exclusive of the present members of said Board.

SECT. 4. That the members of said Board shall meet on the first Monday of April, A. D. 1875, and annually thereafter, on the same day, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and organize by the election of a President and Secretary, who shall serve until their successors are elected: *Provided*, Their terms as members of said Board shall so long continue, and immediately after such organization, on the first Monday of April, A. D. 1875, the said Board shall have, assume and exercise all the powers, duties, rights, authorities and immunities which belong to the present Board of Health, except as may be otherwise provided for in this Ordinance.

Before, however, any of the said persons who shall be elected in pursuance of this Ordinance, shall take any part in the proceedings of the said Board, they shall each take and subscribe an oath or affirmation that they will well and faithfully perform the duties of their said office.

SECT. 5. That in case a vacancy occurs in said Board, from the resignation, death or other displacement of any member thereof, who shall be elected in pursuance of this Ordinance, the said Councils, in Joint Convention, within one month after such vacancy shall occur, shall fill the unexpired term of such member.

SECT. 6. The Health Officer shall be the chief executive officer of the said Board, at the meetings of which he shall be entitled to be present, and take part in all proceedings, except voting, and shall appoint the chief clerk and messenger of the said Board, subject, however, to the approval of the said Board, and shall countersign all warrants.

SECT. 7. The President of said Board shall sign all warrants which may be drawn upon any appropriation made to said department: *Provided*, That before any such warrant shall be drawn, all bills or claims which are intended to be discharged thereby, shall be approved by the said Board and the Committee on Health of Councils.

SECT. 8. The subordinate officers and employees of the said Board, except as hereinbefore provided, shall be

elected by the said Board, annually, subject to such changes as Councils may by Ordinance authorize, nor shall the salary of any such officer or employee be increased over the amount now paid, except by Ordinance of Councils.

SECT. 9. A new Joint Committee on Health shall be appointed by the Presidents of both Chambers of Councils, which Committee shall consist of twelve members from each Chamber.

SECT. 10. All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict with this Ordinance, be and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 103.

To the Presidents and Members of Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance to make an appropriation for rock cutting on Cambridge or Gross street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, *Ch'n*,
AMOS M. SLACK,
SAML. A. MILLER,
DANL. W. GILBERT,
H. MARCUS,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,
JOHN FOX,

GEORGE DORLAN,
P. H. KLOHSE,
FERD. DOEBLEY,
WILLIAM McMULLIN,
W. K. PARK,
A. ALBRIGHT,
JOHN A. MISKEY.

March 4, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation to pay for rock cutting on Cambridge or Gross
street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of seven hundred and ninety-six dollars and fifty cents be and the same is hereby appropriated to pay for rock cutting on Cambridge

or Gross street, between Twenty-ninth street and Thirtieth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward. Warrants therefor to be drawn by the Chief Commissioner of Highways in conformity with existing Ordinances.

APPENDIX No. 104.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition and resolution to authorize the paving of Seventeenth street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	CHAS. THOMSON JONES,
P. H. KLOHSE,	W. K. PARK,
GEORGE DORLAN,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
AMOS M. SLACK,	A. ALBRIGHT,
JOHN FOX,	DANL. W. GILBERT,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	DANL. CURRIE,
WILLIAM McMULLIN,	SAML. A. MILLER,
H. MARCUS.	

March 4, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Seventeenth street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers for the paving of Seventeenth street, from Tioga street to Nicetown lane, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, with rubble pavement; cost of intersections not to exceed thirty-two hundred and thirty-seven dollars. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said street, and shall also enter into an obliga-

tion to the City to keep said street in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 105.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance amending an Ordinance for the grading of Foulkrod street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	DANIEL CURRIE,
GEORGE DORLAN,	WILLIAM McMULLIN,
AMOS M. SLACK,	H. MARCUS,
P. H. KLOHSE,	W. K. PARK,
SAML. A. MILLER,	A. ALBRIGHT,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	JOHN FOX,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	JOHN A. MISKEY,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES.	

March 4, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To amend an Ordinance entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Columbia avenue, Jefferson, Forty-second and Foulkrod streets.”

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That an Ordinance entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Columbia avenue, Jefferson, Forty-second and Foulkrod streets,” approved November 28th, A. D. 1874, be so amended with reference to the grading of Foulkrod street, as to read, from Bridge street to Leiper street, cost not to exceed twenty-seven hundred and thirty dollars, as follows, from Leiper street to Tacony creek, nine hundred and ninety-seven dollars and fifty cents, and from Tacony creek to Bridge street, seventeen hundred and thirty-two dollars and fifty cents.

APPENDIX No. 106.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select
and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petitions and resolutions to pave Moyer, Franklin, Eighth, Huntingdon and Orianna streets, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WILLIAM McMULLIN,
GEORGE DORLAN,	H. MARCUS,
AMOS M. SLACK,	H. McDOWELL,
P. H. KLOHSE,	W. K. PARK,
S. A. MILLER,	A. ALBRIGHT,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	THOMAS HILL,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	JOHN FOX,
DANIEL CURRIE,	JOHN A. MISKEY,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES.	

February 25, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Moyer, Franklin, Eighth, Huntingdon and Orianna streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers, who shall be selected by a majority of the owners of property fronting on the following streets, for the paving thereof, viz.: Moyer street, from Norris street to Otis street, in the Eighteenth Ward, with rubble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed four hundred and thirty-nine dollars; Franklin street, from Cumberland street to Huntingdon street, in the Nineteenth Ward, cost of intersections not to exceed two hundred and twenty-five dollars and fifty-four cents; Eighth street, from York street to Huntingdon street, in the Nineteenth Ward, cost of intersections not to exceed two hundred and fifty-nine dollars and fifty-six cents;

Huntingdon street, from Seventh street to Eighth street, in the Nineteenth Ward, cost of intersections not to exceed two hundred and eighty-four dollars and fifty-seven cents ; Orianna street, from Huntingdon street to Lehigh avenue, in the Nineteenth Ward, no cost for intersections. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said streets, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said streets in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 107.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petitions to grade Ormes and Stillman streets, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	P. H. KLOHSE,
GEORGE DORLAN,	AMOS M. SLACK,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,	WM. McMULLIN,
H. MARCUS,	W. K. PARK,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	DANL. CURRIE,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	JOHN FOX,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	SAML. A. MILLER.

March 4, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Ormes and Stillman streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade to the established grade of the City, Ormes street, from Cambria street to Indiana street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, cost not to exceed nine hundred and six dollars and seventy-five cents ; and Stillman street, from Jefferson

street to Oxford street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, cost not to exceed five hundred and thirty dollars.

APPENDIX No. 108.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition and resolution to pave Dickinson street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WILLIAM McMULLIN,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,	GEO. DORLAN,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	JOHN FOX,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	SAML. A. MILLER,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	AMOS M. SLACK,
H. MARCUS,	A. ALBRIGHT,
WM. K. PARK,	DANL. CURRIE,

P. H. KLOHSE.

February 25, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Dickinson street, in the Twenty sixth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers, who shall be selected by a majority of the owners of property fronting on Dickinson street, from Seventeenth street to Long lane, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, for the paving thereof, the cost of intersections not to exceed twenty-one hundred and twenty-six dollars and sixty-six cents. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said street, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said street in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 109.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition and resolution to grade Dickinson street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WILLIAM McMULLIN,
AMOS M. SLACK,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
GEORGE DORLAN,	P. H. KLOHSE,
S. A. MILLER,	A. ALBRIGHT,
DANIEL CURRIE,	JOHN FOX,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	DANIEL W. GILBERT,
II. MARCUS,	GEO. A. ENO,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	W. K. PARK.

February 25, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Dickinson street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade Dickinson street, from Seventeenth street to Long lane, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, to the established grade of the City ; the cost thereof not to exceed twenty-four hundred and seventy-six dollars.

APPENDIX No. 110.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petitions and resolutions to grade Thomas, Lex, Alter, Grape and Orchard streets, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same,

and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
P. H. KLOHSE,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,	GEO. DORLAN,
AMOS M. SLACK,	SAML. A. MILLER,
H. MARCUS,	A. ALBRIGHT,
W. K. PARK,	JOHN FOX,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	DANL. W. GILBERT,
DANL. CURRIE.	

March 4, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Thomas, Lex, Alter, Grape and Orchard streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade the following streets to the established grade of the City, viz.: Thomas street, from Ruan street to Tacony street, in the Twenty-third Ward, cost not to exceed six hundred and seventy-two dollars and fifty cents; Lex street, from Eadline street to Seneca street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, cost not to exceed six hundred dollars; Alter street, from Gray's Ferry avenue to Schuylkill avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, cost not to exceed three hundred and seventy-two dollars and seventy-five cents; Grape street, from Thirty-fifth street to Thirty-sixth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, cost not to exceed three hundred and twenty-one dollars and fifty cents; Orchard street, from Unity street to Mill street, in the Twenty-third Ward, cost not to exceed two hundred and eighty-six dollars and seventy-five cents.

APPENDIX No. 111.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petitions and resolutions to grade Franklin, Eighth, Huntingdon, Orianna and Mifflin streets, and Moyamensing avenue, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	GEORGE DORLAN,
AMOS M. SLACK,	P. H. KLOHSE,
S. A. MILLER,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	DANL. CURRIE,
WILLIAM McMULLIN,	H. MARCUS,
H. McDOWELL,	W. K. PARK,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	A. ALBRIGHT,
JOHN FOX,	JOHN A. MISKEY.

February 25, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Franklin, Eighth, Huntingdon, Orianna and Mifflin streets, and Moyamensing avenue.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Highways be and is hereby authorized to grade the following streets to the established grade of the City, viz. : Franklin street, from Cumberland street to Huntingdon street, in the Nineteenth Ward, cost not to exceed four hundred and thirteen dollars and fifty cents; Eighth street, from York street to Huntingdon street, in the Nineteenth Ward, cost not to exceed six hundred and forty-five dollars and fifty cents; Huntingdon street, from Seventh street to Eighth street, in the Nineteenth Ward, cost not to exceed three hundred and forty dollars and seventy-five cents; Orianna street, from Huntingdon street to Lehigh avenue, in the Nineteenth Ward, cost not to exceed three hundred and sixty-six dollars and seventy-five cents; Mifflin street, from Eighth street to Ninth street, in the First Ward, cost not

to exceed three hundred and six dollars and sixty-eight cents; Moyamensing avenue, from Seventh street to Eighth street, in the First Ward, cost not to exceed three hundred and seventy six dollars and seventy-five cents.

APPENDIX No. 112.

To the Presidents and Members of Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petitions and resolutions to pave Sergeant, Orchard, Lex, Thomas, Alter, Edward, Grape and Ormes streets, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	GEORGE DORLAN,
AMOS M. SLACK,	P. H. KLOHSE,
S. A. MILLER,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	DANL. CURRIE,
WILLIAM McMULLIN,	H. MARCUS,
W. K. PARK,	CHAS. THOMSON JONES,
JOHN FOX,	JOHN A. MISKEY.

March 4, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Sergeant, Orchard, Lex, Thomas, Alter, Edward, Grape and Ormes streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers for the paving of the following streets, viz.: Sergeant street, from Cedar street to Almond street, in the Nineteenth Ward, with rubble pavement, no cost for intersections; Orchard street, from Unity street, to Mill street, in the Twenty-third Ward, with rubble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed seven hundred dollars and fifty cents; Lex street, from Eadline street to Seneca street, in the

Twenty-fourth Ward, with rubble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed one hundred and ninety-nine dollars and fifty cents; Thomas street, from Ruan street, to Tacony street, in the Twenty-third Ward, with rubble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed four hundred and twenty-six dollars; Alter street, from Gray's Ferry avenue to Schuylkill avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, cost of intersections not to exceed three hundred and sixty-eight dollars and thirty-three cents; Edward street, from Pine street to Adams street, in the Twenty-third Ward, with rubble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed three hundred and eighty-four dollars; Grape street, from Thirty-fifth street to Thirty-sixth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, with rubble pavement, no cost for intersections; Ormes street, from Cambria street to Indiana street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, no cost for intersections. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said streets, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said streets in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 113.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition and resolution to grade Seventeenth street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	GEORGE DORLAN,
AMOS M. SLACK,	P. H. KLOHSE,
S. A. MILLER,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	DANL. CURRIE,
WM. McMULLIN,	HENRY MARCUS,
WM. K. PARK,	JOHN FOX,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	A. ALBRIGHT,
JOHN A. MISKEY.	

March 4, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Seventeenth street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade Seventeenth street, from Tioga street to Nicetown lane, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, to the established grade of the City; cost not to exceed three thousand and sixteen dollars and seventy-five cents.

APPENDIX No. 114.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance to authorize the opening of Myrtle street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
GEO. DORLAN,	P. H. KLOHSE,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	AMOS M. SLACK,
S. A. MILLER,	A. ALBRIGHT,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	DANL. CURRIE,
HENRY MARCUS,	W. K. PARK,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	JOHN FOX,
JNO. A. MISKEY.	

March 4, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Myrtle street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Myrtle street, from Lancaster avenue to Forty-second street,

in the Twenty-fourth Ward, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

APPENDIX No. 115.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—Your Committee on Surveys and Regulations, to whom was referred the Ordinance to authorize the extension of the Girard avenue sewer, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, report that there is a portion of the sewer required for draining the Centennial buildings, extending from Belmont and Elm avenues to Girard avenue, thence east along Girard avenue to Thirty-eighth street, and on Thirty-eighth street to Poplar street, along Poplar street to Fairmount Park, and through the Park to the Mantua creek sewer, which empties into the river below the dam. That part on Girard avenue was built last year in advance of the paving, and now has a temporary outlet in the middle of Thirty-eighth street, before the drainage can be let into it, or it can be made available for the Centennial drainage, the remainder must be built. The Ordinance is herewith returned, with a respectful request that it be adopted.

WM. THORNTON, *Ch'n*,
JOHN Siner,
S. C. COLLINS,
GEO. E. HALL,
WM. K. PARK,
JOHN FOX,

WM. JAMES,
PETER RITTENHOUSE,
B. F. BONHAM,
JOS. J. MARTIN,
JOHN C. BICKEL,
HENRY GLASS,

R. H. CLIFFORD.

March 3, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the extension of the Girard avenue sewer, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of

Highways is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with one or more competent mechanics, for the extension of the Girard avenue sewer, commencing at Thirty-eighth street, and extending along said Thirty-eighth street to Poplar street, thence on Poplar street to Fairmount Park, of the diameter of four feet and six inches in the clear, and through the said Park, with a diameter of five and five-and-a-half feet to the Mantua creek sewer.

SECT. 2. That it shall be the duty of the Chief Engineer and Surveyor to prepare plans and specifications for the said sewers, and that the contract or contracts entered into for the construction thereof, shall be in accordance with such plans and specifications.

SECT. 3. That before entering into the said contract or contracts, the Chief Commissioner of Highways shall cause advertisements to be made for sealed proposals for the construction of the sewer; and that the contract or contracts therefor shall be awarded by them to the lowest and best bidders; and no contract or contracts therefor shall be binding on the City of Philadelphia until the same shall have been approved by these Councils.

SECT. 4. That no proposal for the construction of the said sewer shall be considered by the said Chief Commissioner of Highways, unless accompanied by an engagement in writing, from two or more sufficient sureties, guaranteeing the faithful execution of the contract, in case such proposal be accepted.

SECT. 5. That as the completion of the said sewer shall progress, there shall be assessed and charged upon the properties in front of which the same shall be completed, the sum of one dollar and fifty cents for each lineal foot of the front of the said properties.

SECT. 6. That it shall be a condition of such contract, that the contractor shall accept the sums so assessed and charged under the foregoing section of this Ordinance, in part payment of his contract price, and that he shall collect the same at his own cost; and the better to enable him so to do, he may use the name of the City of Philadelphia, and employ all legal remedies or proceedings, whether of lien or otherwise, to which the said City may be competent.

SECT. 7. That payments may be made while the work of

constructing the sewer is in progress, by the Chief Commissioner of Highways, in warrants upon the City Treasurer, charged to a loan for said purpose, approved . . . said payments, in all cases, to be made upon a certificate of the Chief Engineer and Surveyor, estimating the amount of work done : *Provided*, That for all current estimates, no payments shall exceed four-fifths of the money meritoriously earned under said contract, after deducting the ratable proportion of the assessments referred to in section 5 of this Ordinance ; said payments to be made in the bonds of the City of Philadelphia, or in cash, at the discretion of the Mayor.

SECT. 8. Satisfactory evidence shall be furnished by the contractor to the Chief Commissioner of Highways, that full payment has been made for all labor done and materials furnished, previously to drawing a warrant for the final estimate of any work done by virtue of this Ordinance, and the Chief Commissioners of Highways shall require full and entire payment by the contractor of all labor and materials on account of such work ; and the said Commissioner shall give one month's notice, in two daily papers, of the time at which final payment will be made on each and every final estimate.

APPENDIX No. 116.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—Your Committee on Surveys and Regulations, to whom was referred the petitions for sewers, report that these cases require immediate attention, to protect property from damage by flooding, to prepare land for improvements now under contract for erection, and in one case (that of Jacoby street) to relieve properties now already flooded, and have been for some time. This case is one of peculiar hardship, and, as you are aware, was brought to the notice of Councils by a communication from the Board of Health. An Ordinance for the construction

of these sewers is herewith presented, and we respectfully ask its adoption.

WM. THORNTON, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. JAMES,
B. F. BONHAM,	PETER RITTENHOUSE,
JOS. J. MARTIN,	JOHN SINER,
GEORGE E. HALL,	S. C. COLLINS,
W. K. PARK,	JOHN C. BICKEL,
R. H. CLIFFORD,	JOHN FOX,
HENRY GLASS.	

March 3, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the construction of sewers on Commerce and Norris streets, and on an alley situate on the west side of Jacoby street, about one hundred feet south of Monterey street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Highways be and is hereby authorized to construct the following sewers, viz.: On Commerce street, from Fifth to Sixth street; on Norris street, from the west curb line of Belgrade street to Almond street, each with a clear inside diameter of three feet; and also a fifteen inch terra cotta pipe drain on an alley situate on the west side of Jacoby street, about one hundred feet south of Monterey street, and extending from the sewer on said Jacoby street westward to the west side of a ten feet wide street, being a distance of one hundred and ten feet, or thereabouts. Said sewers to be built in accordance with specifications prepared by the Chief Engineer and Surveyor.

SECT. 2. The Chief Commissioner of Highways shall advertise according to law, announcing that bids will be received for the sewers above designated, and he shall allot them to the lowest bidders, and it shall be a condition of said contract that the contractor shall accept the sums assessed upon and charged to the properties lying on the lines of said sewers in manner and form authorized by Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance regulating the assessment upon property for the construction of branch culverts or drains," approved May 12th, 1866, and supplement thereto approved February 16th, 1869, any excess over

and above said assessment, in addition to that provided for by Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Chief Commissioner of Highways to draw warrants for street intersections, manholes, and legal deductions in the construction of branch sewers," approved April 3d, 1868, to be charged to Item (for branch sewers) of annual appropriation made to the Department of Highways for the year 1875: *Provided*, Said excess does not exceed the sum of four hundred and fifty dollars.

APPENDIX No. 117.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—Your Committee on Surveys and Regulations, to whom was referred the petition to have Hart street located upon the City plan, report that from information derived from the Board of Surveyors, we find that the said Hart street is a public street, has been opened for a number of years from Kensington avenue to Indiana street, and that the south side of said Hart street, from D to Boudinot street, is built up with brick dwelling houses. We offer the accompanying Ordinance, and respectfully ask its adoption.

WM. THORNTON, *Ch'n*,
B. F. BONHAM,
JOS. J. MARTIN,
GEORGE E. HALL,
W. K. PARK,
R. H. CLIFFORD,

WM. JAMES,
PETER RITTENHOUSE,
JOHN Siner,
S. C. COLLINS,
JOHN C. BICKEL,
JOHN FOX,

HENRY GLASS.

March 3, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To locate Hart street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, upon the plan of the City.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Surveys be and is hereby authorized and directed to locate upon

the plans of the City Hart street, from D street to Indiana street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward.

APPENDIX No. 118.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—Your Committee on Surveys and Regulations, to whom was referred the resolution of instruction to the Board of Surveyors to revise lines and grades on plan 123, report that the streets were laid out and confirmed on City plan before the establishment of Monument Cemetery, but subsequently when the grades were fixed, that part occupied by the cemetery was omitted. These streets have now been opened by jury, and it is necessary to have the grades fixed, in order that the paving might be done. We present herewith an Ordinance covering the case, and respectfully ask its adoption.

WILLIAM THORNTON, *Ch'n*,
B. F. BONHAM,
JOS J. MARTIN,
GEO. E. HALL,
W. K. PARK,
R. H. CLIFFORD,

WILLIAM JAMES,
PETER RITTENHOUSE,
JOHN SINER,
S. C. COLLINS,
JOHN C. BICKEL,
JOHN FOX,

HENRY GLASS.

March 3, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To revise the lines and grades upon plan No. 123.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Surveys be and is hereby authorized and directed to prepare plans in duplicate, revising plan No. 123, and establishing grades and curb lines on streets passing through Monument Cemetery, in the Twenty-eighth Ward.

APPENDIX No. 119.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—Your Committee on Surveys and Regulations to whom was referred the resolution to revise the grades upon Ruscomb street, in the Twenty-second Ward, beg leave to report that the change will be of advantage to the owners of property upon said street, and that it can be made without detriment to the public interests. They, therefore, present the accompanying Ordinance, and ask its passage.

WM. THORNTON, *Ch'n*,
PETER RITTENHOUSE,
JOS. J. MARTIN,
GEORGE E. HALL,
W. K. PARK,
R. H. CLIFFORD,

WM. JAMES.
B. F. BONHAM,
JOHN Siner,
S. C. COLLINS,
JOHN C. BICKEL,
JOHN FOX,

HENRY GLASS.

March 3, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To revise the grades upon Ruscomb street, in the Twenty-second Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Surveys be and is hereby directed to prepare plans in duplicate for the revision of grades on Ruscomb street, between the Germantown Railroad and East Logan street, in the Twenty-second Ward.

APPENDIX No. 120.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—Your Committee on Surveys and Regulations, to whom was referred the resolution to revise the plan of Peal street, in the Twenty-second Ward, beg leave to report that upon inquiry they find the measure

advisable, the street as proposed being the best locality for a sewer needed at that point, its line coinciding with that of the natural drainage, and that it will be advantageously situated with respect to the surrounding properties.

For these reasons your Committee present and recommend the passage of the accompanying Ordinance.

WM. THORNTON, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. JAMES,
B. F. BONHAM,	PETER RITTENHOUSE,
JOS. J. MARTIN,	JOHN SINER,
GEORGE E. HALL,	S. C. COLLINS,
W. K. PARK,	JOHN C. BICKEL,
R. H. CLIFFORD,	JOHN FOX,
HENRY GLASS.	

March 4, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To place Peal street, in the Twenty-second Ward, upon the City plan.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Surveys be and is hereby directed to place Peal street, between Penn street and Mill street, in the Twenty-second Ward, upon the City plan, of the width of sixty feet, extending from a point on the northwest side of Penn street, at the distance of two hundred and four feet and six inches northeast of the northeast side of the Philadelphia, Germantown and Norristown Railroad, northwestward along the line dividing ground of Samuel H. Collom from ground of the Reading Railroad Company, to a point on the southeast side of Mill street, at the distance of three hundred and thirty-two feet two and one-fourth inches northeast of the northeast side of the Philadelphia, Germantown and Norristown Railroad.

APPENDIX No. 121

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—Your Committee on Surveys and Regulations, to whom was referred the resolution to au-

thorize a revision of the lines in a portion of the Twenty seventh Ward, report that such revision is required to provide for a sufficient and convenient outlet for King-essing avenue, and to so locate Forty-third street as to make a direct connection between a section of the Mill creek sewer at Baltimore avenue, and a section of said sewer at Woodland avenue. It is also advisable to revise the grades in the locality, so that the expense of bringing streets and lots to grade may be reduced. We herewith present an Ordinance to meet the case, and respectfully ask its approval.

WM. THORNTON, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. JAMES,
B. F. BONHAM,	PETER RITTENHOUSE,
JOS. J. MARTIN,	JOHN Siner,
GEORGE E. HALL,	S. C. COLLINS,
W. K. PARK,	JOHN C. BICKEL,
R. H. CLIFFORD,	JOHN FOX,
HENRY GLASS.	

March 3, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize a revision of the lines and grades in a portion of the Twenty-seventh Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Surveys be authorized and directed to revise the lines and grades in that portion of the Twenty-seventh Ward bounded on the north by Lombard street, south by Woodlands avenue, east by Forty-second street, and west by Forty-seventh street.

APPENDIX No. 122.

To the Presidents and Members of the
Common Council of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Police, to whom was referred the petition for permission to erect a temporary wooden chapel on Fifth street, north of Huntingdon

street, for the use of the First United Protestant Congregation of Philadelphia, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

JOHN F. GLENN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	JNO. C. MARTIN,
SAML. R. JAMISON,	JOHN J. GEGAN,
E. H. HAYHURST,	SAML. WILLIAMSON,
M. A. DAVIS,	DAVID MOUAT,
ALEX. RUSSELL,	W. K. PARK,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	N. SPERING,
O. HOWARD WILSON,	WM. BRADLY.

March 4, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

Granting permission to Mahlon Schock and others to erect a temporary frame chapel on the east side of Fifth street, north of Huntingdon, in the Nineteenth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That permission be and is hereby granted to Mahlon Schock and others to erect a temporary frame chapel on the east side of Fifth street, north of Huntingdon street, in the Nineteenth Ward: *Provided*, The permission hereby granted shall be revocable by the City of Philadelphia at its option, by the passage of an Ordinance or resolution to that effect without notice: *And provided*, That the said Mahlon Schock and others first pay into the City Treasury for the use of the City, the sum of twenty-five dollars to pay for the publication of this Ordinance; all Ordinances or parts of Ordinances to the contrary hereof notwithstanding.

APPENDIX No. 123.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Police, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance creating a Board to regulate the use of Fire Escapes," respectfully re-

port that they have given the subject full consideration, and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN F. GLENN, *Ch'n*,
ALEXANDER RUSSELL,
SAML. WILLIAMSON,
WM. BRADLY,
JNO. J. GEGAN,
E. H. HAYHURST,
W. K. PARK,

M. A. DAVIS,
J. C. MARTIN,
SAML. R. JAMISON,
O. HOWARD WILSON,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,
DAVID MOUAT,
N. SPERING.

March 4, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

Creating a Board to regulate the use of Fire Escapes.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That from and after the passage of this Ordinance, three Building Inspectors, three members of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to be chosen by that body, and the Mayor of the City of Philadelphia, who shall be President thereof, shall constitute a Board to consider and enforce the provisions of this Ordinance, for the location and construction of fire escapes, for the greater security of life and property.

SECT. 2. That on the second Monday after the passage of this Ordinance, the members of said Board shall meet at ten o'clock in the forenoon, and annually thereafter, at the office of the Mayor, and organize by the election of a secretary, who shall be a member of said Board.

SECT. 3. The Building Inspectors shall report to the Board all buildings in progress of construction, intended to be used for manufacturing purposes, or the employment of a large number of operators, or buildings of great elevation, designed for use or occupation as places of amusement, exhibition, or for society purposes, or of such size, elevation or design as requires proper provision for safe access or egress. And said Board shall have power and authority, if in their judgment advisable, to require within thirty (30) days after notice served upon the owner or owners of any such premises, that such owner or owners shall provide suitable non-combustible safety fire escapes upon the outside of such premises, or such parts of

the same, and of such design and character as shall be approved by said Board. And if any owner or owners of such premises shall neglect or refuse to comply with the provisions of this Ordinance, he or they shall be subject to a penalty of five hundred (500) dollars, recoverable in manner and form as like penalties are by law recoverable.

SECT. 4. The meetings of the Board shall be held at least once in each month: *Provided*, That the creation of this Board shall incur no additional expense to the City.

APPENDIX No. 124.

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR,
PHILADELPHIA, *March 11, 1875.*

HON. A. WILSON HENSZEY,
President of Common Council :

DEAR SIR :—The grades on Girard avenue, from Thirty-first street to the river Schuylkill, which now exist on the confirmed plan of the City, were fixed many years ago, before any bridge had been built across the Schuylkill river at Girard avenue. The cross streets do not now exist, on account of the ground having been taken for the Park, and the old grades are entirely unsuited to the present condition of the street and contiguous grounds. It is, therefore, very necessary that the grades should be revised before the street is paved, and I recommend that authority be given for that purpose.

Very truly,
SAMUEL L. SMEDLEY,
Chief Engineer and Surveyor.

APPENDIX No. 125.

And now, November 27th, 1874, the following named persons are appointed to report to the Court of Quarter Sessions upon the prayer of the within petition in accordance with the Act of the 23d day of May, A. D. 1874 :

Nathan Hilles, Frankford, Twenty-third Ward.

James S. Watson, 1229 North Broad street, Twentieth Ward.

Hamilton Disston, 1443 North Fifteenth street, Twenty-ninth Ward.

William D. Baker, Twenty-seventh Ward, Office Fourth street, below Chestnut.

W. M. Riley, 202 Wharton street, First Ward.

JOSEPH ALLISON.

*To the Honorable the Judges of the Court of Quarter Sessions
of the City and County of Philadelphia :*

The undersigned, appointed by your Honorable Court, November 27th, 1874, to report to the Court of Quarter Sessions, upon the prayer of the petition for a division of the Nineteenth Ward of the said City, by a line marking the centre of Howard street, in accordance with the Act of the 23d day of May, A. D. 1874, respectfully report that all the Commissioners met at the office of Edward R. Worrell, Esq., No. 514 Walnut street, in the City of Philadelphia, and in the presence of each other, were duly qualified to discharge their duties with fidelity. They then organized by the election of William D. Baker as Chairman, and James S. Watson as Secretary. That subsequently all the Commissioners viewed and examined the premises. The Commissioners held several meetings, at which they were attended by Edward R. Worrell, Esq., as counsel for the petitioners, and by Christian Kneass, Esq., as counsel for other citizens and electors of the said Ward.

That at these meetings several electors of the Ward were examined under oath as to the best lines for a division of the Ward, with the reasons therefor.

It is proper here to state, that Mr. Worrell, representing the petitioners, contended that the Commissioners had no power to originate or report a division other than that contained in the petition. That under the Act of Assembly the Commissioners were to inquire into the propriety of granting the prayer, and that there was no single word giving to the Commissioners power to suggest or recommend, or report divisional bounds not proposed by the petition.

The Commissioners, however, being of opinion, that they did have such power, have proceeded to exercise it, and the division which they hereafter report is one not proposed by the petitioners. Should the Commissioners be wrong in their interpretation of the statute, the petitioners can, if they desire, file exceptions to this report, when the whole matter will come before the Court for consideration or correction, if error has been committed.

The Commissioners have made a draft of the Ward to be divided, showing the division thereof, which is hereunto annexed.

The Commissioners report to the Honorable Court and recommend that the said Nineteenth Ward be divided by a line marking the intersection of Frankford road to Norris street, by the centre of Norris street to Front street, by the centre of Front street to Kensington avenue, by the centre of Kensington avenue to Lehigh avenue, by the centre of Lehigh avenue to Aramingo canal, by the centre of Aramingo canal to Norris street, and by the centre of Norris street to the intersection of Frankford road.

The other Ward will then be bounded, as follows: Commencing at a line marking the intersection of Frankford road and Norris street, by the centre of Frankford road to Oxford street, by the centre of Oxford street to Sixth street, by the centre of Sixth street to Germantown avenue, by the centre of Germantown avenue to Lehigh avenue, by the centre of Lehigh avenue to Kensington avenue, by the centre of Kensington avenue to Front street, by the centre of Front street to Norris street, by the centre of Norris street to the intersection of Frankford road, the place of beginning.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM D. BAKER,
JAMES S. WATSON,
HAMILTON DISSTON,
HENRY N. REILLY,
NATHAN HILLES.

The fees of the Commissioners are fixed by the Commissioners at thirty dollars for each Commissioner, six days, at five dollars per diem each.

WILLIAM D. BAKER.

*To the Honorable the Judges of the Court of Quarter Sessions
of the City and County of Philadelphia.*

The undersigned qualified electors of the Nineteenth Ward of the said City, respectfully pray the court that said Ward may be divided in accordance with the provisions of the act of Assembly, approved the 23d day of May, A. D. 1874, entitled "An Act dividing the cities of this State into three classes," &c. And your petitioners would suggest to the court that the said Ward may be divided by a line marking the centre of Howard street.

And they will ever pray, &c.

John Seiberling, Fourth and Susquenanna avenue.

John Motz, 2144 North Third street.

John Spittall, 1913 Coral street

John F. Walker, M. D., 201 Columbia avenue.

John Moffet, 1614 North Second street.

Thos. Branson, 1640 American street.

Geo. Branson, 1640 American street.

P. B. Myers, 1644 American street.

Geo. D. Bromley, 406 East York street.

Thos. Bromley, 124 Diamond street.

David Geisler, 569 East Cumberland street.

James Moffet, 1616 North Second street.

F. H. Schlicher, 2111 North Fourth street.

D. F. Focht, 221 Susquehanna avenue.

James Daley, 1813 North Second street.

George Spence, 1606 North Second street.

James Gormly, 1606 American street.

J. T. Hoskinson Jr., 2000 North Front street.

J. T. Hoskinson, Sr., 2000 North Front street.

Wm. M. Hall, 2126 Trenton avenue.

Vogelbach Bros., 2132 Frankford avenue.

Jos. A. Taylor, 413 East York street.

C. Jos. Dacey, northwest corner Mascher and York streets.

Joseph Roantree, southwest corner Mascher and York streets.

Robt. J. McQuillin, 2129 Lawrence street.

James Craig, 2105 North Fifth street.

Robt. R. Hall, 424 Diamond street.

- Abraham L. Stackhouse, 2004 Sepviva street.
 Philip H. Lutts, 2225 North Front street.
 Wesley H. Georges, 427 Oxford street.
 Wm. Buchietz, 425 Oxford street.
 Thos. McCarthy, 2213 Howard street.
 Saml. H. Vankirk, 421 Diamond street.
 Edward A. Timpe, 1744 Cadwallader street.
 Wm. Kelly, 1747 Fittler street.
 Jas. Gillespie, 1043 Wilson street.
 Wm. J. Moffit, 543 Ella street.
 Wm. Schell, 711 Otis street.
 Alex. Swope, 2227 Howard street.
 Alois Sager, 2025 Emerald street.
 George Myers, 2525 Mutter street.
 John Logue, 1639 Summer street.
 Martin Walsh, 1041 East York street.
 Patrick McOsker, 1946 Phillip street.
 Jos. H. Allen, 2101 Guiss street.
 N. H. Ettinger, Southwest corner Fourth and Diamond streets.
 John Gibbery, Third and Diamond streets.
 R. H. MacMunn, Northwest corner Third and Norris streets.
 O. Cressman, 2159 Manikin street.
 Chas. H. Delaney, 2127 North Fifth street.
 Saml. W. Sheppard, 2054 North Third street.
 John Stein, 1946 Orianna street.
 A. Nuss, Northeast corner Fourth and Diamond streets.
 James Goodfellow, 219 Susquehanna avenue.
 Ephraim Y. Apple, 2132 Hancock street.
 H. F. Sellers, M. D., 2049 North Fourth street.
 Gordon J. O'Neill, 234 Diamond street.
 G. A. Bachmann, M. D., 2024 North Second street.
 Ruben Steltz, Fourth and Diamond streets.
 D. F. Chapman, 2041 North Fourth street.
 J. W. Bishop, 2045 North Fourth street.
 Jno. D. Eddleman, 2052 Orianna street.
 Chas. McQuille, 2025 Orianna street.
 J. L. Howard, 1923 North Second street.
 Chas. W. Potter, 2012 Hancock street.
 John Wood, 2025 Hancock street.
 Daniel Donahue, 2549 Mascher street.

Stephen Wood, 2025 Hancock street.
Harry A. Sellers, 2049 North Fourth street.
Caspar Eberwein, 259 Norris street.
Robt. W. Dickson, 2001 North Fourth street.
Amos Clark, 254 Susquehanna avenue.
James Paul, Jr., 2016 North Fifth street.
Henry Garver, 2105 Leithgow street.
M. W. Hagan, 2221 North Fourth street.
J. M. Higgins, M. D., 1961 Germantown avenue.
M. P. Sharp, 428 West Norris street.
P. G. A. Weber, 1961 Germantown avenue.
Fred. Schmidt, 419 Berks street.
Andrew J. Bonner, Sr., 1702 North Second street.
Andrew J. Bonner, Jr., 1702 North Second street.
James J. Bonner, 1702 North Second street.
Edward Devlin, 416 Diamond street.
Geo. M. Bachner, 2023 Germantown avenue.
Stuart Field, 2052 North Fifth street.
Nicholas Borger, 2050 North Fifth street.
Edwin S. Levy, 2047 North Fifth street.
Jesse Lenhart, 2051 North Fifth street.
Nicholas Martin, North Fifth street.
Michl. Sutters, 2048 Kressler street.
Wm. Linker, 2002 North Fifth street.
James O'Brien, 2003 Kressler street.
Dennis McCarty, 2035 Kressler street.
Bernard Hamil, 2013 North Fifth street.
Fred. Defner, 2029 North Fifth street.
James Oran, 2021 North Fifth street.
Anthony Agque, 2505 North Third street.
Benj. R. Caskey, 2243 North Sixth street.
Jno. B. Geiss, 1628 North Second street.
Patk. Longhun, 1628 North Second street.
Karl Neal, Northwest corner Second and Oxford streets.
Philip Aaron, 1712 North Second street.
Wm. J. Smyth, 2043 North Fourth street.
Thos. Hawkins, 2036 Philip street.
Jacob S. Rentz, 2059 Elbow street.
Aaron J. Oberly, 2061 American street.
John Gormly, 233 Columbia avenue.
Francis McAleer, 1626 American street.
H. M. Bryan, 220 Dauphin street.

W. C. Halpen, 2216 Hancock street.
 Patk. Loan, 2348 Mascher street.
 Francis M. Fiedler, 2225 Cedar street.
 Chas. Brawn, 2100 Hancock street.
 August Schreiber, 2024 Howard street.
 John Dean, 2218 Leithgow street.
 Chas. C. Howell, 203 Columbia avenue.
 J. C. Pennepacker, 2215 North Fourth street.
 Francis Nugent, 1800 North Second street.
 M. J. Devereaux, 711 East Lehigh avenue,
 Geo. Rankin, 146 York street.
 Gulessarot Zieff, 2400 Howard street.
 A. Schimpff, 2353 North Second street.
 M. Schimpff, 2362 Palethorp street.
 Wm. Henry Wollaven, 2212 Mutter street.

I, HIRAM F. SELLERS, being one of the petitioners, being duly *sworn*, state, that the facts set forth in the petition are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HIRAM F. SELLERS.

Sworn and subscribed before
 me, this 17th day of November,
 A. D. 1874.

W. W. DOUGHERTY,
 [SEAL.] *Alderman.*
 Filed November 28, 1874.

DECREE OF COURT.

In the matter of the division of the Nineteenth Ward

And now, to wit, January 23d, 1875, the report of the Commissioners having been duly considered, it is ordered and decreed that the same be confirmed. And it is further ordered, that a vote of the qualified electors of the said Nineteenth Ward, shall be taken on the question of a division of said Ward, as proposed by the Commissioners, at the next municipal election, to be held in the City and County of Philadelphia.

J. T. PRATT.

Filed January 23, 1875.

DIVISION OF WARD.

General Return of Votes for Division of Ward for the City of Philadelphia, at an Election held in the Nineteenth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, on Tuesday, Sixteenth day of February, A. D. 1875.—R. L. W., Jr.

PRECINCTS.	FOR DIVISION.	AGAINST DIVISION.
First.....	67	..
Second.....	24	..
Third.....	..	..
Fourth.....	68	..
Fifth.....	101	..
Sixth.....	55	1
Seventh.....	16	..
Eighth.....	50	3
Ninth.....	43	1
Tenth.....	..	19
Eleventh.....	21	..
Twelfth.....	63	..
Thirteenth.....	47	..
Fourteenth.....	85	..
Fifteenth.....	80	..
Sixteenth.....	5	..
Seventeenth.....	58	..
Eighteenth.....	..	..
Nineteenth.....	125	..
Twentieth.....	53	..
Twenty-first.....	100	..
Twenty-second.....	47	..
Twenty-third.....	..	..
Twenty-fourth.....	59	1
Twenty-fifth.....	15	7
Twenty-sixth.....	46	..
Twenty-seventh.....	89	..
Twenty-eighth.....	96	..
Twenty-ninth.....	..	..
Thirtieth.....	50	..
Thirty-first.....	94	2
Thirty-second.....	64	1
Thirty-third.....	18	..
Thirty-fourth.....	35	..
Thirty-fifth.....	14	1
Thirty-sixth.....	69	..
Thirty-seventh.....	100	3
Thirty-eighth.....	82	..
Thirty-ninth.....	97	..
Fortieth.....	45	..
Forty-first.....	52	2
Forty-second.....	89	..
Forty-third.....	50	..
Forty-fourth.....	84	..
Forty-fifth.....	85	..
Forty-sixth.....	13	..
Forty-seventh.....	49	1
Forty-eighth.....	8	1
Forty-ninth.....	73	..
Fiftieth.....	54	..
Fifty-first.....	..	1
Fifty-second.....	85	..
Fifty-third.....	43	..
Fifty-fourth.....	78	..
Total.....	2,894	44

Certified correct, CRAIG BIDDLE,
T. K. FINLETTER, } Judges.
THOS. R. ELCOCK, }

Filed March 2, 1875.

FINAL DECREE

In the Court of Quarter Sessions of Philadelphia.

In the matter of the division of the Nineteenth Ward.

And now, March 2d, 1875, it appearing to the court that in pursuance of the decree of the court, made the 23d day of January, A. D. 1875, a vote of the qualified electors of the said Nineteenth Ward, was taken on the question of a division of said Ward (as proposed by the Commissioners), at the municipal election, held on the 16th day of February, A. D. 1875, and it further appearing that the majority of the votes so taken are for a division, it is now ordered, adjudged and decreed, that the said Nineteenth Ward be divided, agreeably to the lines marked out and returned by the Commissioners, and that the Ward described as follows, to wit: "Commencing at a line marking the intersection of Frankford road and Norris street, by the centre of Frankford road to Oxford street, by the centre of Oxford street to Sixth street, by the centre of Sixth street to Germantown avenue, by the centre of Germantown avenue to Lehigh avenue, by the centre of Lehigh avenue to Kensington avenue, to Front street, by the centre of Front street to Norris street, by the centre of Norris street to the intersection of Frankford road, to the place of beginning, shall be numbered the Nineteenth, and that the other said Ward, shall be numbered the Thirty-first. And it is ordered that a certified copy of the whole proceedings be placed of record among the minutes of the Councils of said City of Philadelphia.

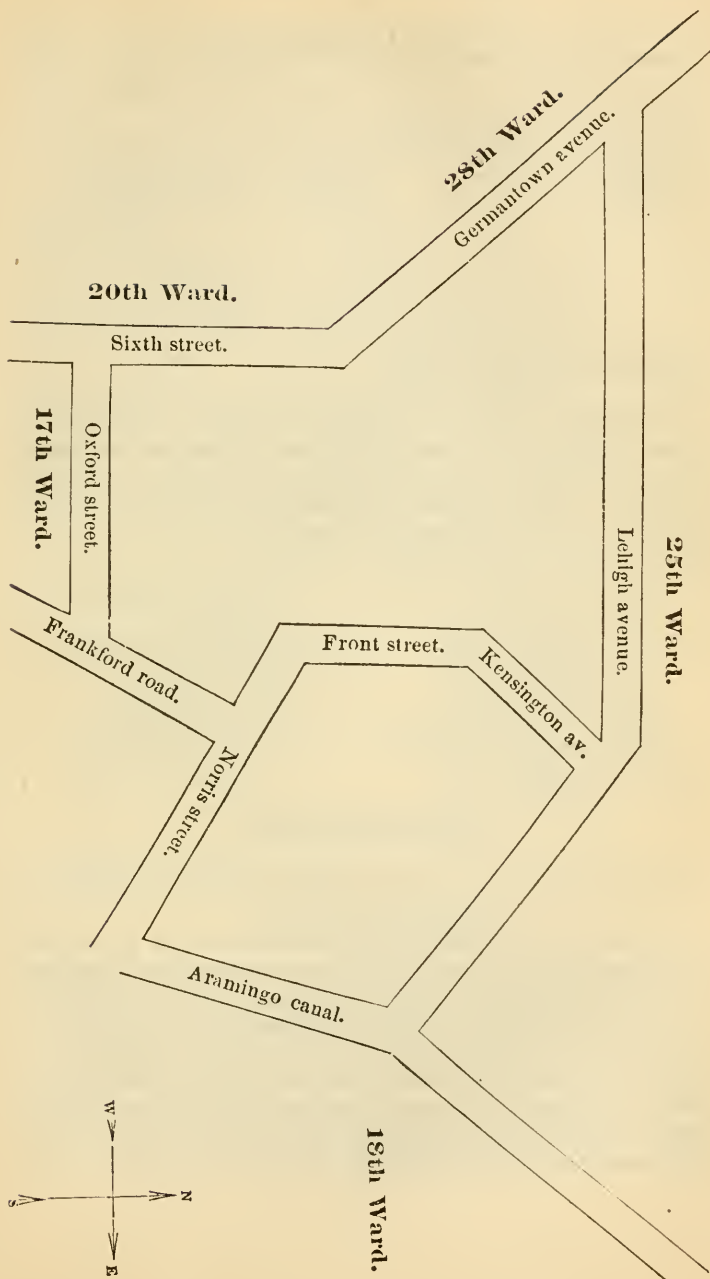
JAMES R. LUDLOW,

Judge of O. & T. & Q. S.

March 2, 1875,

Phila. Co.

Filed March 3, 1875.



I certify the within to be a true and correct copy of and plan of the whole matter, in relation to the division of the Nineteenth Ward, as remains of record in the office of the Court of Quarter Sessions.

Witness my hand and seal of said Court, this ninth day of March, A. D. 1875.

[SEAL.]

ROBT. S. GARRISON,
Pro Clerk.

APPENDIX No. 126.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance to make an appropriation to the City Commissioners, to pay the overseers of the February election, 1875, and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,
WM. B. COLLINS,
JAS. SUBERS,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
WM. BALDWIN,
JAS. W. ALLEN,
W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,

H. MARCUS,
JAS. R. GATES,
S. G. KING,
O. HOWARD WILSON,
GEO. A. SMITH,
WM. BRADLY,
W. W. BURNELL.

March 11, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation to the City Commissioners to pay the overseers of the February election, 1875.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of six thousand five hundred and ten (6,510) dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated to the City Commissioners to pay the overseers of the election held February 16th, 1875: *Provided*, The certificate shall be signed by the majority and minority inspector, that the overseer served on election day. Warrants to be drawn by the City Commissioners in conformity with existing Ordinances.

APPENDIX No. 127.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered a resolution of direction to the Guardians of the Poor, to invite proposals and obtain plans, &c., for the erection of wooden pavilions for the insane department, in accordance with Item 94 in the annual appropriation to the Guardians of the Poor for the year 1875. Said item requires that the architect shall be selected by Councils, and upon specifications duly prepared and approved by Councils, proposals to be advertised for, and opened in the presence of the Finance Committee ; the contract for the erection of the same to be awarded to the lowest bidder. In accordance with said item, the Committee recommend Frederic G. Thorn, as architect to supervise, at a compensation of \$300 ; also submit plans and specifications for the approval of Councils, and submit the annexed bill to carry said item into effect, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,
WM. B. COLLINS,
JAS. SUBERS,
JAS. R. GATES,
WM. BALDWIN,
JAS. W. ALLEN,
JOS. L. CAVEN,

H. MARCUS,
W. W. BURNELL,
WM. BRADLY,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
O. HOWARD WILSON,
S. G. KING,
GEO. A. SMITH,

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN.

March 11, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To select an architect, approve plans and specifications, and authorize proposals to be advertised for, for the building wooden pavilions for the use of the insane and hospital department at the Philadelphia Almshouse.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That Frederic G. Thorn be selected as architect, to supervise the building of wooden pavilions for the use of the insane and hospital departments at the Philadelphia Almshouse, for the sum of three

hundred dollars, and that the plans and specifications submitted to the Committee on Finance be approved; said plans and specifications to be the property of the City of Philadelphia. And the Board of Guardians of the Poor are hereby directed to advertise in three newspapers daily for one week, for proposals for the building of said wooden pavilions in accordance with said plans and specifications, said proposals to be opened in the presence of the Finance Committee, and contract to be awarded to the lowest bidder, security to be ten per cent. of the amount bid; the expenses of the above to be taken from Item 94 in the Ordinance making an appropriation to the Guardians of the Poor for the year 1875.

APPENDIX No. 128.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance to approve the sureties of Henry C. Selby, Registrar of Water, and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	S. G. KING,
WM. B. COLLINS,	H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
JAS. SUBERS,	JAS. W. ALLEN,
W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,	JAS. R. GATES,
O. HOWARD WILSON,	GEO. A. SMITH,
W. W. BURNELL,	WM. BRADLY,
JOS. L. CAVEN,	H. MARCUS,
WM. BALDWIN.	

March 11, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To approve the sureties of Henry C. Selby, Registrar of Water.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That William B. R. Selby, David H. Lane and J. Peter Gohl be and they are hereby approved as the sureties of Henry C. Selby, Registrar of

Water. And the City Solicitor is hereby directed to prepare the proper bond and warrant of attorney for said parties to execute, and to cause judgment to be entered thereon; and also to file agreements of record that the lien of the judgment against William B. R. Selby shall only operate on and against premises numbered 815 Wharton street, in the Second Ward; the lien of the judgment against David H. Lane shall only operate on and against premises numbered 631 Walnut street, in the Fifth Ward; and the lien of the judgment against J. Peter Gohl shall only operate on and against premises numbered 408 Queen street, in the Third Ward.

APPENDIX No. 129.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay the salaries of Magistrates for the year 1875, and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,
JOS. SUBERS,
WM. BRADLY,
JOS. L. CAVEN,
JAS. R. GATES,
O. HOWARD WILSON,
W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,

WM. B. COLLINS,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
JAS. W. ALLEN,
H. MARCUS,
S. G. KING,
W. W. BURNELL,
WM. BALDWIN.

March 11, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation to pay the salaries of Magistrates for the year
1875.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of fifty-four thousand dollars be and hereby is appropriated to pay the salaries of Magistrates for the year one thousand eight hundred

and seventy-five; and warrants for the payment of the same shall be drawn by the City Commissioners.

APPENDIX No. 130.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered a communication from the Commissioner of Markets and City Property, requesting an appropriation to pay for refitting of rooms lately occupied by the Water Department for court purposes, in pursuance of resolution of instructions approved December 19th, 1874, and submit the annexed Ordinance to make the appropriation requested, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. B. COLLINS,
W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,	JAS. SUBERS,
H. MARCUS,	H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
WM. BALDWIN,	JAS. W. ALLEN,
JOS. L. CAVEN,	JAS. R. GATES,
O. HOWARD WILSON,	S. G. KING,
GEO. A. SMITH,	WM. BRADLY,
	W. W. BURNELL.

March 11, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation to pay for fitting up rooms lately occupied by the Water Department.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of twenty-nine hundred and forty-three (2943) dollars and seven (7) cents be and the same is hereby appropriated to pay for fitting up rooms lately occupied by the Water Department, for court purposes, in pursuance of resolution of December 19th, 1874. Bills to be approved by the Committee on City Property; warrants to be drawn by the Commissioner of Markets and City Property in conformity with existing Ordinances.

APPENDIX No. 131.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance making an appropriation to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park of a sum of money now in the City Treasury, as a special fund for Park purposes, and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,
H. MARCUS,	W. B. COLLINS,
JAS. SUBERS,	H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
WM. BALDWIN,	JAS. W. ALLEN,
JOS. L. CAVEN,	JAS. R. GATES,
S. G. KING,	O. HOWARD WILSON,
GEO. A. SMITH,	WM. BRADLY,
	W. W. BURNELL.

March 4, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

Making an appropriation to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park of a sum of money now in the City Treasury, as a special fund for Park purposes.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of eighteen thousand four hundred and seventy-six (18,476) dollars and sixty-two (62) cents, which was paid into the City Treasury by the Park Commissioners, and for fines for violation of Park Ordinances, during the year 1874, and which by the requirements of the twenty-third section of the supplemental act relating to Fairmount Park, approved April 14th, 1868, is a fund to be exclusively appropriated by Councils for Park purposes, under the direction of said Commissioners, shall be and the same is hereby appropriated to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park, to be drawn by them in the usual manner, to pay for music or afternoon concerts in the Park, and other Park purposes.

APPENDIX No. 132.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered a supplement to an Ordinance directing the Heads of Departments of the City to insert the residences and occupations of all persons placed on their pay rolls, approved December 31st, 1874, and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. B. COLLINS,
JAS. SUBERS,	H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
WM. BALDWIN,	JAS. W. ALLEN,
JOS. L. CAVEN,	H. MARCUS,
W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,	JAS. R. GATES,
O. HOWARD WILSON,	S. G. KING,
GEORGE A. SMITH,	WM. BRADLY,
W. W. BURNELL.	

March 11, 1875.

A SUPPLEMENT

To an Ordinance directing the Heads of Departments of the City to insert the residences and occupations of all persons placed on their pay rolls, approved December 31st, 1874.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the terms and provisions of the Ordinance directing the Heads of Departments of the City to insert the residences and occupations of all persons placed on their pay rolls, approved December 31st, 1874, shall not apply to the Department of Police, or to the pay rolls for salaries of any other department where said salaries are fixed by law or Ordinance.

APPENDIX No. 133.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered a communication from James Work, Register of Water, requesting that Thomas M. Locke be substituted on his official bond in place of George Woelpper, and submit the annexed Ordinance to make the substitution, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,
JAS. SUBERS,
WM. BALDWIN,
JOS. L. CAVEN,
W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,
O. HOWARD WILSON,
GEORGE A. SMITH,

WM. B. COLLINS,
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JAS. W. ALLEN,
H. MARCUS,
JAS. R. GATES,
S. G. KING,
WM. BRADLY,

W. W. BURNELL.

March 11, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To release certain security on the bond of James Work, and to substitute other security.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Solicitor be and he is hereby empowered and directed to enter satisfaction as against George Woelpper, one of the sureties on the official bond of James Work, Register of Water: *Provided*, The co-surety shall consent thereto, and the City Solicitor is further directed to prepare a bond for execution by Thomas M. Locke, who is hereby approved as surety in place of the said George Woelpper, and limit the lien of the judgment against Thomas M. Locke to premises numbered 2451 North Tenth street, of lot of ground situate on the east side of Thirtieth street, one hundred and fifty feet north of Clearfield street, and lot of ground situate on the west side of Twenty-ninth street, one hundred and fifty feet north of Clearfield street.

APPENDIX No. 134.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition and resolution to authorize the grading of Manayunk avenue, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	AMOS M. SLACK,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	S. A. MILLER,
DANIEL CURRIE,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	A. ALBRIGHT,
H. MARCUS,	G. A. ENO,
H. McDOWELL,	W. K. PARK,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,	JOHN FOX,
GEORGE DORLAN,	WM. McMULLIN.

March 11, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Manayunk avenue, in the Twenty-first Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade Manayunk avenue, from Green lane to Riley street, in the Twenty-first Ward, to the established grade of the City; cost not to exceed four hundred and sixteen dollars.

APPENDIX No. 135.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petitions and resolutions to pave Eighth and Evangelist streets, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit

for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
GEORGE DORLAN,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
A. ALBRIGHT,	JOHN BARDSLEY,
JOHN FOX,	THOMAS HILL,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	WM. K. PARK,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,	DANIEL CURRIE,
AMOS M. SLACK,	SAML. A. MILLER,
H. McDOWELL,	H. MARCUS.

March 11, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Eighth and Evangelist streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers, for the paving of the following streets, viz.: Eighth street, from Mifflin street to McKean street, in the First Ward, with cobble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed five hundred dollars; Evangelist street, from Seventh street to Eighth street, in the Third Ward, with cobble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed twenty-five dollars. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said streets, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said streets in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 136.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition of Geo. W. Souder for further compensation for grading, respectfully report that

we have examined and disapprove the same, and return with a negative recommendation.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	AMOS M. SLACK,
DANIEL CURRIE,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
GEORGE DORLAN,	S. A. MILLER,
H. MARCUS,	W. K. PARK,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	THOMAS HILL,
HENRY GLASS.	

March 11, 1875.

RESOLUTION

To discharge the Committee on Highways from consideration of petition to grade Fifth street, Twenty-fifth Ward.

Resolved by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Committee on Highways be discharged from the further consideration of petition to grade Fifth street, from Indiana street to Westmoreland street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward.

APPENDIX No. 137.

OFFICE TRUSTEES CITY ICE BOATS,
PHILADELPHIA, *March 18, 1875.*

To the Honorable Select and Common
Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—In reply to your resolution of March 4th, inquiring of the Trustees of the City Ice Boats why they have their repairs done out of the City of Philadelphia, they have the honor to inform you, that during the administration of the present trustees, \$51,294.52 has been expended in all for the repairs of the boats, of which sum \$38,619.30 have been paid to firms whose works are on the City side of the Delaware river, and \$12,675.22 to a Philadelphia firm, whose works are located at Kaighn's Point.

The trustees would further respectfully state, that considering the size of the boats, and the desirability of hav-

ing all three laid up at the same place, they have had much difficulty in procuring a suitable location, and after investigating the entire suburbs of the City, they have selected Kaighn's Point as the most convenient and suitable in every respect for this purpose. Such repairs as have been necessary to the boats while lying at this point, are more cheaply and expeditiously done by the machine shops in the immediate vicinity, than by parties whose works are located at a greater distance.

In adopting this policy, the trustees believe they have best served the interests of the City in the promises.

Respectfully submitted, by order of the Board.

C. A. GRISCOM,
President.

APPENDIX No. 138.

In the Court of Quarter Sessions in and for the City and County of Philadelphia.

To the Honorable the Judges of said Court :

We, the undersigned qualified electors of the Twenty-sixth Ward, in the City of Philadelphia, respectfully petition your Honorable Court for a division of said Ward. And that your Honors will appoint five impartial men to inquire into the propriety of said division of said Ward.

And we will ever pray, &c.

2. Robt. McFadden, 1207 South Thirteenth street.
3. Edwd. W. Power, 1183 South Thirteenth street.
4. Robt. Munn, 1244 Federal street.
5. Thos. Grace, 1201 Lentz street.
6. John Murray, 1162 South street.
7. James Sheridan, 1202 South Thirteenth street.
8. James Patterson, 1828 South street.
9. Thos. H. Rogers, 1106 Anita street.
10. Philip H. Klohr, 1238 Ellsworth street.
11. Alex. F. Sinly, 1320 Austin street.
12. Henry P. Price, 1330 South Tenth street.
13. Chas. White, 1215 Clarion street.
14. Charles Loubin, 701 South Twentieth street.

15. Thos. C. Smith, 2114 Catharine street.
16. Geo. A. Munsen, 807 South Twentieth street.
17. Wm. Patterson, 2012 Catharine street.
18. Thos. Harbeson, 1918 Catharine street.
19. Wm. Thornton, 1538 Christian street.
20. J. S. Williamson, 1918 Catharine street.
21. M. E. O'Brien, 2050 Catharine street.
22. Jas. McCullough, 789 Kirk street.
23. Robt. Carns, 1619 Christian street.
24. Jno. McCandless, northeast corner Seventeenth and Latona streets.
25. Wm. Ervin, 723 Birch street.
26. Jno. McConnell, 1442 South Sixteenth street.
27. Jas. Hay, 1521 Federal street.
28. Mark Freman, southeast corner Seventeenth and Latona streets.
29. Saml. Blanck, 1444 Bancroft street.
30. Robt. Crary, 1424 South Seventeenth street.
31. Jas. Hendricks, southeast corner Sixteenth and Federal streets.
32. Jno. O'Donnell, 1161 South Thirteenth street.
33. Jno. H. Holmes, 1919 Fitzwater street.
34. George Krall, 1922 Fitzwater street.
35. Wm. James, 773 South Twentieth street.
36. Jos. Parker, 1410 South Broad street.
37. Thos. Seeds, 1511 Catharine street.
38. Wm. Cunningham, 729 Birch street.
39. Jos. Hoffie, 1803 Webster street.
40. Theo. S. S. Baker, 759 South Sixteenth street.
41. H. B. Sesinger, 1205 South Sixteenth street.
42. Chas. Vanhorn, 1160 South Fifteenth street.
43. Saml. L. Griffith, 1149 South Fifteenth street.
44. J. Walker, 1616 Federal street.
45. Wm. X. Milinsky, 1404 South Sixteenth street.
46. Wm. Mahon, 1810 Titan street.
47. M. J. Skilling, M. D., 1641 Federal street.
48. Chas. F. Bauzenberger, 1440 South Sixteenth street.
49. Geo. H. Mowrey, 1438 South Sixteenth street.
50. Robt. Conley, 1402 South Sixteenth street.
51. Thos. Gamble, 1617 Titan street.
52. Wm. McCullough, 1243 South Seventeenth street.
53. Stawart Forber, 1233 South Seventeenth street.

54. Patk. Tuohy, 1229 South Sixteenth street.
55. A. Frank Stull, southwest corner Seventeenth and Federal streets.
56. Herman Hildebrand, 1630 Wharton street.
57. Geo. F. Norton, 1230 South Seventeenth street.
58. Thos. Criddle, 1244 South Seventeenth street.
59. Saml. Snyder, 1228 South Seventeenth street.
60. Wm. Manning, 1241 South Seventeenth street.
61. Geo. C. Megill, 1239 South Seventeenth street.
62. S. T. Hill, 1503 Ellsworth street.
63. Jos. H. Kerbaugh, 1521 Christian street.
64. Henry McElheran, 1505 Dongannon street.
65. John V. Hill, 1430 Washington avenue.
66. Saml. A. Goodall, 1334 Ellsworth street.
67. Jas. W. M. Newlin, 1305 South Broad street.
68. D. B. Meany, 1410 South Sixteenth street.
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70. Robt. S. Patton, 1816 Catharine street.
71. Wm. Drinkhouse, 2031 Carpenter street.
72. Thos. J. Chadwick, 2319 Madison square.
73. Jas. S. Harris, 1628 Catharine street.
74. John Little, 2114 South street.
75. W. Kinder, 732 South Nineteenth street.
76. Jos. Harris, 1721 Fitzwater street.
77. Geo. Supplee, 724 South Nineteenth street.
78. Jas. Laurie, 1828 Fitzwater street.
79. F. Woodhul Bergen, 706 South Nineteenth street.
80. Terrence Woods, 1916 South street.
81. Jas. Harvey, 1938 South street.
82. W. E. Duncan, 2000 South street.
83. Jas. Alcorn, 2004 South street.
84. P. Gallagher, 2008 South street.
85. Ezekiel McKennan, 2016 South street.
86. Robt. T. Brown, 2020 South street.
87. Henry McKee, Jr., 2034 South street.
88. John Arnold, 2046 South street.
89. Geo. W. Clement, 2026 Kater street.
90. Andrew Kinkade, 2122 South street.
91. Edward Stehr, 2144 South street.
92. Jos. Hollard, 2214 South street.
93. Geo. J. Hartman, 2312 Gray's Ferry road.
94. Christian G. Nagele, 601 Gray's Ferry road.

95. N. Jenigen, 701 Gray's Ferry road.
96. John Scott, 2314 South street.
97. Wm. Mehingtt, 1924 Fitzwater street.
98. Wm. Roschy, southwest corner Twentieth and Fitzwater streets.
99. Lem McMichael, 2213 Fitzwater street.
100. Ralph Newton, 722 South Twentieth street.
101. James Hemphill, 2003 Fitzwater street.
102. H. R. Kneass, 1331 South Broad street.
103. M. G. McFadden, 777 South Twentieth street.
104. James F. McBride, 2027 Evergreen street.

EXHIBIT "A."

In the Court of Quarter Sessions in and for the City and County of Philadelphia.

Petition of one hundred qualified electors of the Twenty-sixth Ward, for a division of said Ward.

And now, November 20th, 1874, the following persons are appointed to report to the court under the within petition.

CHARLES THOMSON JONES,
OLIVER EVANS,
E. HARPER JEFFRIES,
JOHN M. CAMPBELL,
ANDREW W. GAILEY,
JOSEPH ALLISON.

Filed October 5, 1875.

In the Court of Quarter Sessions in and for the City and County of Philadelphia.

In the matter of the division of the Twenty-sixth Ward.

To the Honorable the Judges of the said Court :

We, the undersigned Commissioners, appointed by your Honorable Court (as per Exhibit marked "A") to take

into consideration the propriety of dividing the Twenty-sixth Ward, and to report to the court their opinion of the same, respectfully report, that agreeably to the purposes of their appointment they met upon the twenty-eighth day of November, A. D. 1874, at No. 134 South Sixth street, in the City of Philadelphia, and at subsequent times, and fully examined the premises, and submit to your Honors a draft of the Ward to be divided, showing the division thereof (as per Exhibit marked "B"), and their opinion of the same.

Your Commissioners further report, that the said Ward is a very large Ward in territory, with a population of some forty-three thousand souls, of which there are over ten thousand taxables inhabitants.

Your Commissioners, therefore, having examined all matters in relation to the division of the said Ward, are of the decided opinion that the said Ward should be divided, as follows, to wit: Beginning at the southwest corner of Broad street and South street; thence along the west side of Broad street to north side of Washington avenue; thence along the north side of Washington avenue to the west side of Gray's Ferry road; thence along the west side of Gray's Ferry road to the north side of Ellsworth street; thence along the north side of Ellsworth street to the Schuylkill river; thence along the Schuylkill river to the south side of South street; thence along the south side of South street to the west side of Broad street, the place of beginning, to be called the Thirtieth Ward.

Beginning at the southwest corner of Ellsworth street and Passyunk road; thence along west side of Passyunk road to west side of Broad street; thence along west side of Broad street to back channel of League Island; thence along back channel of League Island to Schuylkill river; thence along the Schuylkill river to the south side of Ellsworth street; thence along the south side of Ellsworth street to the east side of Gray's Ferry road; thence along the east side of Gray's Ferry road to the south side of Washington avenue; thence along the south side of Washington avenue to the west side of Broad street; thence along west side of Broad street to the south side of Ellsworth street; thence along the south side of Ellsworth

street to the west side of Passyunk road, the place of beginning, to be called the Twenty-sixth Ward.

All of which is respectfully submitted by,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,
E. HARPER JEFFRIES,
AND. W. GAILEY,
JOHN M. CAMPBELL,
OLIVER EVANS.

Filed December 4, 1874.

DECREE OF COURT.

In the Court of Quarter Sessions in and for the City and County of Philadelphia.

In the matter of a division of the Twenty-sixth Ward.

And now, January 4th, 1874, the report of the Commissioners having been fully considered, it is ordered and decreed that the prayer of the petitioners be granted, and that the report of the Commissioners be confirmed. And it is further ordered, that a vote of the qualified electors of the said Ward, shall be taken on the question of a division of said Ward, at the next election, to be held in the City and County of Philadelphia.

JOS. ALLISON.

Filed January 4, 1874.

DIVISION OF WARD.

General Return of Votes for Division of Ward for the City of Philadelphia, at an Election held in the Twenty-sixth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, on Tuesday, sixteenth day of February, A. D. 1875.—R. L. W., Jr.

PRECINCTS.	FOR DIVISION.	AGAINST DIVISION.
First	135	..
Second	138	21
Third	159	2
Fourth	94	1
Fifth	83	4
Sixth	78	..
Seventh	38	29
Eighth	57	..
Ninth	32	39
Tenth	83	1
Eleventh	31	22
Twelfth	99	9
Thirteenth	155	1
Fourteenth	1	49
Fifteenth .....	..	..
Sixteenth	120	..
Seventeenth	124	4
Eighteenth	75	5
Nineteenth	154	..
Twentieth	7	12
Twenty-first	80	1
Twenty second .....	..	..
Twenty-third	39	2
Twenty-fourth	107	..
Twenty-fifth	9	36
Twenty-sixth .....	..	..
Twenty-seventh	12	24
Twenty-eighth .....	..	6
Twenty-ninth	73	1
Thirtieth	62	..
Thirty-first	42	23
Thirty-second	18	4
Thirty-third	87	41
Thirty-fourth	64	1
Thirty-fifth	108	2
Thirty-sixth	3	74
Thirty-seventh	60	1
Thirty-eighth	72	1
Thirty-ninth	60	..
Fortieth	59	10
Forty-first	44	49
Total	2,652	470

Certified correct, T. K. FINLETTER,
THOS. R. ELCOCK,
CRAIG BIDDLE. } Judges.

Filed March 3, 1875.

FINAL DECREE OF COURT.

In the Court of Quarter Sessions of the City and County of Philadelphia.

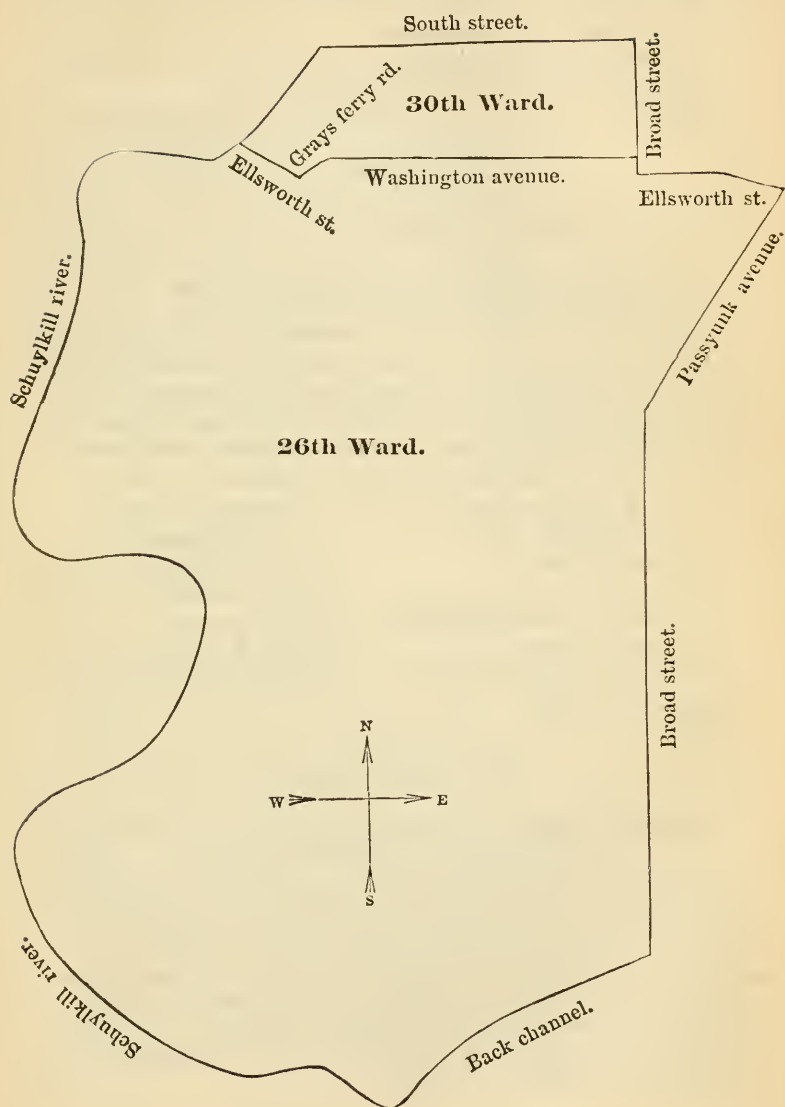
In the matter of the division of the Twenty-sixth Ward.

And now March 3d, 1875, it appearing to the court that in pursuance of the decree of the court, made the fourth day of January, A. D. 1875, a vote of the qualified electors of the said Twenty-sixth Ward was taken upon a division of the said Ward (as proposed by the Commissioners), at the municipal election held on the sixteenth day of February, A. D. 1875, and it further appearing that the majority of the votes so taken are for a division, it is now ordered, adjudged and decreed, that the said Twenty-sixth Ward be divided agreeably to the lines marked out and returned by the Commissioners, and that the Ward described as follows, to wit: Beginning at the southwest corner of Broad street and South; thence along the west side of Washington avenue; thence along the north side of Washington avenue to the west side of Gray's Ferry road; thence along the west side of Gray's Ferry road to the north side of Ellsworth street; thence along the north side of Ellsworth street to the Schuylkill river; thence along the Schuylkill river to the south side of South street; thence along the south side of South street to the west side of Broad street, the place of beginning, shall be numbered the Thirtieth Ward, and that the other said Ward shall be numbered the Twenty-sixth Ward. And it is ordered that a certified copy of the whole proceedings be placed of record among the minutes of the Councils of said City of Philadelphia.

JAMES R. LUDLOW,
Judge of O. & T. & Q. S.
March 3, 1875.
Phila. Co.

Filed March 3, 1875.

EXHIBIT "B."



I certify the above to be a true and correct copy and plan of all matter in relation to the division of the Twenty-sixth Ward, as now filed of record in the office of the Court of Quarter Sessions.

Witness my hand and seal of said Court, this sixteenth day of March, A. D. 1875.

[SEAL.]

ROBT. S. GARRISON,
Pro Clerk.

APPENDIX No. 139.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition and Ordinance to authorize the repaving of Vine street, from Front street to Delaware avenue, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	GEORGE DORLAN,
AMOS M. SLACK,	P. H. KLOHSE,
S. A. MILLER,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	DANL. CURRIE,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	A. ALBRIGHT,
JOHN MONROE,	JOHN A. MISKEY,
WILLIAM McMULLIN,	HENRY GLASS.

March 18, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the repaving of Vine street, from Front street to Delaware avenue, and for making an appropriation therefor.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to repave Vine street, from the west line of Front street to the east line of Delaware avenue, with Belgian blocks, at a price not exceeding three dollars per yard, the cobble stones to be removed to the City yard, or disposed of to the best advantage to the City.

SECT. 2. The sum of sixty-four hundred dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated for the payment of the above mentioned work.

APPENDIX No. 140.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance providing for the performance of work for the City in case of an emergency, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WILLIAM McMULLIN,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,	GEO. DORLAN,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	JOHN MONROE,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	SAML. A. MILLER,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	AMOS M. SLACK,
HENRY GLASS,	A. ALBRIGHT,
DANL. CURRIE,	P. H. KLOHSE.

March 18, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

Providing for the performance of work for the City in case of emergency.

SECTION 1. *The*Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That whenever an emergency may arise demanding an immediate action on the part of the municipal authorities in order to save the City or citizens from loss or damage, the department under whose charge or care the work requisite to repair such damages belongs, shall notify the Committee of Councils assigned to the particular department, of the state of facts, who shall meet and take action in the matter, and if they shall so advise, the Head of the Department shall forthwith proceed to the performance of the necessary work; and when such work is so ordered, the City Controller, upon notification of the fact, shall, upon the approval of the Committee, be authorized to countersign warrants drawn for the purposes set forth.

APPENDIX No. 141.

To the Presidents and Members of the
Common Council of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition and Ordinance to authorize the paving of Edmund street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, *Ch'n*,

AMOS M. SLACK,

S. A. MILLER,

WM. McMULLIN,

CHAS. THOMSON JONES,

JOHN MONROE,

JOHN A. MISKEY,

GEORGE DORLAN,

P. H. KLOHSE,

FERD. DOEBLEY,

DANL. CURRIE,

A. ALBRIGHT,

JOHN BARDSLEY,

HENRY GLASS.

March 18, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Edmund street, in the Twenty-third Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers for the paving of Edmund street, from Orthodox street to Bridge street, in the Twenty-third Ward, with rubble pavement; cost of intersections not to exceed two thousand and fifty-four dollars. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said street, and shall also enter into an obligation with the City to keep said street in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 142.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petitions and Ordinances to authorize the paving of Woodstock, Lamber and Lowber streets, and Jefferson avenue, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WILLIAM McMULLIN,
AMOS M. SLACK,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
GEORGE DORLAN,	P. H. KLOHSE,
S. A. MILLER,	A. ALBRIGHT,
DANIEL CURRIE,	HENRY GLASS,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	JOHN A. MISKEY,
JOHN MONROE,	JOHN BARDSLEY.

March 18, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Woodstock, Lambert and Lowber streets, and Jefferson avenue.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers for the paving of Lambert street, from Norris street to Diamond street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, with cobble pavement, no cost for intersections; Woodstock street, from Norris street to Diamond street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, with cobble pavement, no cost for intersections; Lowber street, from Centre street to Filbert street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, with rubble pavement, no cost for intersections; Jefferson avenue, from Belmont avenue to Columbia avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, with rubble pavement, no cost for intersections. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of

property respectively fronting on said streets and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said streets in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 143.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select
and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition and Ordinance to authorize the grading of Edmund street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WILLIAM McMULLIN,
P. H. KLOHSE,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,	GEO. DORLAN,
AMOS M. SLACK,	SAML. A. MILLER,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	JOHN MONROE,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	HENRY GLASS,
DANL. CURRIE.	

March 18, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Edmund street, in the Twenty-third Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade Edmund street, from Orthodox street to Bridge street, in the Twenty-third Ward, to the established grade of the City; cost not to exceed twenty-five hundred and twenty-nine dollars and twenty-five cents.

APPENDIX No. 144.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition and Ordinance authorizing the paving of Penn street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, *Ch'n*,
GEORGE DORLAN,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,
FERD. DOEBLEY,
JOHN A. MISKEY,
AMOS M. SLACK,
JOHN BARDSLEY,

P. H. KLOHSE,
HENRY GLASS,
WM. McMULLIN,
DANL. CURRIE,
SAML. A. MILLER,
A. ALBRIGHT,
JOHN MONROE.

March 18, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Penn street, in the Twenty-third Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers for the paving of Penn street, from Oxford road to Dyer street, in the Twenty-third Ward, with rubble pavement; cost of intersections not to exceed eight hundred and eleven dollars and fifty cents. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said street, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said street in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 145.

To the Presidents and Members of Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance to authorize the tramwaying of Geary street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	GEORGE DORLAN,
AMOS M. SLACK,	P. H. KLOHSE,
S. A. MILLER,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	DANL. CURRIE,
WILLIAM McMULLIN,	JOHN MONROE,
A. ALBRIGHT,	CHAS. THOMSON JONES,
HENRY GLASS,	JOHN A. MISKEY.

March 18, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the tramwaying of Geary street, in the Eighteenth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to repave Geary street, from Richmond street to Allen street, in the Eighteenth Ward, with tramway stone in the tracks of the wheels, and if the street is too wide for a single track, to take an equal quantity from each side.

APPENDIX No. 146.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition and Ordinance to authorize the grading of Penn street, respectfully report that we have

examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	DANIEL CURRIE,
GEORGE DORLAN,	WILLIAM McMULLIN,
AMOS M. SLACK,	HENRY GLASS,
P. H. KLOHSE,	JOHN MONROE,
SAML. A. MILLER,	A. ALBRIGHT,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	JOHN BARDSLEY,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,	JOHN A. MISKEY.

March 18, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Penn street, in the Twenty-third Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade Penn street, from Oxford road to Dyer street, in the Twenty-third Ward, to the established grade of the City; cost not to exceed two thousand and fifteen dollars and seventy-five cents.

APPENDIX No. 147.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition and Ordinance authorizing the paving of Thirty-ninth street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	CHAS. THOMSON JONES,
P. H. KLOHSE,	HENRY GLASS,
GEORGE DORLAN,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
AMOS M. SLACK,	A. ALBRIGHT,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	DANL. CURRIE,
WILLIAM McMULLIN,	SAML. A. MILLER,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	JOHN MONROE.

March 18, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Thirty ninth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers for the paving of Thirty-ninth street, from Grape street to Mantua avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, with rubble pavement; cost of intersections not to exceed nineteen hundred and fifty dollars.

APPENDIX No. 148.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petitions and Ordinances authorizing the grading of Sergeant, Front and Thirty-ninth streets, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
GEO. DORLAN,	P. H. KLOHSE,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	AMOS M. SLACK,
S. A. MILLER,	A. ALBRIGHT,
JNO. BARDSLEY,	DANL. CURRIE,
JNO. MONROE,	JOHN A. MISKEY,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	HENRY GLASS.

March 18, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Sergeant, Front and Thirty-ninth streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to

grade the following streets to the established grade of the City, viz.: Sergeant street, from Cedar street to Almond street, in the Nineteenth Ward, the cost not to exceed two hundred and sixty-eight dollars; Front street, from Lippincott street to Westmoreland street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, cost not to exceed ten hundred and fourteen dollars and seventy-five cents; Thirty-ninth street, from Grape street to Mantua avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, cost not to exceed eight hundred and twenty-five dollars.

APPENDIX No. 149.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—Your Committee on Surveys and Regulations, to whom was referred the accompanying Ordinance, to repeal so much of an Ordinance approved November 17th, 1874, entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers on Cuyler, Twenty-sixth, Fortieth, Forty-first and other streets, as provides for the construction of a sewer on Cuyler street, from Nineteenth to Twentieth street, beg leave to report, that the properties which now drain into sewers on Twentieth and Callowhill will give way to improvements, in which case the demand for drainage on Cuyler street will again arise; and that, moreover, the sewers of Twentieth and Callowhill streets were not intended for, and should not be burdened with the Cuyler street drainage. Your Committee, therefore, respectfully recommend that the Ordinance be not passed, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the matter.

WM. THORNTON, *Ch'n*,
B. F. BONHAM,
JOS. J. MARTIN,
GEORGE E. HALL,
W. W. BURNELL,
R. H. CLIFFORD,
HENRY GLASS,

WM. JAMES,
JOSEPH H. TATEM,
ROBERT H. COOPER,
S. C. COLLINS,
JAS. R. GATES,
GEO. A. ENO,
A. H. MCADAM.

March 17, 1875.

RESOLUTION

To discharge the Committee on Surveys and Regulations from the further consideration of an Ordinance to repeal so much of an Ordinance approved November 17th, 1874, as provides for the construction of a sewer on Cuyler street, from Nineteenth to Twentieth street.

Resolved by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Committee on Surveys and Regulations be and is hereby discharged from the further consideration of an Ordinance to repeal so much of an Ordinance approved November 17th, 1874, as provides for the construction of a sewer on Cuyler street, from Nineteenth to Twentieth street.

 APPENDIX No. 150.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—Your Committee on Surveys and Regulations, to whom was referred the resolution of inquiry as to an alleged change of elevation of the abutment of Fairmount Bridge, at the west side of the Pennsylvania Railroad, have received a communication from the Chief Engineer and Surveyor, stating that no change has been from the general design approved by Councils, but recommending that duplicate plans be made of records in the Department of Surveys, for which purpose we present the accompanying Ordinance, and recommend its adoption.

WM. THORNTON, *Ch'n*,
JOS. J. MARTIN,
JOSEPH H. TATEM,
WM. JAMES,
GEO. A. ENO,
JAS. R. GATES,
HENRY GLASS,

S. C. COLLINS,
B. F. BONHAM,
ROBT. H. COOPER,
GEORGE E. HALL,
R. H. CLIFFORD,
A. H. MCADAM,
W. W. BURNELL.

March 17, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

Directing the Department of Surveys to prepare plans of streets affected by the construction of Fairmount Bridge.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Surveys be and they are hereby authorized and directed to prepare plans in duplicate, establishing the grades of the approaches and lines and grades of streets affected by the construction of Fairmount Bridge.

APPENDIX No. 151.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on House of Correction, to whom was referred the Ordinance authorizing certain transfers to be made in the appropriation for the expenses of the House of Correction, Employment and Reformation for the year 1875, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and report it back, and recommend its passage.

GEO. WIDENER, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	GEORGE WHITE,
J. MADISON GIBSON,	S. A. MILLER,
J. H. KENNEDY,	JOS. CARTLEDGE,
WM. JUDGE,	P. H. KLOHSE,
GEO. A. ENO,	R. H. CLIFFORD,
S. G. KING,	A. ALBRIGHT,
A. H. MCADAM,	HENRY GLASS,
E. A. SHALLCROSS.	

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing certain transfers to be made in the appropriation for the expenses of the House of Correction, Employment and Reformation for the year 1875.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized to make the following transfers in the items of the appropriation made for the expenses of the

House of Correction, Employment and Reformation for the year 1875. From Item 1, for salaries, two thousand one hundred and forty dollars, to item special for salaries, with board; two assistant engineers, seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars each; one telegraph operator (at the house) three hundred (300) dollars; for salaries, without board, one telegraph operator (at the office), four hundred (400) dollars.

APPENDIX No. 152.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF PHILADELPHIA, *March 25, 1875.*

To the Common Council of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN.—The following Ordinances have been approved and signed, viz. :

January 4, 1875.—An Ordinance to approve the sureties of Thomas J. Smith, Receiver of Taxes elect.

January 11, 1875.—A Further Supplement to the Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to create and organize a Paid Fire Department for the City of Philadelphia, and to make an appropriation therefor," approved December 29th, A. D. 1870.

February 2, 1875.—An Ordinance declaratory of the effect of an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to create a loan for the further extension of the Philadelphia Gas Works," approved the 16th day of November, A. D. 1874, and to amend the same.

February 2, 1875.—An Ordinance to release property of Aaron Engle from the lien of a certain judgment.

February 9, 1875.—An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of City Commissioners for deficiencies for the year 1874.

February 9, 1875.—An Ordinance to restrict the lien of a judgment against C. C. Carman and others.

February 9, 1875.—An Ordinance to approve the sureties of Chas. H. T. Collis, City Solicitor elect.

February 20, 1875.—An Ordinance authorizing the Chief Commissioner of Highways to draw warrants in payment of salaries of the Supervisors of Highways.

February 23, 1875.—An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Grape street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.

February 23, 1875.—An Ordinance to authorize the City Solicitor to satisfy a judgment against the Keystone Bridge Company and others.

February 23, 1875.—An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Tree. Swain, Forty seventh, Twenty-eighth, Thirtieth, Twenty-seventh and Bailey streets.

February 23, 1875.—An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay damages caused by the opening of Robin street and the widening of Thirty-fourth street.

February 26, 1875.—An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Cambria, Oxford, Bolton, Redner, Turner, Somerset, Marshall, Dauphin, Girard avenue and Twenty-fifth streets.

February 26, 1875.—An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Girard avenue, in the Twenty-ninth Ward.

February 26, 1875.—An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Somerset and Cambria streets, Girard avenue, Hasson, Forty-nine-and-a-half, Twenty-fifth, Dauphin and Leamy streets.

February 26, 1875.—An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Franklin street, in the Twenty-third Ward.

February 26, 1875.—An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Tackawanna street, in the Twenty-third Ward.

March 5, 1875.—An Ordinance to approve the sureties of William Dixey, Commissioner of Markets and City Property elect.

March 5, 1875.—An Ordinance to approve the sureties of John L. Hill, Chief Commissioner of Highways elect.

March 5, 1875.—An Ordinance to release the property of John Valdey from the lien of a certain judgment.

March 8, 1875.—An Ordinance to authorize the Chief Commissioner of Highways to draw a warrant in favor of Benjamin F. Dutton.

March 8, 1875.—An Ordinance to approve the sureties of Benjamin Shallcross, Receiver of Taxes of the Twenty-third Ward.

March 11, 1875.—An Ordinance to place upon the public plans Cantrell street, Delancy place, Bambrey, Swain, and Fleeson streets, Highland avenue, Ashland avenue, Clementine, Andrew, Lingo, Mount Holly, Ferran and Webster

streets, St. Alban's place, Widener, Fontaine, Bolton, Turner, Redner and Alter streets.

March 11, 1875.—An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Clifton, Chatham, Almond and Gaul streets, Hart lane, Eighth, Boudinot, Miller and Dinsmore streets.

March 20, 1875.—An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Spencer street.

March 20, 1875.—An Ordinance to authorize satisfaction to be entered on the official bond of Samuel P. Hancock.

March 20, 1875.—An Ordinance to approve the sureties of Henry C. Selby, Registrar of Water.

March 20, 1875.—An Ordinance to enter satisfaction on the official bond of Alexander McCuen, City Commissioner.

March 20, 1875.—An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Forty-sixth street, in the Twenty-seventh Ward.

March 20, 1875.—An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay damages caused by the opening of Paschall, Forty-fourth and Huron (or Aspen) streets, and the widening of Hamilton street.

March 20, 1875.—An Ordinance to amend a resolution entitled "Resolution authorizing the opening of Somerset, Sixty-one-and-a-half, Sixty-two-and-a-half, Arch, Race and Crawford streets."

March 22, 1875.—An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Bailey, Lingo, Sixth and Edgeley streets.

March 22, 1875.—An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Hancock and Oxford streets.

March 22, 1875.—An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Thirty-second, Aspen, Thirty-sixth, Clearfield and Eadline streets.

March 22, 1875.—An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Pine, Wyoming, Anthracite and Salmon streets.

Respectfully,

W. S. STOKLEY,
Mayor.

APPENDIX No. 153.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay damages for the widening of Fitch street, and the opening of Broad street; also an Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay the damages caused by the opening of Twenty-seventh street, from Parrish to Poplar street, and Thirty-third street, from Haverford to Eadline streets, and submit the annexed Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay said damages, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,

HENRY BUDD,

JAS. W. ALLEN,

H. B. LIPPINCOTT,

WM. B. COLLINS,

JOHN A. MISKEY,

W. BALDWIN,

THOMAS HILL,

O. HOWARD WILSON,

S. G. KING,

JAS. R. GATES,

W. W. BURNELL,

GEO. A. SMITH,

H. MARCUS,

JOS. L. CAVEN,

JNO. COCHRAN.

March 25, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation to pay damages caused by the widening of Fitch street, and the opening of Broad, Twenty-seventh and Thirty-third streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of twenty-nine thousand three hundred and twenty-five dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated out of Item 19 in an Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Law Department for the year 1875, approved December 28th, 1874, for the payment of the following awards of road juries, to wit: To Mrs. R. A. McCormick, four hundred dollars, for widening of Fitch street, and to M. Hyneman, three hundred and twenty-five dollars, for the opening of Broad street through lot No. 98 of the Jacksonville plan, as confirmed by the Court of Quarter Sessions, March 13th, 1875.

To Cadwallader Wickersham, five thousand six hundred dollars; to Henry C. Thompson, one thousand six hundred dollars; to George M. Conarroe, three thousand five hundred dollars; to Thomas Bradfield, three thousand two hundred dollars; to the Estate of Isaac Davis, five hundred dollars; for the opening of Twenty-seventh street, from Parrish to Poplar street, as confirmed by the Court of Quarter Sessions on the 13th day of March, 1875. To Henry A. Bartlett, five thousand dollars; to William B. Irvine, four thousand five hundred dollars; to Alexander Welsh, three thousand five hundred dollars; to Anna Longstreth, six hundred dollars; to Sallie A. Longstreth, six hundred dollars; for the opening of Thirty-third street, from Haverford to Eadline street, as confirmed by the said court on March 13th, 1875. And the warrants shall be drawn by the City Solicitor in favor of the above parties, or their attorneys of record, in conformity with existing Ordinances.

APPENDIX No. 154.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered a resolution of instruction to the City Solicitor to enter satisfaction on the official bond of Mahlon H. Dickinson, late Chief Commissioner of Highways, and submit the annexed Ordinance to enter satisfaction, and ask its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,
THOMAS HILL,
JAS. W. ALLEN,
JOS. L. CAVEN,
O. HOWARD WILSON,
S. G. KING,
JAS. R. GATES,

WM. B. COLLINS,
HENRY BUDD,
JOHN COCHRAN,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
GEO. A. SMITH,
H. MARCUS,
W. BALDWIN,

JOHN A. MISKEY.

March 25, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To enter satisfaction on the official bond of Mahlon H. Dickinson.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Solicitor is authorized and directed to enter satisfaction on the official bond of Mahlon H. Dickinson, late Commissioner of Highways: *Provided*, The City Controller shall certify that his accounts are settled, and there is no default.

APPENDIX No. 155.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance to enter satisfaction on the official bond of Jonathan H. Pugh, late Commissioner of Markets and City Property, and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,
JOHN COCHRAN,
W. BALDWIN,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
O. HOWARD WILSON,
S. G. KING,
JAS. R. GATES,
JOHN A. MISKEY,

WM. B. COLLINS,
HENRY BUDD,
JAMES W. ALLEN,
GEO. A. SMITH,
JOS. L. CAVEN,
H. MARCUS,
W. W. BURNELL,
THOMAS HILL.

March 25, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To enter satisfaction on the official bond of Jonathan H. Pugh, late Commissioner of Markets and City Property.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Solicitor be and he is hereby directed to enter satisfaction on the official bond of Jonathan H. Pugh, late Commissioner of Markets and

City Property, District Court, of December Term, 1867, D. S. B. 651: *Provided*, That the Controller shall certify that his accounts are settled, and that there is no default.

APPENDIX No. 156.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance to make a special appropriation to the Department of City Commissioners; also an Ordinance to make an appropriation to the City Commissioners to pay for ballot boxes, and submit the annexed Ordinance to make an appropriation to provide for the items in the above Ordinances, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,
H. MARCUS,
W. W. BURNELL,
JAMES W. ALLEN,
O. HOWARD WILSON,
WM. B. COLLINS,
HENRY BUDD,

WM. BALDWIN,
JAS. R. GATES,
JOHN A. MISKEY,
JOHN COCHRAN,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
S. G. KING,
THOS. HILL.

March 25, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation to pay for copying records of Supreme Court, Inspectors of the Eastern Penitentiary, and for election purposes.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of four thousand two hundred and seven (4,207) dollars and sixty (60) cents be and the same is hereby appropriated for the following purposes, viz.:

Item 1. To pay B. E. Fletcher, for copying records of the Supreme Court, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 2. To pay W. B. R. Selby, for certificates for election officers and certifying returns to Harrisburg, five hundred and thirty-seven (537) dollars and twenty (20) cents.

Item 3. To pay clerks employed by the judges in computing the election returns, five hundred and seventy-five (575) dollars.

Item 4. To pay Inspectors of the Eastern Penitentiary for the expenses of the prisoners of Philadelphia, one hundred and forty-one (141) dollars and fifteen (15) cents.

Item 5. To pay for ballot boxes, nineteen hundred and fifty-four (1954) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents.

And warrants shall be drawn by the City Commissioners in conformity with existing Ordinances.

APPENDIX No. 157.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance to release certain properties of Edwin M. Hunt from the lien of four certain judgments, and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,

HENRY BUDD,

JAMES W. ALLEN,

H. B. LIPPINCOTT,

GEO. A. SMITH,

S. G. KING,

JAS. R. GATES,

JOS. L. CAVEN,

March 25, 1875.

WM. BALDWIN,

JOHN COCHRAN,

THOS. HILL,

O. HOWARD WILSON,

H. MARCUS,

W. W. BURNELL,

WM. B. COLLINS,

JOHN A. MISKEY.

AN ORDINANCE

To release certain properties from the lien of four certain judgments.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the following described properties of Edwin M. Hunt be and they are hereby released and discharged from the lien of the four following judgments, in the Court of Common Pleas, No. 3, to wit, of December Term, 1874, Nos. 373, 374, 391 and 423 : All

that certain three-story brick messuage or tenement and lot or piece of ground situated on the northeast corner of Thirty-seventh and Rockland streets, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of Philadelphia; containing in front or breadth on the said Thirty-seventh street seventeen feet, and extending of that width in length or depth eastward fifty-five feet; bounded southward by Rockland street, eastward by ground of James Short, northward by ground of John W. Herbert, and westward by Thirty-seventh street aforesaid. Also, all that certain lot or piece of ground situate at the northeast corner of Thirty-eighth (formerly Ninth) street and Sycamore or Transcript streets, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of Philadelphia; containing in front or breadth on the said Thirty-eighth street, three hundred and sixty feet, and extending of that width in length or depth eastward between parallel lines at right angles with the said Thirty-eighth street, along the north side of the said Sycamore or Transcript street and the south side of Aspen street respectively, one hundred and sixty-five feet, to the west side of a certain thirty feet wide street, called De Kalb street, laid out by Samuel Hutchinson, and intended to be left open forever, and extending from the said Sycamore street to said Aspen street.

And the City Solicitor is hereby directed to file agreements of record exempting the said properties from the lien of the said judgments: *Provided*, The co-sureties consent thereto, and that twenty-five dollars be paid into the City Treasury to pay for the publication of this Ordinance, and the interests of the City will not in his opinion be prejudiced thereby.

APPENDIX No. 158.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Board of Fire Commissioners of twenty-five thousand dollars, for the purpose of purchasing the right to use and construct the extension ladder of Mrs. Scott Uda, and report the same back with a negative

recommendation, and ask the passage of the annexed resolution.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,
JAS. W. ALLEN,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
S. G. KING,
JAS. R. GATES,
WM. BALDWIN,
THOMAS HILL,
JOHN COCHRAN,

WM. B. COLLINS,
JOHN A. MISKEY,
O. HOWARD WILSON,
H. MARCUS,
W. W. BURNELL,
GEO. A. SMITH,
JOS. L. CAVEN,
HENRY BUDD.

March 25, 1875.

RESOLUTION

To discharge the Committee on Finance from the consideration of an Ordinance relative to the ladder of Mrs. Scott Uda.

Resolved by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Committee on Finance be discharged from the further consideration of an Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Board of Fire Commissioners for the purpose of purchasing the right to use and construct the extension ladder of Mrs. Scott Uda.

APPENDIX No. 159.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Fire Department, to whom was referred the Ordinance to approve the award of contract for the erection of a fire station house on the south side of Columbia avenue, west of Twenty-second street, and approval of the contract and sureties, respect-

fully report that we have examined and approve the same, and report it back, and recommend its passage.

GEORGE DORLAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. BRADLY,
JOHN F. GLENN,	WM. WRIGHT,
AMOS M. SLACK,	E. H. HAYHURST,
JOHN Siner,	WM. H. GARWOOD,
W. W. BURNELL,	G. W. BUMM,
JOHN McCULLOUGH,	N. SPERING,
H. MARCUS,	H. McDOWELL,
R. H. CLIFFORD,	JOHN MONROE,
JOHN C. BICKEL.	

March 25, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To approve the award of contract for the erection of a fire station house on the south side of Columbia avenue, west of Twenty-second street, and approval of the contract and sureties.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, do ordain*, That the sum of nine thousand eight hundred and fifty dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the loan for fire purposes, approved October 26th, 1872; two hundred and fifty dollars to be paid John K. Yarnall, for plans, specifications and superintending the erection of a fire station house on the south side of Columbia avenue, west of Twenty-second street, said plans and specifications to be the property of the City; and nine thousand six hundred dollars to be paid Henry B. Leskie, for doing the work, to be paid at such time or times as the Board of Commissioners of the Fire Department may direct: *Provided*, That said sums shall fully erect and complete said station house, and the contract between the City of Philadelphia and the said Henry B. Leskie, for the erection of said station house, in accordance with his proposal, and said plans and specifications are hereby approved; and Charles Benton and Frank Burns, are also hereby approved as sureties, in the sum of thousand dollars, for the faithful performance of the contract by the said Henry B. Leskie: *Provided*, Said sureties furnish to the City Solicitor the evidence of their ability to go security in said amount; and the City Solicitor is directed

to prepare the bond and warrant of attorney, and cause judgment to be entered thereon. And warrants shall be drawn by the Board of Commissioners of the Fire Department in conformity with existing Ordinances.

APPENDIX No. 160.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—The Joint Special Committee on Board of Health and Street Cleaning, to whom was recommitted an Ordinance to reorganize the Board of Health, respectfully report, that they have reconsidered the Ordinance, and report it back slightly modified, and recommend its passage.

SAML. A. MILLER, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,	ALEXANDER RUSSELL,
J. MADISON GIBSON,	H. MARCUS.

March 25, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To reorganize the Board of Health.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Board of Health shall be composed of the Mayor, the Chief Commissioner of Highways, the Presidents of Select and Common Councils, and twelve citizens, to be elected as hereinafter provided ; together with the following named persons, constituting the present Board of Health, viz. : Henry Davis, James West, William H. Ford, William Read, Charles B. Barrett, James A. McCrea, H. G. Sickel, S. F. Ashhurst, James Steel, Jos. E. Patterson, Henry W. Gray, and A. A. Hirst, until such time as their removal by death, resignation, or the expiration of the terms for which they were elected or appointed, when the vacancies thus occurring shall remain unfilled, and thenceforth the Board shall consist of only sixteen members, as first above mentioned.

SECT. 2. That upon the first stated meeting after the pas-

sage hereof, the Select and Common Councils shall meet in Joint Convention, and elect twelve citizens as members of the Board of Health, three to serve four years, three to serve three years, three to serve two years, and three to serve one year from the first Monday of April, A. D. 1875, or until their successors shall be elected; and one of the persons so to be elected for each of said terms, shall be chosen and nominated by such members of said Councils as are in the political minority; and the said Select and Common Councils shall annually thereafter, at a stated meeting in the month of March, elect three citizens in manner as aforesaid, to serve as members of the Board of Health for the term of four years.

SECT. 3. That upon the first Monday after the election, as herein before provided, and annually thereafter, on the first Monday in April, the persons composing the Board of Health shall meet at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and organize by the election of a President and Secretary, who shall serve until their successors are elected: *Provided*, Their terms as members of said Board shall so long continue. Immediately after such organization, the said Board shall have, assume and exercise all the powers, duties, rights, liberties, authorities and immunities which belong or appertain to the present Board of Health, except as may be otherwise provided in this Ordinance.

SECT. 4. That upon the first meeting of the Board, as provided for in section 3, the members shall each take and subscribe an oath or affirmation that they will well and faithfully perform the duties of their said office, and thereafter each new member shall take and subscribe such oath or affirmation.

SECT. 5. That in case a vacancy occurs in said Board from the resignation, death or other displacement of any member thereof, who shall be elected in pursuance of the provisions of this Ordinance, the Councils, in Joint Convention, shall fill the unexpired term of such member.

SECT. 6. The Health Officer shall be the chief executive officer of the said Board, at the meetings of which he shall be entitled to be present, and take part in all proceedings, except voting, and shall appoint one chief clerk, one registration clerk, four assistant registration clerks, and one

messenger, subject, however, to the approval of said Board.

SECT. 7. The officers, employees, &c., shall give such security and receive such salaries as is now fixed by law or Ordinance, and shall be as follows :

One chief clerk and three assistant clerks.

One registration clerk and four assistant clerks, three messengers.

Fifteen nuisance inspectors.

Sixteen vaccine physicians.

One physician in charge of the Municipal Hospital.

One steward and one stewardess of the same.

One steward at the Lazaretto.

Such other employees as are now required at the Municipal Hospital and Lazaretto, and on board of the steam tug of the department.

And two measurers for all work done requiring measurement.

SECT. 8. All warrants upon the appropriation made to this department, shall be drawn by the Health Officer, and countersigned by the President of the Board: *Provided*, That before any such warrant or warrants shall be drawn, all bills or claims which are intended to be discharged thereby, shall be approved by the said Board and the Committee on Health of Councils.

SECT. 9. All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances inconsistent herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 161.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petitions and Ordinances to authorize the paving of Hare and Eleventh streets, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and

submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
GEORGE DORLAN,	H. MARCUS,
P. H. KLOHSE,	W. K. PARK,
S. A. MILLER,	H. McDOWELL,
DANIEL CURRIE,	AMOS M. SLACK,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	JOHN FOX,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,	FERD. DOEBLEY.

March 25, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Hare and Eleventh streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers, for the paving of Hare street, from Twenty-fifth street to Taney street, in the Fifteenth Ward, with rubble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed three hundred and seven dollars and fifty cents; Eleventh street, from Mifflin street to Snyder avenue, in the First Ward, with cobble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed five hundred and eighty-one dollars and thirty-eight cents. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said streets, and shall also enter into an obligation to keep said streets in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 162.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance to amend a resolution entitled "Resolution to authorize the paving of the mar-

ket plots on Lehigh avenue," respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	GEORGE DORLAN,
AMOS M. SLACK,	P. H. KLOHSE,
SAML. A. MILLER,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	WILLIAM McMULLIN,
H. MARCUS,	W. K. PARK,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	DANIEL CURRIE,
JOHN FOX.	

March 25, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To amend a resolution entitled "Resolution to authorize the paving of the market plots on Lehigh avenue," passed December 30th, 1873.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That so much of a resolution entitled "Resolution to authorize the paving of the market plots on Lehigh avenue," passed December 30th, A. D. 1873, as relates to the payment for paving the intersections, be so amended as to read, "cost of intersections not to exceed six hundred and forty-nine dollars and fifty cents."

APPENDIX No. 163.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance to authorize the widening of the footway on Market street, between Twenty-second street and the bridge, respectfully report that we have examined and approved the same, and submit for

your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	GEORGE DORLAN,
WM. McMULLIN,	DANIEL CURRIE,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	AMOS M. SLACK,
S. A. MILLER,	P. H. KLOHSE,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	H. MARCUS,
H. McDOWELL,	W. K. PARK,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	JOHN FOX.

March 25, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the footway on the south side of Market street, between Twenty-second street and the Market Street Bridge, to be widened three feet.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Surveys be and they are hereby directed to prepare plans and furnish the same to the Department of Highways, for the widening of the footway on Market street, between Twenty-second and the Market Street Bridge, to a width of fifteen feet, and the Department of Highways are hereby directed to notify the owners of property fronting on said street, between the points named, to reset the curb to the new line, and to repave their footway with flag stones; and in case of their failure to do the same within days after said notice, the Department of Highways shall have said work done and charged to the property owners. The Department of Highways is also directed to repair so much of the cartway as may be necessary to accommodate the new curb line.

APPENDIX No. 164.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinances to tramway Oliver, China, Jackson and Alder streets, and Gillis' alley, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and

submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	GEORGE DORLAN,
WM. McMULLIN,	DANIEL CURRIE,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	AMOS M. SLACK,
S. A. MILLER,	P. H. KLOHSE,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	H. MARCUS,
GEO. A. ENO,	W. K. PARK,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	JOHN FOX.

March 25, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the tramwaying of Oliver, China, Jackson and Alder streets, and Gillis' alley.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to repave with tramway stone in the tracks of the wheels, the following streets, viz.: Oliver street, from Tenth street to Eleventh street, in the Second Ward; China street, from Front street westward, in the Second Ward; Jackson street, from Washington avenue southward, in the Second Ward; Alder street, from Girard avenue to Jefferson street, in the Twentieth Ward; Gillis' alley, from Lombard street to South street, in the Fifth Ward; and if the said streets are wider than is necessary for a single track, to take an equal quantity from each side.

APPENDIX No. 165.

To the Presidents and Members of Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petitions and Ordinances to authorize the paving of Carpenter, Oakford and Gillingham streets, respectfully report that we have examined and

approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	S. A. MILLER,
GEORGE DORLAN,	P. H. KLOHSE,
WILLIAM McMULLIN,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	H. MARCUS,
DANIEL CURRIE,	W. K. PARK,
AMOS M. SLACK,	CHAS. THOMSON JONES,
JOHN FOX.	

March 25, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Carpenter, Oakford and Gillingham streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers, for the paving of the following streets, viz.: Carpenter street, from Twenty-third street to Twenty-fourth street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, with cobble stone pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed five hundred and thirty-eight dollars and seventy-five cents; Oakford street, from Twenty-seventh street to Twenty-eighth street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, with cobble stone pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed five hundred and thirty-eight dollars and seventy-five cents; Gillingham street, from Hedge street to Mulberry street, in the Twenty-third Ward, with rubble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed thirty dollars. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said streets, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said streets in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 166.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance to authorize the Chief Commissioner of Highways to draw a warrant in favor of Jos. McDonald, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	P. H. KLOHSE,
GEORGE DORLAN,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
WILLIAM McMULLIN,	H. MARCUS,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	H. McDOWELL,
DANIEL CURRIE,	W. K. PARK,
AMOS M. SLACK,	CHAS. THOMSON JONES,
S. A. MILLER,	JOHN FOX.

March 25, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the Chief Commissioner of Highways to draw a warrant in favor of Jos. McDonald.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorised and directed to draw a warrant for the sum of three hundred and fourteen dollars and eighty-two cents, in favor of Joseph McDonald, for the construction of the sewer on Decatur street, from Market street to Jayne street, the amount to be taken from the item for branch sewers in the annual appropriation to the Department of Highways for the year 1875.

APPENDIX No. 167.

To the Presidents and Members of Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance to authorize the grading

of Thirty-first street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	GEO. DORLAN,
WILLIAM McMULLIN,	DANL. CURRIE,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	AMOS M. SLACK,
S. A. MILLER,	P. H. KLOHSE,
H. MARCUS,	WM. K. PARK,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	HENRY GLASS,
JOHN MONROE,	JOHN FOX.

March 25, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Thirty-first street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade Thirty-first street, from Powelton avenue to Spring Garden street, to the established grade of the City; cost not to exceed three thousand and fifty-nine dollars.

APPENDIX No. 168.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance to authorize the paving of Twenty-fourth street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WILLIAM McMULLIN,
GEO. DORLAN,	DANL. CURRIE,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	AMOS M. SLACK,
S. A. MILLER,	P. H. KLOHSE,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	H. MARCUS,
HENRY McDOWELL,	WM. K. PARK,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	JOHN FOX.

March 25, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Twenty-fourth street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers, for the paving of Twenty-fourth street, from Jefferson street to Ridge avenue, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, with cobble pavement; cost of intersections not to exceed twelve hundred and eighty-one dollars and twenty-five cents. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said street, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said street in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 169.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petitions and Ordinances to authorize the grading of Hedge and Gillingham streets, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	P. H. KLOHSE,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,	SAML. A. MILLER,
H. McDOWELL,	W. K. PARK,
DANIEL CURRIE,	GEORGE DORLAN,
WILLIAM McMULLIN,	DANIEL W. GILBERT,
AMOS M. SLACK,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
H. MARCUS,	JOHN FOX.

March 25, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Hare and Gillingham streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade the following streets to the established grade of the city, viz.: Hare street, from Twenty-fifth street to Taney street, in the Fifteenth Ward, cost not to exceed four hundred and fifty-seven dollars; Gillingham street, from Hedge street to Mulberry street, in the Twenty-third Ward; cost not to exceed two hundred and fifty-one dollars and twenty-five cents.

APPENDIX No. 170.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Gas Works would respectfully report that we have considered petitions for the location of public lamps, and submit the annexed Ordinance locating the same, and recommend its passage.

GEO. E. HALL, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	GEORGE WHITE,
ROBT. H. COOPER,	NICHOLAS A. SUTTON,
JOS CARTLEDGE,	H. N. UHLER, M. D ,
WILLIAM THORNTON,	ALEXANDER RUSSELL,
JOHN Siner,	WM. M. GARWOOD,
H. MARCUS,	WM. BRADLY,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	O. HOWARD WILSON,
W. W. BURNELL.	

March 25, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the erection of public lamps.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Trustees of the Phila-

delphia Gas Works be and they are hereby authorized and directed to erect public lamps, located as follows:

First Ward.—One lamp in front of No. 816 Morris street; at the northwest corner of Second and Marker streets; at the northwest corner of Moyamensing avenue and Mifflin street; on Dickerson street, below Seventh street, in front of school house; in front of No. 1009 Tasker street; at southeast corner of Passyunk road and Tasker street; at corner of Ninth and Snyder streets; in front of No. 820 Earp street; at corner of Seventh and Dudley streets.

Second Ward.—One lamp at the northwest corner of Washington avenue and Swanson street; at the southeast corner of Moyamensing avenue and Marion street; in front of No. 625 Washington avenue; at northwest corner of Washington and Passyunk avenues; remove lamp from in front of No. 1020 South Fourth street, to the southeast corner of Fourth and Clark streets.

Fourth Ward.—One lamp at the northwest corner of Ovington and Bainbridge streets; at corner of Ovington and South streets; in front of First Presbyterian Church, Seventh street, below Bainbridge street.

Fifth Ward.—One lamp in front of No. 223 Pear street; at southeast corner of Fifth and Landis streets; at southwest corner of Sixth and Locust streets; remove lamp from Fifth street, above Spruce street, to opposite Whitticar row.

Sixth Ward.—One lamp on Strawberry street, between Market and Chestnut streets.

Seventh Ward.—One lamp in front of No. 331 South Twentieth street; remove lamp from Twenty-first street, below Granville street, to the southeast corner of Granville street; one lamp on the east side of Seventeenth street, opposite first small street above Pine street, running west; on Granville street, west of Twentieth street; on Granville street, east of Twenty-first street.

Eighth Ward.—One lamp in front of No. 921 Sansom street; on Locust street, between Thirteenth and Juniper streets; in front of No. 1517 Spruce street.

Ninth Ward.—One lamp in De Gray place, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets.

Twelfth Ward.—One bracket lamp on southeast corner

of house, at intersection of Osler avenue and Mendon place, provided the owner consents.

Fifteenth Ward.—One lamp on Madison street, rear of No. 2406 Callowhill street; at northwest corner of Twentieth street and Pennsylvania avenue; at northwest corner of Nineteenth and Green streets.

Sixteenth Ward.—One lamp at southeast corner of Thompson and Canal streets.

Seventeenth Ward.—One lamp on west side of Howard street, about ninety feet south of Jefferson street; on south side of cartway leading to factory.

Eighteenth Ward.—One lamp in front of Penn Asylum, on Belgrade street, above Otis street; one lamp at northeast corner of Belgrade and Capewell streets; one lamp on Harriet street below Ross, in front of McMullen's court.

Nineteenth Ward.—One lamp on the east side of Lawrence street, above Oxford street; in front of No. 2141 Apple street; at northwest corner of Leithgow and Norris streets; on east side of Fourth street, above Norris street; in front of frame church, at northeast corner of Manakin and Norris streets; at southwest corner of Fourth and York streets; in front of No. 1724 Frankford road; remove lamp from 2026 to 2033 North Fourth street.

Twentieth Ward.—One lamp at the southeast corner of Broad and Stiles streets; at northeast corner of Broad and Poplar streets; in front of No. 1006 Marshall street; on north side of Girard avenue, thirty feet above Sixth street; on the east side of Franklin street, below Montgomery avenue, midway between the two lamps now on the west side; remove lamp from the east side of Franklin street, above Columbia avenue, down to about twenty-five feet of the north curb of Columbia avenue; one lamp at the southeast corner of Twelfth street and Girard avenue.

Twenty-fourth Ward.—One lamp on Somerset street, west side, between Eadline and Mary streets; at northeast corner of Forty-fourth and Eadline streets; at southwest corner of Lancaster avenue and Seneca street; at southwest corner of Forty-third street and Lancaster avenue; at northwest corner of Forty-second and Lancaster avenue; at northeast corner of Brooklyn and Hutton streets; at southwest corner of Fortieth street and Westminster avenue; at southwest corner of Union and Elm streets; at southwest

corner of Thirty-fifth and Baring streets; on Thirty-second street, between Arch and Race streets; at southwest corner of Thirty fourth street and Powelton avenue; at southwest corner of Saunders avenue and Baring street; at northwest corner of Warren and Baring streets; at Fortieth and Elm streets; on Fortieth street, between Elm and Sycamore streets; on Sylvester avenue, between Forty-eighth and Forty-ninth streets; at Thirty fourth and Rockland streets; on Haverford street, between Forty-eighth and Forty-ninth streets; at Thirty-second and Haverford streets; at Thirty-second and Rockland streets; at the southeast corner Fifty-fourth and Hunter's lane; on the west side of Fifty-fourth street, between Hunter's lane and Lansdowne avenue; at the corner of Hunter's lane and Conestoga street; at corner of Fifty-sixth and Hunter's lane.

Twenty-fifth Ward.—One lamp on the east side of Frankford road, above Clearfield street; at southwest corner of Kensington avenue and Venango street; at northwest corner of Broad and Butler streets.

Twenty-sixth Ward.—One lamp in front of No. 1920 Catharine street; at northeast corner of Twenty-first and Webster streets; in front No. 2124 Carpenter street; at northwest corner Twenty-third and Pemberton streets; at corner of Twentieth and Latona streets; on Latona street, between Nineteenth and Twentieth streets; on Alter street, midway between Nineteenth and Twentieth streets; in front of No. 2007 South Broad street; at southeast corner of Clarion and Federal streets; on south side of Federal street, sixty-two feet west of Clarion street; at southeast corner of Eleventh and Ellsworth streets; at southwest corner of Twenty-fourth and Christian streets; in front of 2817 Hummell street; at northeast corner of Twenty-ninth and Hummell streets; in front of 2541 Washington avenue; in front of No. 911 South Twenty-first street; on the east side of Eleventh street, between Fitzwater and Catharine streets; on the north side of Christian street, east of Sixteenth street.

Twenty-seventh Ward.—One lamp on the west side of Thirty-seventh street, ninety-five feet south of Market street; in front of 3315 Woodland avenue; on Forty-first street, west side, midway between Locust and Spruce streets; on Kingsessing avenue, south side, two hundred

feet west of Forty-seventh street ; on south side of Locust street, east of Fortieth street ; in front of St. Mary's Church ; on northwest corner of Forty-fifth and Pine streets ; on the west side of Forty-fifth street, south of Spruce street.

Twenty-eighth Ward.—One lamp on Broad street, between Cambria street and Germantown avenue ; on southeast corner of Ninth and York streets ; at northwest corner of Lehigh avenue and Park avenue, by Twenty second District Police Station ; at northeast corner of Twenty-first and Berks streets ; in front of 2210 Marshall street ; on northwest corner of Thirteenth and Diamond streets.

Twenty-ninth Ward.—One lamp on northwest corner of Jefferson and Opal streets ; on Girard avenue, east of Twenty-eighth street, one hundred and eighty feet west of Twenty-seventh street ; on southeast corner of Twenty-fourth and Montgomery avenue ; on south side of Montgomery avenue, two hundred feet east of Twenty-fourth street ; in front of No. 2045 Ridge avenue ; on Master or Jefferson, corner of alley between Willington and Seventeenth streets ; on the southwest corner Twenty-third and Redner streets ; on north side of Bolton street, between Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth streets ; on south side Redner street, between Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth streets ; on northeast corner of Twenty-fourth and Bolton streets ; on corner of Twenty-fourth and Redner streets ; on northeast corner of Twenty-fourth and Oxford streets ; one lamp on Master street, above Nineteenth, south side, in front of Plymouth Church.

Thirty-first Ward.—One lamp in front of No. 822 Adams street ; in front of 924 East Cumberland street.

Twenty-first Ward.—One lamp on Robeson street, between Main street and the canal ; on corner of Seville and Cresson streets ; on corner of Terrace and Seville streets ; on corner of Hermit and Seville streets ; on corner of Adams and Seville streets ; on Ridge avenue, midway between Hermit and Marple streets ; on Ridge avenue, between Jefferson and next lamp ; two lamps on Flemming street, Upper Manayunk.

Twenty-second Ward.—One lamp on corner of Upsal and Morton streets ; on southeast corner of Jefferson and Wakefield streets ; on Jefferson street ; on Wayne street, above Manheim street ; two lamps on Green street, between

Coulter and School streets; two additional lamps on East Washington avenue and the railroad station; two lamps on Pulaski avenue, between Manheim and Hansberry streets; one lamp at the end of Miller street.

Thirteenth Ward.—One lamp on the east side of Seventh street, above Brown street, on a line with the north side of Calvin place.

APPENDIX No. 171.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Police, to whom was referred an Ordinance to authorize the sale of the old station house property on the south side of Union street, between Third and Fourth streets, in the Fifth Ward, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and report it back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN F. GLENN, *Cl'n*,
SAMUEL R. JAMISON,
ALEX. RUSSELL,
NICHOLAS A. SUTTON,
W. K. PARK,
O. HOWARD WILSON,
GEO. A. SMITH,

JOHN C. MARTIN,
SAML. WILLIAMSON,
DAVID MOUAT,
GEO. A. ENO,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,
WM. BRADLY,
N. SPERING.

March 25, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the sale of the old station house property on the south side of Union street, between Third and Fourth streets, in the Fifth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Mayor be and is hereby directed to sell at public sale the old police station house, and the lot of ground upon which the same is erected, situate on the south side of Union street, between Third and Fourth streets, in the Fifth Ward; and place the proceeds of the said sale to the credit of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund. The Mayor is hereby authorized

and directed to affix the corporate seal of the City to the necessary deed or deeds to secure the title to the purchaser or purchasers thereof.

APPENDIX No. 172.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Police, to whom was referred the petition of John Weik for permission to erect a number of frame buildings, respectfully report that we have examined the matter, and report the annexed Ordinance, and recommend its passage.

JOHN F. GLENN, *Ch'n*,
SAMUEL R. JAMISON,
ALEX. RUSSELL,
NICHOLAS A. SUTTON,
W. K. PARK,
O. HOWARD WILSON,
GEO. A. SMITH,

JOHN C. MARTIN,
SAML. WILLIAMSON,
DAVID MOUAT,
GEO. A. ENO,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,
WM. BRADLY,
N. SPERING.

March 25, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

Granting permission to John Weik to erect wooden buildings at Forty-fourth (Belmont avenue) and Eadline streets, from Forty-fourth to Forty-third street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That permission be granted to John Weik to erect a series of one-story wooden buildings at Forty-fourth (Belmont avenue) and Eadline streets, from Forty-fourth to Forty-third streets: *Provided*, The permission hereby granted shall be revocable by the City of Philadelphia at its option, by the passage of an Ordinance or resolution to that effect without notice: *And provided*, The said John Weik first pay into the City Treasury the sum of twenty-five dollars to pay for the publication of this Ordinance; all Ordinances or parts of Ordinances to the contrary hereof notwithstanding.

APPENDIX No. 173.

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR,
PHILADELPHIA, *April 1, 1875.*

HON. A. WILSON HENSZEY,

DEAR SIR:—The specifications for building Fairmount Bridge, provide that the paving stones and curbing laid in Bridge street, west of the Pennsylvania Railroad, should be removed and carefully preserved, to be replaced when the grade of the street is changed. This is included in the contract for work awarded to the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, by resolution of Councils, approved December 29th, 1871.

These paving stones were afterwards removed by the Chief Commissioner of Highways, and used in paving Haverford street, by authority of a resolution of Councils. It will, therefore, be necessary to supply the Pennsylvania Railroad Company with as much stone as has been removed. The eastern approaches are paved with Belgian blocks, and it would make a better finish to have the west approach from Thirty-third street to the Pennsylvania Railroad abutment paved with the same material, under the circumstances, which change I will make if approved by Councils. It would also be advisable to consider whether this portion of the street should not be made wider to accommodate the increased amount of travel and business which will result on the completion of the bridge.

Very truly,

SAML. L. SMEDLEY,
Chief Engineer and Surveyor.

APPENDIX No. 174.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS, BRIDGES AND SEWERS.
PHILADELPHIA, *April 1, 1875.*

To the Presidents and Members of the Select
and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—In accordance with resolution passed December 31st, 1874, I herewith submit the accompanying

report of the condition of the annual appropriation to the Department of Highways for the year 1875.

Respectfully,

JNO. L. HILL,
Chief Commissioner of Highways.
 Per M. M. COPPUCK,
Chief Clerk.

Condition of the appropriation to the Department of Highways, April 1st, 1875.

Items.	Appropriation	Expended.	Balance.
1 Officers' salaries.....	\$34,300 00	\$4,624 94	\$29,675 06
2 Paving intersections.....	75,000 00	14,997 20	60,002 80
3 Repairing streets.....	155,000 00	991 19	154,008 81
4 Repaving and tramwaying streets.....	7,500 00	739 14	6,760 86
5 Repairing roads and unpaved streets.....	80,000 00	1,329 50	78,670 50
6 Grading streets and roads.....	175,000 00	48,128 88	126,871 12
7 Repairing and rebuilding bridges.....	35,000 00	904 06	34,095 94
8 Repairs to sewers and inlets.....	35,000 00	3,803 16	31,196 84
9 Printing, advertising and stationery.....	5,000 00	777 00	4,223 00
10 Insurance on bridges.....	2,500 00	600 00	1,900 00
11 Office and yard expenses.....	10,000 00	689 00	9,311 00
12 Incidental expenses.....	2,500 00	786 00	1,714 00
13 Index boards.....	500 00	23 40	476 60
14 Repairs along railway tracks.....	3,000 00	None.	3,000 00
15 Salaries of bridge watchmen.....	13,020 00	1,689 96	11,330 04
16 Grading, curbing and repaving footways.....	4,000 00	None.	4,000 00
17 Repairs to meadow bank.....	1,100 00	"	1,100 00
18 Tramway, gutter and crossing stones.....	35,000 00	1,589 61	33,410 39
19 Completing sewer at Chestnut and Meadow streets.....	5,600 00	4,962 46	637 54
20 Constructing branch sewers.....	30,000 00	337 21	29,662 80
21 Constructing new inlets.....	35,000 00	1,209 00	33,791 00
22 Completing Tacoma State road.....	15,000 00	None.	15,000 00
23 Completing grading of Fifth street.....	7,000 00	366 76	6,633 24
24 Repairing Mill creek culvert, south of Baltimore avenue.....	15,000 00	4,394 06	10,605 94
25 Completing improvement of South Broad street.....	3,500 00	None.	3,500 00
26 Completing culvert on Market street, at Mill creek.....	6,960 00	6,916 94	43 06
27 Constructing culvert at Mill creek and Woodland avenue.....	12,000 00	12 00	11,988 00
28 Constructing culvert on Chestnut street, at Forty-fourth street.....	3,000 00	None.	3,000 00
29 Constructing culvert at Forty-eighth and Oregon streets.....	10,000 00	"	10,000 00
30 Opening, grading, &c., State road, in Twenty-fourth Ward.....	9,500 00	89 62	9,410 38
31 Grading over Mantua creek culvert.....	5,000 00	1,575 00	3,425 00
32 Bridging and culverting Cobb's creek, at Market street.....	21,000 00	None.	21,000 00
33 Repairing Broad street, north of Columbia avenue.....	10,000 00	"	10,000 00
34 Removing curb and paving stone on Twenty-sixth street.....	2,500 00	"	2,500 00
35 Building retaining wall on Main street (Maunauuk).....	2,500 00	"	2,500 00
36 Repaving Perkiomen turnpike.....	25,000 00	"	25,000 00
37 " Broad street, northward.....	80,000 00	"	80,000 00
" " Broad street, southward.....	10,000 00	606 83	9,393 17
" " Market street.....	30,000 00	None.	30,000 00
" " Chestnut street.....	15,000 00	"	15,000 00
" " Dock street.....	10,000 00	"	10,000 00
38 Paving west approach South Street Bridge.....	8,850 00	"	8,850 00
39 Opening, grading, &c., Bryn Mawr State road.....	4,131 82	2,937 58	1,194 24

APPENDIX No. 175.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petitions and Ordinances to authorize the paving of McKean, Twelfth, Eighth, and Lawrence streets, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	GEORGE DORLAN,
AMOS M. SLACK,	JOHN FOX,
S. A. MILLER,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
WM. McMULLIN,	DANL. CURRIE,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	A. ALBRIGHT,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	HENRY GLASS,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	H. MARCUS,
HENRY McDOWELL,	JOHN MONROE.

April 1, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of McKean, Twelfth, Eighth and Lawrence streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers, for the paving of the following streets, viz.: McKean street, from Tenth street to Twelfth street, in the First Ward, with cobble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed three hundred and fifty-four dollars; Twelfth street, from McKean street to Snyder avenue, in the First Ward, with cobble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed six hundred and eighty-one dollars; Eighth street, from Tioga street to Rising Sun lane, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, with rubble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed fifty-eight dollars and fifty cents; Lawrence street, from York street to Huntingdon street, in the Nineteenth Ward, no cost for intersections. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the

cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said streets, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said streets in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 176.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the resolution to authorize the paving of York street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	AMOS M. SLACK,
GEORGE DORLAN,	HENRY GLASS,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,	WM. McMULLIN,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	DANL. CURRIE,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	SAML. A. MILLER,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	JOHN FOX,
HENRY McDOWELL,	A. ALBRIGHT,
HENRY MARCUS,	JOHN MONROE.

April 1, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of York street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers, for the paving of York street, from Sedgeley avenue to Twenty-ninth street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, with rubble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed twenty-three hundred and seventy-dollars. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said street, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said street in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 177.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition and Ordinance authorizing the grading of York street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, *Ch'n*,

GEO. DORLAN,

FERD. DOEBLEY,

S. A. MILLER,

JNO. MONROE,

CHAS. THOMSON JONES,

JOHN FOX,

HENRY McDOWELL,

April 1, 1875.

WM. McMULLIN,

H. MARCUS,

AMOS M. SLACK,

A. ALBRIGHT,

JOHN A. MISKEY,

HENRY GLASS,

DANL. CURRIE,

DANL. W. GILBERT.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of York street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade York street, from Sedgeley avenue to Twenty-ninth street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, to the established grade of the City, cost not to exceed nineteen hundred and sixty dollars and seventy-five cents.

APPENDIX No. 178.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petitions and Ordinances to authorize the grading of Lawrence, Eighth and McKean streets, respectfully report that we have examined and approve

the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WILLIAM McMULLIN,
GEO. DORLAN,	H. McDOWELL,
II. MARCUS,	A. ALBRIGHT,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	JOHN A. MISKEY,
HENRY GLASS,	JOHN FOX,
JOHN MONROE,	AMOS M. SLACK,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	D. W. GILBERT,
DANL. CURRIE,	SAML. A. MILLER.

April 1, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Lawrence (or Apple) street, Eighth and McKean streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade the following streets to the established grade of the City, viz.: Lawrence (or Apple) street, from York street to Huntingdon street, in the Nineteenth Ward, cost not to exceed fourteen hundred and eighty-three dollars; Eighth street, from Tioga street to Rising Sun lane, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, cost not to exceed two hundred and eighty-two dollars; McKean street, from Tenth street to Twelfth street, in the First Ward, cost not to exceed three hundred and twelve dollars and fifty cents.

APPENDIX No. 179.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance authorizing the opening of Walnut street, respectfully report that we have ex-

amined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WILLIAM McMULLIN,
GEORGE DORLAN,	H. MARCUS,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	A. ALBRIGHT,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	HENRY GLASS,
JOHN FOX,	JOHN MONROE,
AMOS M. SLACK,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
D. W. GILBERT,	DANL. CURRIE,
S. A. MILLER.	

April 1, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Walnut street, from Thirty-second street to low water mark, at the river Schuylkill, in the Twenty-seventh Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Walnut street, from Thirty-second street to low water mark, on the river Schuylkill, in the Twenty-seventh Ward, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from date of said notice, said street will be required for public use.

APPENDIX No. 180.

COUNTY PRISON,
PHILADELPHIA, April 6, 1875.

A. WILSON HENSZEY,
President of Common Council :

DEAR SIR:—At a meeting of the Board of Inspectors of the Philadelphia County Prison, held on the 5th inst., it was

Resolved, That the officers of the Board be instructed to notify the President of Common Council of Philadelphia, that the Board will meet Common Council, at their (Coun-

oil) chamber, at such time as may be found most convenient, to discuss the expediency of enlarging the Prison, by occupying the adjoining ground belonging to the City.

Resp'y Y'rs,

J. B. BIDDLE, M. D.,
President.

EDMUND SMITH,
Secretary.

A P P E N D I X N o. 181.

PHILADELPHIA FIRE DEPARTMENT,
PHILADELPHIA, *April 8, 1875.*

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—At a meeting of the Board of Fire Commissioners, held on Tuesday, March 23d, 1875, Mr. Henry B. Leskie was awarded a contract to build a fire station house on Montgomery avenue, below Girard avenue, at \$9,300. This has been necessary in consequence of Henry T. Supplee, to whom the contract had been awarded, and an appropriation of \$8,717, made and approved December 15th, 1874, neglecting to execute a contract as required by Ordinance; the Board having ordered a readvertising for proposals to complete the building, Mr. Leskie being the lowest bidder, was awarded the contract.

JOHN R. CANTLIN,
Secretary.

A P P E N D I X N o. 182.

PHILADELPHIA, *March 27, 1875.*

JOHN L. HILL, Esq.,
Chief Commissioner of Highways :

DEAR SIR :—I send herewith a statement in detail of the indebtedness of the Superintendents of Highways, Twenty-second Ward, Philadelphia, amounting to \$3,340.92, which has been qualified to by Mr. Jos. T. Mears, late supervisor,

who has personal knowledge of the creation of said indebtedness.

If this should not be satisfactory to you, we will adopt any mode of proving said indebtedness which you may suggest.

Yours truly,

EDWIN T. CHASE,

*Solicitor for late Superintendents Highways,
Twenty-second Ward.*

*List of debts due by the late Superintendents of Highways,
Twenty-second Ward, Philadelphia, to March 17th, 1875,
inclusive.*

Rent.

Geo. W. Hamersley..... \$50 00

Expense to conference at county bridge.

G. W. Hamersley et al., Superintendents..... 27 60

Lumber.

T. Howard Hallowell.....\$240 16

Ashmead & Langstroth..... 186 24

Jesse Roberts..... 105 55

531 95

Paving intersections.

Wm. Nester..... \$57 77

Macadamizing intersections.

John Nolen..... 67 11

124 88

Stone.

John Nolen..... \$66 42

Frank Toner..... 92 00

158 42

Masonry.

Wm. Barnes.....\$442 72

Jones & May..... 278 28

721 00

Surveying.

Jesse Lightfoot..... 69 70

Culvert, &c. Stone.

Jas. F. McKinney..... 364 51

County bridge over Wissahickon.

Chas. Dixey..... 675 00

Grading Wilson street.

Chas. McGucken..... 253 00

Grading Chew street.

Frank Toner..... 186 05

Advertising.

P. R. Freas..... \$4 00

G. W. Graeff..... 1 20

5 20

Stationery. Hardware.

Jos. Parker	\$4 63
<i>Solicitor's salary.</i>	
E. T. Chase, at rate of \$250 per annum	62 50
<i>Treasurer's salary.</i>	
F. V. Hoyt	33 33
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	\$3,267 82

Salaries of supervisors for seventeen days in March, 1875, at rate of \$800 per annum, viz. :

William Nunemaker	\$36 55
Joseph T. Mears	36 55
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	73 10
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	\$3,340 92

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA, ss. :

JOSEPH T. MEARS, being duly *affirmed*, says: That he was one of the supervisors of Highways of the Twenty-second Ward of the City of Philadelphia. That for eight months last past, he has been on duty in the office of the Superintendents of Highways, Twenty-second Ward, in Germantown, and that he has personal knowledge of the debts due by said Superintendents, and particularly set forth in the within statement. That the said debts amount to the sum of three thousand three hundred and forty dollars and ninety-two cents, in the aggregate, and that the same are justly due to the persons therein named, for the services, &c., therein stated.

JOS. T. MEARS,
Supervisor.

Affirmed and subscribed before
me, this 27th day of March,
A. D. 1875.

[SEAL.] LOUIS M. SIMPSON,
Notary Public.

APPENDIX No. 183.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance authorizing an appropriation to the Department of Highways, respectfully re-

port that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, *Ch'n*,
WILLIAM McMULLIN,
DANL. W. GILBERT,
A. ALBRIGHT,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,
FERD. DOEBLEY,
WM. K. PARK,

GEO. DORLAN,
DANL. CURRIE,
AMOS M. SLACK,
P. H. KLOHSE,
HENRY GLASS,
JOHN A. MISKEY,
JOHN FOX.

April 8, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation to the Department of Highways for laying foot-ways on Broad and Market streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of five thousand dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated to the Department of Highways for the purpose of flagging the foot-ways in front of such properties on Broad and Market streets, as the owners thereof have neglected to flag, after being notified to do so, in accordance with existing Ordinances.

APPENDIX No. 184.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition and Ordinance to authorize the paving of Tioga street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WILLIAM McMULLIN,
GEO. DORLAN,	DANL. CURRIE,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	AMOS M. SLACK,
A. ALBRIGHT,	P. H. KLOHSE,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	H. MARCUS,
JOHN MONROE,	WM. K. PARK,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	JOHN A. MISKEY.

April 8, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Tioga street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers for the paving of Tioga street, from Fifth street to Twelfth street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, with rubble pavement; cost of intersections not to exceed three thousand five hundred and two dollars and fifty cents. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said street, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said street in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

 APPENDIX No. 185.

To the Presidents and Members of Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition and Ordinance to authorize the paving of Forty-ninth street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	CHAS. THOMSON JONES,
WM. McMULLIN,	W. K. PARK,
AMOS M. SLACK,	HENRY GLASS,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	JOHN MONROE,
GEORGE DORLAN,	P. H. KLOHSE,
H. MARCUS,	DANL. W. GILBERT,

JOHN A. MISKEY.

April 8, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Forty-ninth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers for the paving of Forty-ninth street, from Haverford street to Westminster avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, with rubble pavement; cost of intersections not to exceed three thousand and sixty-seven dollars and fifty cents. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said street, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said street in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 186.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition and Ordinance to authorize the grading of Forty-ninth street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	CHAS. THOMSON JONES,
WM. McMULLIN,	W. K. PARK,
DANIEL CURRIE,	HENRY GLASS,
AMOS M. SLACK,	JOHN MONROE,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	P. H. KLOHSE,
GEORGE DORLAN,	DANL. W. GILBERT,
H. MARCUS,	JOHN A. MISKEY.

April 8, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Forty-ninth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade Forty-ninth street, from Haverford street to Westminster avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, to the established grade of the City; cost not to exceed ninety-one hundred and thirty-six dollars and twenty-five cents.

APPENDIX No. 187.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance authorizing George Gendell to lay a pipe across and under Girard avenue, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
GEORGE DORLAN,	H. MARCUS,
DANIEL CURRIE,	AMOS M. SLACK,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	JOHN FOX,
A. ALBRIGHT,	H. McDOWELL,
JOHN MONROE,	W. K. PARK,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	HENRY GLASS.

April 8, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

Granting permission to George Gendell to lay a pipe across Girard avenue
at Warnock street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That permission be and is hereby given to George Gendell to lay a pipe across and under

Girard avenue, to connect his brewery at the southwest corner of Girard avenue and Warnock street, with his ice house, on Warnock street above Girard avenue, a distance of one hundred feet: *Provided*, That the work shall be done under direction of the Department of Highways; and that the said George Gendell shall first pay twenty-five dollars into the City Treasury to pay for the printing of this Ordinance. Also, that the privilege hereby granted shall be revocable by the City of Philadelphia at its option, by the passage of a resolution to take effect after thirty days' notice. All Ordinances to the contrary notwithstanding.

APPENDIX No. 188.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition and Ordinance authorizing the paving of Harrison street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	HENRY GLASS,
GEORGE DORLAN,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
WILLIAM McMULLIN,	H. MARCUS,
DANIEL CURRIE,	W. K. PARK,
AMOS M. SLACK,	CHAS. THOMSON JONES,
A. ALBRIGHT,	JOHN FOX,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	H. McDOWELL,
JOHN MONROE,	JOHN A. MISKEY.

April 8, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Harrison street, in the Twenty-third Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers for

the paving of Harrison street, from Willow street to Jackson street, in the Twenty-third Ward, with rubble pavement; cost of intersections not to exceed nineteen hundred and ninety-six dollars and seventy-five cents. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said street, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said street in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 189.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petitions and Ordinances authorizing the grading of Harrison, Tioga, Cherry and Jackson streets, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WILLIAM McMULLIN,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	DANL. CURRIE,
AMOS M. SLACK,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,	GEO. DORLAN,
H. MARCUS,	H. McDOWELL,
W. K. PARK,	A. ALBRIGHT,
HENRY GLASS,	JOHN MONROE,

JOHN A. MISKEY.

April 8, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Harrison, Tioga, Cherry and Jackson streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade the following streets to the established grade of the city, viz.: Harrison street, from Willow street to Jackson street, in the Twenty third Ward, cost not to exceed three

hundred and seventy-five dollars and seventy-five cents; Tioga street, from Fifth street to Germantown avenue, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, cost not to exceed six hundred and sixty-eight dollars; Cherry street, from Harrison street to Dyre street, in the Twenty-third Ward, cost not to exceed nine hundred and seventeen dollars and twenty-five cents; Jackson street, from Harrison street to Bridge street, in the Twenty-third Ward, cost not to exceed two hundred and seven dollars and fifty cents.

APPENDIX No. 190.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance authorizing the opening of Park avenue, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WILLIAM McMULLIN,
AMOS M. SLACK,	JOHN BARDSLEY,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	GEORGE DORLAN,
H. MARCUS,	W. K. PARK,
THOMAS HILL,	HENRY GLASS,
JOHN MONROE,	P. H. KLOHSE,
JOHN A. MISKEY.	

April 8, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Park avenue, in the Twenty-eighth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Park avenue (late Diamond street), from Islington lane to the Connecting Railroad, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice, said street will be required for public use.

APPENDIX No. 191.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—Your Committee on Surveys and Regulations, to whom was referred the resolutions and petitions for sewers, report that these applications and locations have been carefully examined by the Board of Surveyors, who earnestly recommend their construction; aggregate length seven thousand nine hundred and ninety-three feet: costing properties on the lines thereof twenty thousand four hundred and seventy-nine dollars, and the City about six thousand six hundred dollars; improvements already made, and others of magnitude contemplated, demand this drainage. Some of these contemplated improvements, particularly those in the Twenty-second Ward, have been long delayed in consequence of the want of drainage. We submit an Ordinance herewith for their construction, and respectfully ask its adoption.

WM. THORNTON, *Ch'n*,
S. C. COLLINS,
GEO. E. HALL,
JOHN Siner,
JOHN C. BICKEL,
GEO. A. SMITH,
JAS. R. GATES,

WM. JAMES,
B. F. BONHAM,
JOS. J. MARTIN,
JOSEPH H. TATEM,
C. ERNEST KAMERLY,
W. W. BURNELL,
HENRY GLASS.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the construction of sewers on Crown, Stamper, Taney, Lafayette, Aspen and Forty-first streets, and Corinthian, Chelton and German-town avenues.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Highways be and is hereby authorized to construct the following sewers, viz. : on Crown street, from Race street to a point two hundred and fifty feet south of Vine street on Stamper street, from Second to Third street; on Taney street, from Brown to Parrish street, with well hole thirty feet in height to receive two three feet diameter sewers; on Corinthian avenue, from Parrish street to the south curb line of Girard

avenue; on Lafayette street, from Adams street northeastward five hundred and five feet; on Chelton avenue, from Kinnier street to Honey run; on Germantown avenue, from Mill street to Armat street (with rock excavation); on Germantown avenue, from Bringhurst to Seymour street (with rock excavation); on Germantown avenue, from Bringhurst to Seymour street (with rock excavation); on Germantown avenue, from Washington avenue to Lafayette street (with rock excavation); on Germantown avenue, from depression south to Coulter street, along Coulter street to Cumberland street, thence along Cumberland street to main branch of Honey run sewer in Mill street (with rock excavation); and on Aspen street, from Preston to Forty-first street; and on Forty-first street, from Aspen to Oregon street, each with a clear inside diameter of three feet. Said sewers to be built of brick, circular in shape, and in accordance with specifications prepared by the Chief Engineer and Surveyor.

SECT. 2. The Chief Commissioner of Highways shall advertise according to law, announcing that bids will be received for the sewers above designated, and he shall allot them to the lowest bidders, and it shall be a condition of said contract that the contractor shall accept the sums assessed upon and charged to the properties lying on the lines of said sewers in manner and form authorized by Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance regulating the assessment upon property for the construction of branch culverts or drains," approved May 12th, 1866, and supplement thereto, approved February 16th, 1869; any excess over and above said assessment, in addition to that provided for by Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Chief Commissioner of Highways to draw warrants for street intersections, manholes, and legal deductions in the construction of branch sewers," approved April 3d, 1868, to be charged to Item (for branch sewers) of annual appropriation made to the Department of Highways for the year 1875: *Provided*, Said excess does not exceed the sum of six thousand six hundred (6,600) dollars.

APPENDIX No. 192.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—Your Committee on Surveys and Regulations, to whom was referred the petition for a sewer in Fairmount avenue, between Corinthian avenue and West street, beg leave to report that we have concurred in the action of the Board of Surveyors, which is submitted herewith, and deem it necessary that a sewer be constructed in the most speedy manner, to which end we present the accompanying Ordinance, and ask its passage.

WM. THORNTON, *Ch'n*,

JOS. J. MARTIN,

JOSEPH H. TATEM,

WM. JAMES.

GEO. A. SMITH,

JAS. R. GATES,

HENRY GLASS,

S. C. COLLINS,

B. F. BONHAM,

JOHN Siner,

GEORGE E. HALL,

JOHN C. BICKEL,

C. ERNEST KAMERLY,

W. W. BURNELL.

April 7, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the construction of a sewer at Fairmount and Corinthian avenues.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Highways be and is hereby authorized to construct the following sewer, viz.: Commencing at a sewer already constructed on Fairmount avenue, about one hundred feet west of Corinthian avenue, and extending eastward along the line of said Fairmount avenue to the east line of Corinthian avenue, with a clear inside diameter of five feet, the cost thereof to be paid out of Item 7 of appropriation to the Department of Highways, Bridges, Sewers, &c., for the year 1875: *Provided*, The same shall not exceed the sum of fifteen hundred (1500) dollars.

APPENDIX No. 193.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—Your Committee on Surveys and Regulations, to whom was referred the petition asking for a revision of grades upon Seventy-first street and Greenway avenue, in the Twenty-seventh Ward, report that from information derived from the Board of Surveys, find that the present confirmed grade at that locality is such as to interfere with the improvements already made on Upland street, near said Seventy-first street. By act of Assembly, said Upland street is to be placed upon the City plan, and it has become necessary to fix a grade thereon ; in order to effect that end in the most advisable manner, it is necessary to reduce the curb heights at Seventy first street and Greenway avenue ; other streets being affected thereby, it becomes requisite to conform all such as are thus affected. We offer the accompanying Ordinance, and respectfully ask its approval.

WM. THORNTON, *Ch'n*,
B. F. BONHAM,
GEORGE E. HALL,
W. W. BURNELL,
JOS. J. MARTIN,
JOHN C. BICKEL,
HENRY GLASS,

WM. JAMES,
JOSEPH H. TATEM,
S. C. COLLINS,
JAS. R. GATES,
JOHN Siner,
C. ERNEST KAMERLY,
GEO. A. SMITH.

April 7, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the revision of grades upon Plan No. 152.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Surveys be and is hereby directed to revise the grades at Seventy-first street and Greenway avenue, and other streets upon Plan No. 152.

APPENDIX No. 194.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance to authorize a loan for police purposes, and resolution to publish a loan bill for police purposes, and for reasons set forth in report of Sub-Committee hereto appended, report the Ordinance and resolution back, and recommend their passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,
JAS. SUBERS,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
WM. BALDWIN,
JAS. W. ALLEN,
W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,
ROBERT B. SALTER,

H. MARCUS,
S. G. KING,
O. HOWARD WILSON,
WM. THORNTON,
WM. BRADLY,
WM. DIVINE,
JOHN L. SHOEMAKER.

April 15, 1875.

To the Committee on Finance :

GENTLEMEN:—The Sub-Committee, to whom was referred an Ordinance to authorize a loan for police purposes, respectfully report that the amount should be apportioned as follows, and the sum increased to provide for such apportionment :

The Second District, part of the First, Second, Third and Fourth Wards, should have.....	\$30,000
The Tenth District, Seventeenth Ward, should have.....	28,000
The Eleventh District, Eighteenth Ward, should have.....	20,000
The Twelfth District, Twentieth Ward, should have.....	25,000
The Fourteenth District, Twenty-second Ward, should have.....	18,000
The First and Ninth Districts, Twentieth and Fitzwater streets and Twenty-third and Brown streets should have.....	20,000
The Eighteenth District, Nineteenth Ward should have.....	9,000

The Seventeenth District First, Second, Third and Twenty-sixth Wards, should have.....	\$10,000
The sub-station at Olney, Twenty-second Ward, should have.....	5,000
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	\$165,000
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The Committee would report that the Second and Tenth District Station Houses are in a very bad condition. The Eleventh District Station House is full of vermin. The Twelfth and Fourteenth Districts are overcrowded and entirely unsuited. The First and Ninth Districts each ten thousand dollars, for new additions and alterations, being overcrowded. Eighteenth District overcrowded and no accommodations for officers, filthy place. Seventeenth District in same condition, and too small for the purpose. Sub-station at Olney, the new location necessary on account of great extent of territory—eastern portion Twenty-second, western portion Twenty-third, and northern portion Twenty-fifth Wards.

JAS. R. GATES, *Ch'n*,
WM. DIVINE,

WILLIAM BALDWIN,
H. MARCUS.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize a loan for police purposes.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Mayor of Philadelphia be and he is hereby authorized to borrow at not less than par, on the credit of the City, from time to time, one hundred and sixty-five thousand dollars for the purchase of ground and the erection and extension of buildings for police station houses; said amount to be distributed and apportioned as follows, viz.:

Second District, thirty thousand dollars; Tenth District, twenty-eight thousand dollars; Eleventh District, twenty thousand dollars; Twelfth District, twenty-five thousand dollars; Fourteenth District, eighteen thousand dollars; First and Ninth Districts, twenty thousand dollars; Eighteenth District, nine thousand dollars; Seventeenth District,

ten thousand dollars; Sub-station at Olney five thousand dollars; for which interest not to exceed the rate of six per cent. per annum shall be paid half yearly, on the first days of January and July; at the office of the City Treasurer. The principal of said loan shall be payable and paid at the expiration of thirty years from the date of the same and not before, without the consent of the holders thereof; and the certificates therefor in the usual form of the certificates of City loan shall be issued in such amounts as the lenders may require, but not for less amounts than fifty dollars, and not for any other fractional part of one hundred dollars, or if required in amounts of five hundred or one thousand dollars; and it shall be expressed in said certificates that the loan therein mentioned and the interest thereof are payable free from all taxes.

SECT. 2. Whenever any loan shall be made by virtue thereof, there shall be by force of this Ordinance annually appropriated out of the income of the corporate estates, and from the sum raised by taxation, a sum sufficient to pay the interest on said certificates; and the further sum of three-tenths of one per centum on the par value of such certificates so issued, shall be appropriated quarterly out of said income and taxes to a sinking fund, which fund and its accumulations are hereby specially pledged for the redemption and payment of said certificates.

RESOLUTION

To publish a loan bill for police purposes.

Resolved, That the Clerk of Common Council be authorized to publish in two daily newspapers of this City, daily for four weeks, the Ordinance presented to Common Council on Thursday, April 15th, 1875, entitled "An Ordinance to authorize a loan for police purposes," and that the said Clerk at the stated meeting of Councils after the expiration of four weeks from the first day of said publication, shall present to this Council one of each of said newspapers for every day in which the same shall have been made.

APPENDIX No. 195.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance of request to his Honor the Mayor, to enter security for any damages arising from the opening and taking for public use Somerset street, from Garnet street to Frankford road, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,
WM. THORNTON,
JAS. W. ALLEN,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,
ROBT. B. SALTER,
W. BALDWIN,
WM. BRADLY,

O. HOWARD WILSON,
S. G. KING,
JAS. SUBERS,
WM. DIVINE,
GEO. A. SMITH,
H. MARCUS,
JOS. L. CAVEN,
A. L. HODGDON,

JNO. L. SHOEMAKER.

April 15, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

Of request to his Honor the Mayor, to enter security for any damages arising from the opening and taking for public use Somerset street, from Garnet street to Frankford road, in the Twenty-fifth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Mayor be requested and authorized to enter security in behalf of the City of Philadelphia, in such manner as shall be directed by the Court of Quarter Sessions, for the payment of the damages awarded, or which shall be awarded for the opening and taking for public use Somerset street, from Garnet street to Frankford road, in the Twenty-fifth Ward.

APPENDIX No. 196.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance to release the sureties of Isaac McBride, late Commissioner of Highways, and submit the annexed Ordinance to enter satisfaction on official bond of Isaac McBride, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. THORNTON,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,	O. HOWARD WILSON,
S. G. KING,	H. MARCUS,
WM. BALDWIN,	GEO. A. SMITH,
W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,	JOS. L. CAVEN,
JAS. W. ALLEN,	JAS. SUBERS,
WM. DIVINE,	ROBT. B. SALTER,
WM. BRADLY,	A. L. HODGDON,
JNO. L. SHOEMAKER.	

April 15, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To enter satisfaction on the official bond of Isaac McBride, late Commissioner of Highways.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Solicitor be and he is hereby directed to enter satisfaction on the official bond of Isaac McBride, late Commissioner of Highways: *Provided*, The City Controller shall certify that his accounts are settled and there is no default.

APPENDIX No. 197.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance authorizing

the release of property of Thomas Fair from the lien of a judgment, and to restrict the lien of said judgment, and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. THORNTON,
JAS. SUBERS,	H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
WM. DIVINE,	ROBERT B. SALTER,
W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,	JAS. W. ALLEN,
JOS. L. CAVEN,	WM. BALDWIN,
H. MARCUS,	S. G. KING,
GEO. A. SMITH,	WM. BRADLY,
JNO. L. SHOEMAKER,	A. L. HODGDON,
O. HOWARD WILSON.	

April 15, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing the release of property of Thomas Fair from the lien of a judgment, and to restrict the lien of said judgment.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the lien of the judgment entered by the City of Philadelphia, in the Court of Common Pleas, No. 3, against Thomas Fair et al., as of December Term, 1874, No. 412, for ten thousand dollars, be and the same is hereby restricted to premises situated at the southeast corner of Thirteenth and Fitzwater streets, also premises numbered 743 and 745 South Thirteenth street, in the Third Ward of the City of Philadelphia; and the City Solicitor is hereby authorize to release all the other real estate of the said Thomas Fair from the lien of said judgment: *Provided*, The co-defendant concur therein, and twenty-five dollars be paid into the City Treasury to pay for the publication of this Ordinance.

APPENDIX No. 198.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance to enter satisfaction on the official bond of Edward B. Cobb, late

Purveyor, First District, and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. THORNTON,
JAS. SUBERS,	H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
WM. DIVINE,	ROBERT B. SALTER,
W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,	JAS. W. ALLEN,
JOS. L. CAVEN,	WM. BALDWIN,
H. MARCUS,	S. G. KING,
GEO. A. SMITH,	WM. BRADLY,
JNO. L. SHOEMAKER,	A. L. HODGDON,
O. HOWARD WILSON.	

April 15, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To enter satisfaction on the official bond of Edward B. Cobb, late Purveyor, First District.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Solicitor be and he is hereby directed to enter satisfaction on the official bond of Edward B. Cobb, late Purveyor of First District : *Provided*, The City Controller shall first certify that there is no default in his accounts.

APPENDIX No. 199.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance authorizing the release of certain property of John Scott from the lien of certain judgments, and restricting the lien of the same, and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	JAS. SUBERS,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,	WM. DIVINE,
ROBT. B. SALTER,	W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,
JAMES W. ALLEN,	JOS. L. CAVEN,
WM. BALDWIN,	H. MARCUS,
S. G. KING,	GEO. A. SMITH,
WM. BRADLY,	O. HOWARD WILSON,
A. L. HODGDON,	JNO. L. SHOEMAKER.

April 15, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing the release of certain property of John Scott from the lien of certain judgments, and restricting the lien of the same.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the lien of the judgments entered by the City of Philadelphia against John Scott, in the Court of Common Pleas, No. 3, one as of December Term, 1874, No. 398, D. S. B., for the sum of one thousand four hundred dollars; and the other as of December Term, 1874, No. 411, D. S. B., for ten thousand five hundred dollars, be and the same are hereby restricted to premises No. 2314 South street, and premises situate at the south-east corner of Twenty-fourth and South streets, house and lot on Kimball street, 154 feet west of Twentieth street, premises numbered 2324 Gray's Ferry road, 2028 Bainbridge street, premises No. 625 South Twenty-fourth street, with 16 feet lot adjoining, in the said City. And the City Solicitor is hereby authorized and directed to release all the other real estate of the said John Scott from the lien of said judgments: *Provided*, The co-defendants concur therein, and the sum of twenty-five dollars be paid into the City Treasury, to pay for the publication of this Ordinance.

APPENDIX No. 200.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay for arranging and putting in order books and papers pertaining to the Court of Common

Pleas, and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	W. M. THORNTON,
JAS. SUBERS,	H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
WM. DIVINE,	ROBT. B. SALTER,
W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,	JAMES W. ALLEN,
JOS. L. CAVEN,	WM. BALDWIN,
H. MARCUS,	S. G. KING,
GEO. A. SMITH,	WM. BRADLY,
JOHN L. SHOEMAKER,	A. L. HODGDON,
O. HOWARD WILSON.	

April 15, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation to pay for arranging and putting in order books and papers pertaining to the Court of Common Pleas.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of thirteen hundred and eighty (1380) dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated to pay clerks for recording accounts and auditor's reports, arranging them into bundles, and backing them, removing, re-arranging and re-backing the papers and records of the Courts of Common Pleas, for the county of Philadelphia, pursuant to an order of said courts, made the seventh day of January, A. D. 1875. And warrants shall be drawn by the City Commissioners in conformity with existing Ordinances.

APPENDIX No. 201.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered a resolution of instruction to the Committee on Finance to report a bill to pay the Recorder for election expenses, and report the same

back with a negative recommendation, and request the passage of the annexed resolution.

JOHN BARDSLEY, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. THORNTON,
JAS. SUBERS,	H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
WM. DIVINE,	ROBT. B. SALTER,
W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,	JAS. W. ALLEN,
JOS. L. CAVEN,	W. BALDWIN,
H. MARCUS,	S. G. KING,
GEO. A. SMITH,	WM. BRADLY,
JNO. L. SHOEMAKER,	A. L. HODGDON,
O. HOWARD WILSON.	

April 15, 1875.

RESOLUTION

To discharge the Committee on Finance from the consideration of a resolution relative to the Recorder.

Resolved by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Committee on Finance be discharged from the further consideration of resolution to the Committee on Finance, to report a bill to pay the Recorder for election expenses.

APPENDIX No. 202.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—As a member of the Board of Managers of the House of Correction, I feel it incumbent upon me to make the following statement, have the same investigated, and the facts reported to your honorable bodies.

First. Since December, 1873, there has been expended by this Board, up to this time, for subsistence, furniture, clothing, medicines, salaries of officers, &c., an amount closely approximating to three hundred thousand (300,000) dollars.

Secondly. By Ordinance, Councils are required to audit all bills before the warrants therefor can be signed by the City Controller; also, to see that no one connected with the Board is directly or indirectly interested in the furnishing of supplies. The provisions of the Ordinance have not been complied with in either case.

Thirdly. The Committee on Supplies, which makes all purchases for the House is composed of the following gentlemen: Wm. A. Duff, Samuel Leonard, Samuel Kilpatrick, Wm. M. Wilson, Wm. H. Taylor and John Fry, Chairman. A. H. Franciscus is an ex-officio member of the Committee. Gentlemen, members of the Board, have been furnishing goods to the House, rendering bills under the names of their business partners.

Fourthly. The mode of presenting and passing these bills is as follow: The Chairman, John Fry, will present the bills, and ask to have them referred to the Committee on Accounts, composed mostly of the same gentlemen who serve as Committee on Supplies, and if *found correct*, Mr. Franciscus draws the warrants. This presents the interesting feature of members of the Board *auditing their own bills*. Now this is manifestly wrong, a positive violation of law, and one of those abuses in high places that should be stopped at once. The book and bills at the office of the institution, if not interfered with, will prove this statement to be correct. Trusting you will refer this to your appropriate Committee,

I remain very respectfully,
THOS. A. BARLOW,
1308 S. Fifth Street.

APPENDIX No. 203.

RESOLUTION

Of instruction to the Committee on House of Correction.

Resolved by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Committee on House of Correction be and they are hereby directed to investigate the alleged abuses and mismanagement on the part of the Managers of said institution, and report the result to Councils.

APPENDIX No. 204.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance to approve the sureties of William H. McFadden, Chief Engineer of the Water Department, and to restrict the lien of the judgment entered on his official bond, and report the same back and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,
W. BALDWIN,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
O. HOWARD WILSON,
S. G. KING,
JAS. R. GATES,
WM. DIVINE,
JOHN L. SHOEMAKER,

WM. THORNTON,
JAMES SUBERS,
GEO. A. SMITH,
WM. BRADLY,
H. MARCUS,
W. W. BURNELL,
A. L. HODGDON,
ROBT. B. SALTER.

April 22, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To approve the sureties of William H. McFadden, Chief Engineer of the Water Department, and to restrict the lien of the judgment entered on his official bond.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That Thomas Shaw and Charles A. Sparks be and they are hereby approved as sureties on the official bond of William H. McFadden, Chief Engineer of the Water Department, and the City Solicitor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and file of record an agreement restricting the lien of the judgment entered on said bond as against the said Thomas Shaw, to a certain tract of fifty-four acres of land, and the stone house, barn and frame house thereon erected, situate on the River road, in the Twenty-first Ward, and the premises situate and numbered 915 Ridge avenue, in the Thirteenth Ward, and as against the said Charles A. Sparks, to the premises situate and numbered 1409 Arch street.

APPENDIX No. 205.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay damages for the opening of Stiles street, from Thirteenth street to Broad street, and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. THORNTON,
JAS. SUBERS,	H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
WM. BRADLY,	A. L. HODGDON,
JOS. L. CAVEN,	H. MARCUS,
JAS. R. GATES,	S. G. KING,
O. HOWARD WILSON,	W. W. BURNELL,
WM. BALDWIN,	GEO. A. SMITH,
ROBT. B. SALTER,	WM. DIVINE,
JOHN L. SHOEMAKER.	

April 22, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation to pay damages for the opening of Stiles street,
from Thirteenth street to Broad street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of twenty-five thousand (25,000) dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated out of Item 19 in an Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Law Department for the year 1875, approved December 28th, 1874, to pay damages for the opening of Stiles street, from Thirteenth street to Broad street, as follows: To Richard J. Dobbins, the sum of nine thousand three hundred and eighty-three (9,383) dollars and thirty-three (33) cents; and to Richard Wistar and William Lewis Wistar, the sum of fifteen thousand six hundred and sixteen (15,616) dollars and sixty-seven (67) cents, according to the report of the jury, as confirmed by the Court of Quarter Sessions on the third day of April, 1875. And warrants shall be drawn by the City Solicitor in favor of the above parties, or their attorneys of record, in conformity with existing Ordinances.

APPENDIX No. 206.

To the President and Members of Common Council :

GENTLEMEN:—Your Committee on Conference of Common Council, to whom was referred the points of difference between the Chambers on bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay for copying records of Supreme Court, Inspectors of the Eastern Penitentiary, and for election purposes," respectfully report that they have agreed to recommend to Select Council to recede from their amendment.

WM. BALDWIN, SAML. A. MILLER,
GEO. E. HALL.

APPENDIX No. 207.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petitions and Ordinances authorizing the grading of Willow, Harrison and Mulberry streets, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
GEO. DORLAN,	H. MARCUS,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	JOHN BARDSLEY,
S. A. MILLER,	A. ALBRIGHT,
W. K. PARK,	JOHN A. MISKEY,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	HENRY GLASS,
JOHN FOX,	DANL. CURRIE,
HENRY McDOWELL,	DANL. W. GILBERT.
<i>April 15, 1875.</i>	

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Willow, Harrison and Mulberry streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City*

of Philadelphia do ordain, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade the following streets to the established grade of the City, viz. : Willow street, from Harrison street to a point two hundred feet north of Wakeling street, in the Twenty-third Ward, cost not to exceed five hundred and fifty-one dollars and seventy-five cents; Harrison street, from Frankford avenue to Leiper street, in the Twenty-third Ward, cost not to exceed three hundred and seventy-seven dollars and fifty cents; Mulberry street, from Harrison street to a point two hundred feet north from Wakeling street, in the Twenty-third Ward, cost not to exceed five hundred and fifty-four dollars and seventy-five cents.

APPENDIX No. 208.

To the Presidents and Members of Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance to authorize the grading of Sycamore street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WILLIAM McMULLIN,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	DANL. CURRIE,
S. A. MILLER,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,	GEO. DORLAN,
H. MARCUS,	DANL. W. GILBERT,
W. K. PARK,	A. ALBRIGHT,
HENRY GLASS,	JOHN FOX,

JOHN A. MISKEY.

April 15, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Sycamore street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to

grade Sycamore street, from Thirty-eighth street to Preston street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, to the established grade of the City ; cost not to exceed twenty-four hundred dollars.

APPENDIX No. 209.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance to authorize the grading of Elm avenue, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
GEORGE DORLAN,	H. MARCUS,
DANIEL CURRIE,	DANL. W. GILBERT,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	JOHN FOX,
A. ALBRIGHT,	S. A. MILLER,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	HENRY GLASS,
W. K. PARK.	

April 15, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Elm avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade Elm avenue, from Girard avenue to Fifty-second street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, to the established grade of the City ; cost not to exceed eleven thousand two hundred and twenty-six dollars and twenty-five cents.

APPENDIX No. 210.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance authorizing the paving of Elm avenue, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	CHAS. THOMSON JONES,
WM. McMULLIN,	W. K. PARK,
DANIEL CURRIE,	HENRY GLASS,
GEORGE DORLAN,	DANL. W. GILBERT,
H. MARCUS,	JOHN A. MISKEY,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	JOHN BARDSLEY,
A. ALBRIGHT.	

April 15, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Elm avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers for the paving of Elm avenue, from Girard avenue to Fifty-second street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, with Belgian pavement, at a price not to exceed three dollars per square yard, and the cost of intersections not to exceed ten thousand five hundred dollars. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said street, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said street in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 211.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance to authorize the paving of fifty-second street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	DANIEL CURRIE,
GEORGE DORLAN,	WILLIAM McMULLIN,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	HENRY GLASS,
SAML. A. MILLER,	A. ALBRIGHT,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,	JOHN A. MISKEY,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	H. MARCUS,
W. K. PARK.	

April 15, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Fifty-second street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.

SECTION 1 *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers for the paving of Fifty-second street, from Elm avenue to Lancaster avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, with Belgian pavement, at a price not to exceed three dollars per square yard, and the cost of intersections not to exceed nine thousand nine hundred dollars. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said street, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said street in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 212.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select
and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance to grade Fifty second street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
GEORGE DORLAN,	DANL. W. GILBERT,
DANIEL CURRIE,	S. A. MILLER,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	H. MARCUS,
W. K. PARK,	CHAS. THOMSON JONES,
A. ALBRIGHT,	JOHN FOX,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	HENRY GLASS.

April 15, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Fifty-second street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade Fifty-second street, from Elm avenue to Lancaster avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward; the cost not to exceed twenty five hundred dollars.

APPENDIX No. 213.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select
and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance to authorize the grading of Twenty-fifth street, respectfully report that we have ex-

amined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	GEORGE DORLAN,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	DANIEL CURRIE,
S. A. MILLER,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
H. MARCUS,	W. K. PARK,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	A. ALBRIGHT,
JOHN FOX,	JOHN A. MISKEY,
HENRY GLASS.	

April 15, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Twenty-fifth street, in the Fifteenth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade Twenty-fifth street, from Meredith street to Fairmount avenue, in the Fifteenth Ward, to the established grade of the City; the cost thereof not to exceed two thousand and thirty-three dollars and twenty-five cents.

APPENDIX No. 214.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition and Ordinance to authorize the paving of Margaret street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
GEORGE DORLAN,	DANL. W. GILBERT,
DANL. CURRIE,	S. A. MILLER,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	H. MARCUS,
W. K. PARK,	JOHN FOX,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	A. ALBRIGHT,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	HENRY GLASS.

April 15, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Margaret street, in the Twenty-third Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers for the paving of Margaret street, from Cherry street to Frankford creek, in the Twenty-third Ward, with rubble pavement; cost of intersections not to exceed three thousand eight hundred and ten dollars and twelve cents. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said street, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said street in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 215.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petitions and Ordinances to authorize the paving of Thompson, Harrison, Willow and Mulberry streets, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	GEO. DORLAN,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	DANL. CURRIE,
S. A. MILLER,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
H. MARCUS,	G. A. ENO,
H. McDOWELL,	W. K. PARK,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	A. ALBRIGHT,
JOHN FOX,	JOHN A. MISKEY,

HENRY GLASS.

April 15, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Thompson, Harrison, Willow and Mulberry streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers for the paving of the following streets, viz. : Thompson street, from York street to Adams street, in the Nineteenth Ward, with rubble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed three hundred and eighty-five dollars; Harrison street, from Frankford avenue to Leiper street, in the Twenty-third Ward, with rubble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed seven hundred and twenty-six dollars; Willow street, from Harrison street to a point two hundred feet north from Wakeling street, in the Twenty-third Ward, no cost for intersections; Mulberry street, from Harrison street to a point two hundred feet north from Wakeling street, in the Twenty-third Ward, no cost for intersections. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said streets, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said streets in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 216.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition and Ordinance to authorize the grading of Margaret street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for

your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	GEORGE DORLAN,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	DANL. CURRIE,
SAML. A. MILLER,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
HENRY MARCUS,	W. K. PARK,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,	A. ALBRIGHT,
JOHN FOX,	JOHN A. MISKEY,
HENRY GLASS.	

April 15, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Margaret street, in the Twenty-third Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade Margaret street, from Cherry street to Frankford creek, in the Twenty-third Ward, to the established grade of the City; cost not to exceed twenty-two hundred and fifty-one dollars and twenty-five cents.

APPENDIX No. 217.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition and Ordinance to authorize the grading of Thirtieth street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
GEORGE DORLAN,	AMOS M. SLACK,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	DANL. W. GILBERT,
DANIEL CURRIE,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
P. H. KLOHSE,	S. A. MILLER,
H. MARCUS,	W. K. PARK,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	JOHN MONROE,
JOHN FOX,	JOHN A. MISKEY.

April 22, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Thirtieth street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade Thirtieth street, from Gray's Ferry road to Passyunk avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, to the established grade of the City; cost not to exceed forty-nine hundred and thirty seven dollars and fifty cents.

APPENDIX No. 218.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition and Ordinance to authorize the paving of Twenty-seventh street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WILLIAM McMULLIN,
GEO. DORLAN,	AMOS M. SLACK,
D. W. GILBERT,	DANL. CURRIE,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	P. H. KLOHSE,
SAML. A. MILLER,	H. MARCUS,
W. K. PARK,	CHAS. THOMSON JONES,
JOHN MONROE,	A. ALBRIGHT,
JOHN FOX,	JOHN A. MISKEY.

April 22, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Twenty-seventh street, in the Twenty-eighth
Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to

enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers for the paving of Twenty-seventh street, from Park avenue to York street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, with rubble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed twenty-four hundred and sixty-one dollars and fifty cents. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said street, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said street in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 219.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition and Ordinance to authorize the opening of Riley street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, *Ch'n*,
GEO. DORLAN,
DANL. W. GILBERT,
FERD. DOEBLEY,
SAML. A. MILLER,
W. K. PARK,
JOHN MONROE,
JOHN FOX,

WILLIAM McMULLIN,
AMOS M. SLACK,
DANL. CURRIE,
P. H. KLOHSE,
H. MARCUS,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,
A. ALBRIGHT,
JOHN A. MISKEY.

April 22, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Riley street, in the Twenty-first Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Riley

street, from Pechin street to Manayunk avenue, in the Twenty-first Ward, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice, said street will be required for public use.

APPENDIX No. 220.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition and Ordinance authorizing the grading of Park avenue, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WILLIAM McMULLIN,
GEORGE DORLAN,	AMOS M. SLACK,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	DANL. CURRIE,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	P. H. KLOHSE,
SAML. A. MILLER,	H. MARCUS,
W. K. PARK,	JOHN MONROE,
A. ALBRIGHT,	JOHN A. MISKEY.

April 22, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Park avenue, in the Twenty-eighth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade Park avenue, from Susquehanna avenue to Cumberland street, in the Twenty eighth Ward, to the established grade of the City; the cost thereof not to exceed eighty-three hundred and forty-five dollars and twenty-five cents.

APPENDIX No. 221.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition and Ordinance to authorize the paving of Thirtieth street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	CHAS. THOMSON JONES,
WM. McMULLIN,	GEORGE DORLAN,
AMOS M. SLACK,	JOHN BARDSLEY,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	DANIEL CURRIE,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	P. H. KLOHSE,
SAML. A. MILLER,	H. MARCUS,
W. K. PARK,	JOHN MONROE,
JOHN FOX,	JOHN A. MISKEY.

April 22, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Thirtieth street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers for the paving of Thirtieth street, from Gray's Ferry road to Passyunk avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, with cobble pavement; cost of intersections not to exceed thirty-eight hundred and eight dollars and seventy-five cents. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said street, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said street in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 222.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petitions and Ordinances to authorize the grading of Twenty-eighth and Sepviva streets, and Snyder avenue, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
GEORGE DORLAN,	AMOS M. SLACK,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	DANL. W. GILBERT,
DANIEL CURRIE,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
P. H. KLOHSE,	S. A. MILLER,
H. MARCUS,	W. K. PARK,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,	JOHN MONROE,
A. ALBRIGHT,	JOHN FOX,
JOHN A. MISKEY.	

April 22, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Twenty-eighth and Sepviva streets, and Snyder avenue.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade the following streets to the established grade of the City, viz.: Twenty-eighth street, from Sedgley avenue to York street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, cost not to exceed five hundred and thirty-eight dollars and twenty-five cents; Sepviva street, from Erie avenue to Westmoreland street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, cost not to exceed fourteen hundred and ninety-six dollars and seventy-five cents; Snyder avenue, from Twelfth street to Broad street, in the First Ward, cost not to exceed five hundred and one dollars and sixty-six cents.

APPENDIX No. 223.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petitions and Ordinances to authorize the grading of Huhn, Jarden, Mifflin, Twenty-seventh, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
GEORGE DORLAN,	AMOS M. SLACK,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	DANL. W. GILBERT,
DANIEL CURRIE,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
P. H. KLOHSE,	S. A. MILLER,
H. MARCUS,	W. K. PARK,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	JOHN MONROE,
A. ALBRIGHT,	JOHN FOX,

JOHN A. MISKEY.

April 22, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Huhn, Jarden, Mifflin, Twenty-seventh.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade the following streets to the established grade of the City, viz.: Huhn street, from Wharton street to Reed street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, cost not to exceed seven hundred and twenty-four dollars; Jarden street, from Wharton street to Reed street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, cost not to exceed six hundred and ninety-four dollars and twenty-five cents; Mifflin street, from Broad street to Twenty-second street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, cost not to exceed fourteen hundred and fifty-five dollars; Twenty-seventh street, from Park avenue to York street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, cost not to exceed thirteen hundred and one dollars.

APPENDIX No. 224.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition to pave Westminster avenue, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, *Ch'n*,
GEORGE DORLAN,
JOHN BARDSLEY,
DANIEL CURRIE,
P. H. KLOHSE,
H. MARCUS,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,
JOHN FOX,

WM. McMULLIN,
AMOS M. SLACK,
DANL. W. GILBERT,
FERD. DOEBLEY,
S. A. MILLER,
W. K. PARK,
JOHN MONROE,
JOHN A. MISKEY.

April 22, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Westminster avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers for the paving of Westminster avenue, from Forty-eighth street to Haverford street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, with rubble pavement ; cost of intersections not to exceed six thousand and fifty-four dollars. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said street, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said street in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 225.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition and Ordinance to authorize the paving of Jackson, Jarden, Huhn and Sepviva streets, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, *Ch'n*,
GEORGE DORLAN,
JOHN BARDSLEY,
DANIEL W. GILBERT,
P. H. KLOHSE,
H. MARCUS,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,
A. ALBRIGHT,

WM. McMULLIN,
AMOS M. SLACK,
DANIEL CURRIE,
FERD. DOEBLEY,
SAML. A. MILLER,
W. K. PARK,
JOHN MONROE,
JOHN FOX,

JOHN A. MISKEY.

April 22, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Jackson, Jarden, Huhn and Sepviva streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers for the paving of the following streets, viz.: Jackson street, from Harrison street to Bridge street, in the Twenty-third Ward, with rubble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed four hundred and forty-one dollars; Jarden street, from Wharton street to Reed street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, with cobble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed forty-six dollars and sixty-six cents; Huhn street, from Wharton street to Reed street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, with cobble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed one hundred and fifty-five dollars; Sepviva street, from Erie avenue to Westmoreland avenue, in the Twenty-fifth Ward with rubble pavement, cost of intersections not

to exceed eleven hundred and eighty-eight dollars. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said street, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said streets in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 226.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition and Ordinance to authorize the paving of Twenty-eighth street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	S. A. MILLER,
GEORGE DORLAN,	AMOS M. SLACK,
WILLIAM McMULLIN,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
JOHN FOX,	CHAS. THOMSON JONES,
H. MARCUS,	W. K. PARK,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	DANL. CURRIE,
P. H. KLOHSE,	JOHN MONROE,
A. ALBRIGHT,	JOHN A. MISKEY.

April 22, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Twenty-eighth street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers for the paving of Twenty-eighth street, from Sedgley avenue to York street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, with rubble pavement; cost of intersections not to exceed twenty-four hundred and sixty-one dollars and fifty cents. The condi

tions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said street, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said paving in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 227.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition and Ordinance authorizing the paving of Twenty-eighth street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	JOHN A. MISKEY,
WILLIAM McMULLIN,	GEORGE DORLAN,
AMOS M. SLACK,	JOHN BARDSLEY,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	DANL. CURRIE,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	P. H. KLOHSE,
S. A. MILLER,	H. MARCUS,
W. K. PARK,	JOHN FOX,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	JOHN MONROE,
A. ALBRIGHT.	

April 22, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Twenty-eighth street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers for the paving of Twenty-eighth street, from Tasker street to Ritner street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, with cobble pavement; cost of intersections not to exceed three thousand and seven dollars and twenty-seven cents. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contrac-

tors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said street, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said street in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 228.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition and Ordinance to authorize the grading of Twenty-eighth street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WILLIAM McMULLIN,
GEORGE DORLAN,	AMOS M. SLACK,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	DANL. W. GILBERT,
DANL. CURRIE,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
P. H. KLOHSE,	SAML. A. MILLER,
H. MARCUS,	W. K. PARK,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	JOHN MONROE,
A. ALBRIGHT,	JOHN FOX,
JOHN A. MISKEY.	

April 22, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Twenty-eighth street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade Twenty-eighth street, from Tasker street to Ritner street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, to the established grade of the City ; cost not to exceed four thousand and ninety dollars and fifty cents.

APPENDIX No. 229.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—Your Committee on Surveys and Regulations, to whom was referred the applications for sewers, report, that for examination and detail they were referred to the Board of Surveyors, from whose reports we find them to be needful and necessary for the demands of improvements now being extended ; that the aggregate length will be five thousand nine hundred and forty-two feet, the cost to property owners upon the lines thereof \$12,054, and to the City about \$6,250. We herewith submit an Ordinance for their construction, and respectfully ask its adoption.

WM. THORNTON, *Ch'n*,
B. F. BONHAM,
GEORGE E. HALL,
H. N. UHLER, M. D.,
R. H. CLIFFORD,
A. H. McADAM,

WM. JAMES,
JOSEPH H. TATEM,
ROBT. H. COOPER,
JAS. R. GATES,
JOHN C. BICKEL,
JOHN FOX,

W. W. BURNELL.

April 21, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the construction of sewers on Harriet, Wylie, Hamilton, Twenty-second, Cherry, Chestnut and Market streets, and Germantown avenue.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Highways be and is hereby authorized to construct the following sewers, viz.: on Harriet street, from Ross street, one hundred and eighty feet southward ; on Wylie street, from Ridge avenue to Perkiomen street ; on Hamilton street, from Twenty-fourth to Twenty-fifth street ; on Twenty-second street, from North College avenue to north line of Stewart street ; on Cherry street, from Sixteenth to Seventeenth street ; on Chestnut street, from Fortieth street, three hundred feet westward ; on Market street, from Fortieth to Forty-second street ; on Germantown avenue, from Wash-

ington avenue to Cliveden avenue; and on Germantown avenue, from Queen to Coulter street, each with clear inside diameter of three feet. Said sewers to be built of brick, circular in shape, and in accordance with specifications prepared by the Chief Engineer and Surveyor.

SECT. 2. The Chief Commissioner of Highways shall advertise according to law, announcing that bids will be received for the sewers above designated, and he shall allot them to the lowest bidders, and it shall be a condition of said contract that the contractor shall accept the sums assessed upon and charged to the properties lying on the lines of said sewers in manner and form authorized by Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance regulating the assessment upon property for the construction of branch culverts or drains," approved May 12th, 1866, and supplement thereto, approved February 16th, 1869; any excess over and above said assessment, in addition to that provided for by Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Chief Commissioner of Highways to draw warrants for street intersections, manholes, and legal deductions in the construction of branch sewers," approved April 3d, 1868, to be charged to item (for branch sewers) of annual appropriation made to the Department of Highways for the year 1875: *Provided*, Said excess does not exceed the sum of six thousand two hundred and fifty (6,250) dollars.

APPENDIX No. 230.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—Your Committee on Surveys and Regulations beg leave to report that they have considered an Ordinance authorizing a revision of grades on Armat street, at the crossing of the Germantown Railroad, and re-

commend the passage of the same, as the change would be of benefit to public travel.

WM. THORNTON, *Ch'n*,
JOSEPH H. TATEW,
ROBT. H. COOPER,
JAS. R. GATES,
JOHN C. BICKEL,
JOHN FOX,
W. W. BURNELL,

WM. JAMES,
GEORGE E. HALL,
H. N. UHLER, M. D.,
R. H. CLIFFORD,
A. H. MCADAM,
HENRY GLASS,
B. F. BONHAM.

April 22, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing a revision of grade on Armat street, at the crossing of the Germantown Railroad.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Surveys be and is hereby authorized to revise the grade of Armat street, at the railroad crossing, Twenty-second Ward.

APPENDIX No. 231.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—Your Committee on Surveys and Regulations, to whom was referred the communication from Hon. John K. Findlay, President of the South Street Bridge Commission, beg leave to report, that they have examined into the necessity for filling the intersections of South street and Chippewa street, and repaving the same. The curb height at the east side of Chippewa street has been raised two and three-tenths feet, in order to ease the east approach to the bridge, the change commences sixty-five feet east thereof, and this length will have to be raised and repaved ; it will also require the raising of Chippewa street for the distance of one hundred and fifty-six feet north of South street ; as this is not part of the bridge contract, it will have to be done by the City to perfect the approach on the east side of the river. The estimated cost for filling,

resetting curb, street pavement and sidewalk is twenty-five hundred (2500) dollars, and we recommend that it should be done.

WM. THORNTON, *Ch'n*,

WM. JAMES,

B. F. BONHAM,

A. H. MCADAM,

JOHN FOX,

HENRY GLASS,

W. W. BURNELL,

R. H. CLIFFORD,

JOHN C. BICKEL,

JOSEPH H. TATEM,

GEORGE E. HALL,

ROBT. H. COOPER,

H. N. UHLER, M. D.,

JAS. R. GATES.

April 22, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the regrading of South street and Chippewa street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Highways be and is hereby authorized to regrade South street and Chippewa street according to the established grade, to reset the curb and sidewalks, and to repave the street: *Provided*, The cost thereof shall not exceed twenty-five hundred (2500) dollars, and shall be taken out of Items Nos. 3 and 6 of the annual appropriation to the Department of Highways for the year 1875.

APPENDIX No. 232.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—Your Committee on Surveys and regulations to whom was referred the petition and Ordinance to establish grades in that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward bounded by Sixty-fifth street, City avenue and Cobb's creek, respectfully report that this embraces what was formerly the village of Haddington, where a large number of houses are being built without established grades, greatly to the risk and disadvantage of the property owners. As the contiguous ground is quite hilly, a topographical survey will assist in making the most judicious arrangement of

street grades, which amply repay the outlay. We, therefore, recommend the passage of the following Ordinance.

WM. THORNTON, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. JAMES,
B. F. BONHAM,	JOS. H. TATEM,
GEO. E. HALL,	ROBT. H. COOPER,
H. N. UHLER, M. D.,	JAS. R. GATES,
R. H. CLIFFORD,	JOHN C. BICKEL,
A. H. McADAM,	JOHN FOX,
HENRY GLASS,	W. W. BURNELL.

April 21, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To make surveys and plan of curb regulations for a part of the Twenty-fourth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Surveys be and it is hereby authorized to prepare topographical surveys and plans in duplicate of that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward bounded by Sixty-fifth street, City avenue and Cobb's creek, the topographical survey to embrace Plan 161, contiguous thereto; the cost not to exceed one dollar and one-half per acre; work for 1875 to be paid for out of Items 19 and 21 of appropriation to the Department of Surveys for the year 1875.

APPENDIX No. 233.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—Your Committee on Surveys and Regulations beg leave to report that they have considered an Ordinance to reduce the width of Wyoming avenue, in the Twenty-second Ward, and return the same with the recommendation that it be passed as of public benefit.

WM. THORNTON, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. JAMES,
B. F. BONHAM,	JOS. H. TATEM,
GEO. E. HALL,	ROBT. H. COOPER,
H. N. UHLER, M. D.,	JAS. R. GATES,
R. H. CLIFFORD,	JOHN C. BICKEL,
A. H. McADAM,	JOHN FOX,
HENRY GLASS,	W. W. BURNELL.

April 22, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To reduce the width of Wyoming avenue, in the Twenty-second Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Surveys be and they are hereby authorized and directed to reduce the width of Wyoming avenue, between Second and Sixth streets, in the Twenty-second Ward, from one hundred and twenty feet to eighty feet, and the Survey Department is directed to place the same on the plan of the City as eighty feet in width.

APPENDIX No. 234.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—Your Committee on Surveys and Regulations beg leave to report that they have considered an Ordinance to regulate the charges of District Surveyors for certificates of grading, and return the same with a favorable recommendation.

WM. THORNTON, *Ch'n*,
B. F. BONHAM,
GEORGE E. HALL,
H. N. UHLER, M. D.,
R. H. CLIFFORD,
A. H. MCADAM,
HENRY GLASS,

WM. JAMES,
JOSEPH H. TATEM,
ROBT. H. COOPER,
JAS. R. GATES,
JOHN C. BICKEL,
JOHN FOX,
W. W. BURNELL.

April 22, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To regulate the charges of District Surveyors' certificates for grading.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That from and after the passage of this Ordinance all certificates given by District Surveyors for the grading of any street, shall specify thereon the following: "The above amount of grading is esti-

mated to a line fourteen inches below the top of the regulated curb height;" and that they shall not be allowed to charge more than *one cent* per cubic yard for said estimates, when the same exceed *one thousand* cubic yards. All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances inconsistent herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 235.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—Your Committee on Surveys and Regulations, to whom was referred the Ordinance to repeal part of Ordinance approved November 17th, 1874, entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers on Cuyler, Twenty sixth, Fortieth, Forty-first, Wright, Race, Filson, Foulkrod, Seventeenth and Wharton streets, and Elm and Girard avenues, and Master street," report that we find, after a minute and careful examination and hearing upon the part of the City by the City Solicitor, and others who are interested, strong ground for the repealing clause in the Ordinance above alluded to, which is herewith returned, and for which we respectfully ask your approval.

WM. THORNTON, *Ch'n*,

B. F. BONHAM,

ROBT. H. COOPER,

JAS. R. GATES,

JOHN C. BICKEL,

JOHN FOX,

WM. JAMES,

GEO. E. HALL,

H. N. UHLER, M. D.,

R. H. CLIFFORD,

A. H. MCADAM,

HENRY GLASS,

W. W. BURNELL.

April 21, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To repeal part of an Ordinance approved November 17th, 1874, entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers on Cuyler, Twenty-sixth, Fortieth, Forty-first, Wright, Race, Filson, Foulkrod, Seventeenth and Wharton streets, and Elm and Girard avenues, and Master street."

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That so much of the Ordinance

approved November 17th, 1874, entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers on Cuyler, Twenty-sixth, Fortieth, Forty-first, Wright, Race, Filson, Foulkrod, Seventeenth and Wharton streets, and Elm and Girard avenues, and Master street, as relates to authorizing the construction of a sewer on Foulkrod street, across Frankford street, be and the same is hereby repealed.

APPENDIX N^o. 236.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Police, to whom was referred the bill providing for the reorganization of the Department of Building Inspectors in the City of Philadelphia, respectfully report that we have examined the same, and report it back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN F. GLENN, *Ch'n*,

SAMUEL R. JAMISON,

ALEX. RUSSELL,

GILBERT WEIR,

NICHOLAS A. SUTTON,

JOHN McCULLOUGH,

A. ALBRIGHT,

April 15, 1875.

JOHN J. GEGAN,

SAML. WILLIAMSON,

DAVID MOUAT,

E. H. HAYHURST,

HENRY GLASS,

N. SPERING,

JOHN MONROE.

AN ORDINANCE

To reorganize the Department of Building Inspectors in the City of Philadelphia.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That for the greater security from fire, for more safety in the construction of buildings, and for a thorough systematization and faithful inspection of the same in the City of Philadelphia, it is hereby enacted that for the purposes of this Ordinance, the said City shall be divided into such districts as the Inspectors hereinafter provided for may determine.

SECT. 2. That six citizens of Philadelphia, who shall be

practical mechanics, and who shall each have served an apprenticeship as a carpenter, mason, or bricklayer, and who shall have worked at least five years thereafter at such trade shall be chosen Building Inspectors, two by the Mayor of the City, two by Select Council, and two by Common Council, and they shall each be chosen for a term of five years: *Provided*, That no commissions shall issue in place of the Inspectors now in office, until the expiration of their present term of office.

SECT. 3. The said Board shall organize annually on the first Monday in January, by the election of a President and Secretary. The general management of the department shall be vested in a majority of said Board of Inspectors; they shall keep regular minutes of their proceedings, and shall enforce all acts of Assembly and City Ordinances relative to the construction of buildings, &c., in said City; they shall hear and determine all appeals taken by builders or owners, or agents, from the action of district inspectors, and a decision of a majority of the said Board shall be final; and it shall be the duty of each Inspector to inspect and supervise the erection of all buildings within his district, until the same are entirely finished, and he shall give security in the sum of five thousand dollars, to be approved by the City Solicitor, for the faithful performance of his duties as a Building Inspector.

SECT. 4. That all moneys paid into the Department of Building Inspectors for permits, fines, penalties, inspections, &c., shall be received by the Secretary of the Board, who shall keep such books as the Board of Inspectors may require; and the said Secretary shall make a monthly statement under oath or affirmation to the City Treasurer, showing the total amount of money received during the month, and shall pay into the treasury of the City the amount as shown by the said monthly statement; and the said Secretary shall receive an annual salary of one thousand dollars per annum, and shall give a bond in the sum of five thousand dollars, conditioned for the faithful discharge of his duty.

SECT. 5. That the said Board of Building Inspectors, after having given due notice to any builder, owner, or agent, relative to any dangerous building, wall, chimney flue, or other illegal or dangerous structure, and the same

shall not have been complied with, the said Board shall arrest the further progress of the work, and any interference with the said Board or its agents, shall be punishable by law as in case of trespass; and the said Board may stop the erection of any building deemed by them unsafe; and after due notice to the owner or contractor, the said Board shall proceed to make the same safe; and all costs for work done, fines or penalties, and all other charges against any building for violation of law or Ordinance, shall be a lien against the property, and shall be filed by the said Board, and collected as now provided by law, and paid into the Department of Building Inspectors: *Provided*, That no work shall be done on any building beyond the removal of actually dangerous walls, &c., unless by direction of the Board of Inspectors: *And provided further*, That the provisions of this section shall not apply to the rural districts.

SECT. 6. That for constructing any building, or part of a building, contrary to the acts of Assembly, or Ordinances of the Councils of the City of Philadelphia, a penalty of twenty-five dollars shall be imposed and collected by the said Board of Building Inspectors. For proceeding to build any structure without a permit, the penalty shall be twenty dollars; for neglecting or refusing to comply with the provisions of section 6 of the act of May 7th, 1855, relative to plans and materials used in buildings, the penalty shall be twenty dollars for each offence.

SECT. 7. That the revenue of the Department of Building Inspectors, for permits, inspections, &c., shall hereafter be as follows:

For every dwelling under eighteen feet of street frontage, the permit shall be three dollars.

For every dwelling, stable or coach house over eighteen feet front, five dollars.

For alterations and improvements, two dollars and fifty cents.

For stores, two dollars for each story in height.

For store and dwelling combined, five dollars.

For vaults under pavements, and for vaults for breweries, or wine or liquor houses, five dollars.

For factories, workshops, churches, and all large build-

ings, public or private, twenty-five cents per lineal foot of street frontage.

For quarterly inspection of places of amusement and public halls, five dollars.

For inspection of dangerous wall, well or other unsafe structure, five dollars.

For inspection of wharves, and repairs thereto, five dollars.

For certified copy of record, two dollars.

SECT. 8. The Inspectors appointed under this Ordinance shall meet within five days of their appointment, and shall organize as herein provided; they shall receive for their services the same compensation now paid to the Building Inspectors: *Provided*, That in no case shall the sum of expenses of the Board exceed the receipts thereof; and before the books of the present department are turned over to the Board, as organized under this Ordinance, they shall be carefully audited, and a statement made to the Treasurer of the City, and the balance found to be due paid over to him.

SECT. 9. It shall be the duty of the said Board of Inspectors to hold a stated meeting once in each week for the purpose of determining all disputed questions arising between builders, owners, or agents and inspectors, and to transact all other business that may come before the Board; and all such meetings shall be open to the public; the Board shall make an annual statement to the Mayor of the City, showing in detail the operations of the department; and it shall be the duty of the said Inspectors to make an inspection of each proposed building of whatever character, immediately after the foundation is dug, and before any foundation stone or brick are laid, for the purpose of determining whether the substratum of the foundation trenches is sufficiently solid to admit of the erection of a building without piling or planking; and the said Inspectors shall visit each building in their respective districts whenever a flooring of joists are put on, and also when the roof timbers are adjusted; and if any Inspector shall knowingly or wilfully permit any joists or timbers to be laid in any chimney flue, or extended through into any adjoining building, or permit the erection of any insecure walls or buildings, he shall be liable to a fine of fifty dollars for

each offence ; and for such offence knowingly or wilfully permitted, the Inspector may be removed from office by the Mayor of the City, after carefully hearing and determining the facts in the case, but no Inspector, after having been once appointed, shall be removed, except for cause.

SECT. 10. The said Board of Inspectors shall be required to keep a record book, in which shall be duly recorded for the benefit of the public, the depth from the street level of the foundation trenches of all buildings inspected under this Ordinance ; the thickness of party-walls and partitions, and of what material constructed ; the thickness, width and kind of wood of all flooring joists, and how the same are bridged or stayed, and the distance the same are apart ; a description of all chimney flues, of what material and how constructed, and the thickness of the walls enclosing all flues either for smoke or heat.

SECT. 11. All violations of law on the part of builders or owners shall be made in writing by the said Inspectors, and shall be entered upon a book kept for that purpose, which book shall be open to public inspection, and a monthly visiting committee of three Inspectors shall be appointed to visit once in each week the station houses, school buildings, and other public buildings in course of erection belonging to the City of Philadelphia ; and all places of public amusement shall be visited as often as the public interests require, or the Board of Inspectors may determine.

SECT. 12. Warrants for payment of the services of the Inspectors, and the expenses incurred under this Ordinance for office rent, clerk hire, office expenses, stationery, fuel, &c., shall be paid by the Treasurer of the City of Philadelphia upon monthly warrants signed by the President, and countersigned by the Secretary of said Board of Building Inspectors.

APPENDIX No. 237.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Police, to whom was referred the Ordinance establishing a public bath at

Callowhill Street Bridge, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and ask its passage.

JOHN F. GLENN, *Ch'n*,
SAMUEL WILLIAMSON,
DAVID MOUAT,
E. H. HAYHURST,
HENRY GLASS,
N. SPERING,
GILBERT WEIR,

JOHN J. GEGAN,
SAMUEL R. JAMISON,
ALEXANDER RUSSELL,
NICHOLAS A. SUTTON,
JOHN McCULLOUGH,
A. ALBRIGHT,
JOHN MONROE.

April 15, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

Establishing a public bath at Callowhill Street Bridge.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That David Steward be and is hereby permitted to establish at Callowhill Street Bridge, Schuylkill river, a public bath: *Provided*, That he first shall pay into the City Treasury the sum of twenty-five dollars, for the publication of this Ordinance.

· APPENDIX No. 238.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Police, to whom was referred the petition of Isaac Spiegel, asking permission to remove a frame building from the southeast corner of Moyer and Vienna streets, respectfully report that we have examined the same, and present the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

JOHN F. GLENN, *Ch'n*,
SAMUEL WILLIAMSON,
GILBERT WEIR,
ALEXANDER RUSSELL,
NICHOLAS A. SUTTON,
JOHN McCULLOUGH,
A. ALBRIGHT,

JOHN J. GEGAN,
SAMUEL R. JAMISON,
DAVID MOUAT,
E. H. HAYHURST,
HENRY GLASS,
N. SPERING,
JOHN MONROE.

April 15, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE.

Granting permission to Isaac Spiegel to remove a frame dwelling house.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Isaac Spiegel to remove a certain frame dwelling house, now located at the southeast corner of Moyer and Vienna streets, to the rear of a certain lot of ground situate on said Moyer street, and at a point about sixty feet southward of its present location.

APPENDIX No. 239.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Police, to whom was referred the bill relative to establishing a stand for hackmen in the vicinity of the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore Railroad Depot, respectfully report that we have examined the same, and report back the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

JOHN F. GLENN, *Ch'n*,
SAMUEL WILLIAMSON,
GILBERT WEIR,
ALEXANDER RUSSELL,
NICHOLAS A. SUTTON,
N. SPERING,
JOHN MONROE,

JOHN J. GEGAN,
SAMUEL R. JAMISON,
DAVID MOUAT,
E. H. HAYHURST,
JOHN McCULLOUGH,
A. ALBRIGHT,
GEO. A. ENO.

April 15, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing the locating of a stand for hackmen on the west side of Broad street, between Carpenter and Christian streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That from and after the passage of this Ordinance, it shall be unlawful to use any portion of South Broad street as a stand for hacks, except so much

of the west side thereof as is bounded by Christian and Carpenter streets. All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances to the contrary hereof notwithstanding.

APPENDIX No. 240.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Police, to whom was referred the petition of John Maxwell for permission to erect a frame storehouse on the river Schuylkill, below Chestnut street, respectfully report that we have examined the same, and present the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

JOHN F. GLENN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	JOHN J. GEGAN,
SAML. WILLIAMSON,	SAML. R. JAMISON,
GILBERT WEIR,	DAVID MOUAT,
ALEX. RUSSELL,	E. H. HAYHURST,
NICHOLAS A. SUTTON,	JOHN McCULLOUGH,
N. SPERING,	JOHN MONROE,
	GEO. A. ENO.

April 15, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the erection of a frame storehouse on the river Schuylkill, below Chestnut street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Maxwell to erect a temporary frame building on the first wharf on the river Schuylkill, below Chestnut street, for storage purposes: *Provided*, The said building shall be removed on thirty days' notice from the Mayor of the City, or the passage of an Ordinance to that effect: *And provided further*, That the said John Maxwell shall first pay into the City Treasury the sum of twenty-five dollars, to pay for the publication of this Ordinance.

APPENDIX No. 241.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Police, to whom was referred the petition of the Consumers' Ice Company for permission to erect a temporary frame building for the storage of ice, on the premises of the West Chester Railroad Company, situate south of Chestnut street, and west of Thirty-first street, respectfully report that we have examined the same, and present the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

JOHN F. GLENN, *Ch'n*,
SAML. WILLIAMSON,
GILBERT WEIR,
ALEX. RUSSELL,
NICHOLAS A. SUTTON,
JOHN McCULLOUGH,
A. ALBRIGHT,

JOHN J. GEGAN,
SAML. R. JAMISON,
DAVID MOUAT,
E. H. HAYHURST,
HENRY GLASS,
N. SPERING,
JOHN MONROE.

April 15, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

Granting permission to the Consumers' Ice Company to erect a frame building.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That permission be and is hereby granted to the Consumers' Ice Company to erect a frame building for the storage of ice on the premises of the West Chester Railroad Company, situate eighty-five feet southward of the south curb line of the said Chestnut street, and west of Thirty-first street: *Provided*, The permission hereby granted shall be revocable by the City of Philadelphia at its option, by the passage of an Ordinance or resolution of Councils to that effect, without notice: *And provided*, The said Consumers' Ice Company shall first pay into the City Treasury the sum of twenty-five dollars, to pay for the publication of this Ordinance. All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances to the contrary hereof notwithstanding.

APPENDIX No. 242.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Police, to whom was referred the petition of Joseph Nixon for permission to erect a temporary frame building on Hanover street wharf, Eighteenth Ward, for storage purposes, respectfully report that we have examined the same, and report the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

JOHN F. GLENN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	JOHN J. GEGAN,
SAML. WILLIAMSON,	SAML. R. JAMISON,
GILBERT WEIR,	DAVID MOUAT,
ALEX. RUSSELL,	E. H. HAYHURST,
NICHOLAS A. SUTTON,	HENRY GLASS,
JOHN McCULLOUGH,	N. SPERING,
A. ALBRIGHT,	JOHN MONROE.

AN ORDINANCE

Granting permission to Joseph Nixon to erect a temporary frame building.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Joseph Nixon to erect a temporary frame building on Hanover street wharf, in the Eighteenth Ward: *Provided*, The permission hereby granted shall be revocable by the City of Philadelphia at its option, by the passage of an Ordinance or resolution to that effect: *And provided*, That the said Joseph Nixon first pay into the City Treasury the sum of twenty-five dollars, to pay for the publication of this Ordinance. All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances to the contrary hereof notwithstanding.

APPENDIX No. 243.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Fire Department, to whom was referred the Ordinance to authorize

the purchase of a lot of ground at Germantown road and Huntingdon street, for fire purposes, respectfully report that they have examined the same, and report it back with a negative recommendation, and request the passage of the annexed resolution.

GEORGE DORLAN, *Ch'n*,
JOHN F. GLENN,
E. H. HAYHURST,
ALBERT H. LADNER,
JOHN SENER,
G. W. BUMM,
JOHN C. BICKEL,

WM. WRIGHT,
DAVID MOUAT,
FERD. DOEBLEY,
JOS. MARTIN,
WM. M. GARWOOD,
JOHN McCULLOUGH,
JOHN MONROE.

April 22, 1875.

RESOLUTION

To discharge the Committee on Fire Department from the consideration of an Ordinance to purchase a lot of ground at Germantown road and Huntingdon street.

Resolved by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Committee on Fire Department be discharged from the further consideration of an Ordinance to authorize the purchase of a lot of ground at Germantown road and Huntingdon street, for fire purposes, and to make an appropriation therefor.

APPENDIX No. 244.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Fire Department, to whom was referred the Ordinance to authorize the purchase of a lot of ground on the east side of Tenth street, south of Columbia avenue, for a fire station, and to

make an appropriation therefor, respectfully report that we have examined the same, and recommend its passage.

GEORGE DORLAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. WRIGHT,
JOHN F. GLENN,	DAVID MOUAT,
E. H. HAYHURST,	WM. M. GARWOOD,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	ALBERT H. LADNER,
JOHN Siner,	G. W. BUMM,
JOHN McCULLOUGH,	JOHN C. BICKEL,
JOHN MONROE.	

April 15, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the purchase of a lot of ground on the east side of Tenth street, south of Columbia avenue, for a fire station, and to make an appropriation therefor.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Solicitor be authorized and directed to examine the title to all that lot of ground situated on the east side of Tenth street, one hundred and forty-four feet south of Columbia avenue; containing in front on said Columbia avenue twenty feet, and extending in depth to Hutchinson street one hundred and forty-eight feet; and if he approve of the same, that he cause a conveyance of said lot of ground to be made to the City of Philadelphia, in fee, for the consideration or sum of four thousand dollars, clear of all encumbrance.

SECT. 2. The sum of four thousand dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated to the Commissioners of the Fire Department, to be taken from loan approved October 26th, 1872, to pay for said lot of ground. Warrants to be drawn by the Board of Commissioners of the Fire Department in conformity with existing Ordinances.

APPENDIX No. 245.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Fire Department respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance to approve the award of the contract for the erection of a fire station house on the south side of Montgomery avenue, southeast of Girard avenue, and the approval of the contract and sureties, and to repeal a certain Ordinance, and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

GEORGE DORLAN, *Ch'n*,
JOHN F. GLENN,
E. H. HAYHURST,
FERD. DOEBLEY,
JOS. MARTIN,
G. W. BUMM,
JOHN C. BICKEL,

WM. WRIGHT,
DAVID MOUAT,
WM. M. GARWOOD,
ALBERT H. LADNER,
JOHN SINER,
JOHN McCULLOUGH,
JOHN MONROE.

April 15, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To approve the award of the contract for the erection of a fire station house on the southwest side of Montgomery avenue, southeast of Girard avenue, and the approval of the contract and sureties, and to repeal a certain Ordinance.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of eight thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (8,925) dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the loan for fire purposes, approved October 26th, 1872. Two hundred and fifty (250) dollars to be paid to John K. Yarnall for plans, specifications and superintending the erection of a fire station house on the southwest side of Montgomery avenue, southeast of Girard avenue, said plans and specifications to be the property of the City; and eight thousand six hundred and seventy-five (8,675) dollars to be paid Henry B. Leskie for doing the work, to be paid at such time or times as the Board of Fire Commissioners may direct: *Provided*, That said sums shall fully erect and complete said station house, and the contract between the City of Philadelphia

and the said Henry B. Leskie for the erection of said station house in accordance with his proposal, and said plans and specifications are hereby approved, and Charles Benton and Frank Burns are also hereby approved as sureties in the sum of _____ thousand

dollars for the faithful performance of the contract by the said Henry B. Leskie: *Provided*, Said sureties furnish to the City Solicitor the evidence of their ability to go security in said amount, and the City Solicitor is directed to prepare the bond and warrant of attorney, and cause judgment to be entered thereon. And warrants shall be drawn by the Board of Commissioners of the Fire Department in conformity with existing Ordinances.

SECT. 2. That the Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to approve the award of the contract for the erection of a fire station house on the southwest side of Montgomery avenue, southeast of Girard avenue, and the approval of the contract and sureties," approved December 15th, 1874, be and the same is hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 246.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park.

Resolved by the Select and Common Council of the City of Philadelphia, That the Commissioners of Fairmount Park be requested to permit the Trustees of the Philadelphia Gas Works to erect a gas holder on the west side of the river Schuylkill, between the bridge and Fairmount dam, so as to enable them to furnish a better supply of gas to their consumers on the west side of the Schuylkill river, and also to enable them to supply the grounds and buildings of the Centennial Commission.

APPENDIX No. 247.

RESOLUTION

Of direction to the City Solicitor.

Resolved by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the City Solicitor be hereby directed to resist and defend the suit brought against the City by Edward S. McGlue, to recover for alleged work done to the East Park reservoir beyond the amount appropriated for the purpose.

APPENDIX No. 248.

RESOLUTION

Of instruction to the District Surveyors.

Resolved by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the District Surveyors be instructed, in addition to the present requirements, to certify that the street asked to be graded and paved, has been dedicated to public use, or otherwise legally opened.

APPENDIX No. 249.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered a communication from Edwin T. Chase, Solicitor for the Superintendents of Highways, Twenty-second Ward, communicating a detailed statement of the indebtedness of the Superintendents of Highways, Twenty-second Ward, amounting to \$3,340.92, qualified to by Joseph T. Mars, Supervisor, and having the opinion of the City Solicitor that it is proper for the City of Philadelphia to pay the same, submit the annexed

Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay the bills, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. THORNTON,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,	HENRY BUDD,
S. G. KING,	H. MARCUS,
WM. BALDWIN,	R. W. LAUGHLIN,
W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,	JOS. L. CAVEN,
JAS. W. ALLEN,	JAS. R. GATES,
WM. DIVINE,	ROBT. B. SALTER,
	WM. BRADLY.

May 6, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation to pay the debts due by the late Superintendents of Highways, Twenty-second Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of three thousand three hundred and forty (3,340) dollars and ninety-two (92) cents be and the same is hereby appropriated for the following purposes, viz.:

Item 1. For George W. Hamersley, rent, fifty (50) dollars.

Item 2. For George W. Hamersley, et al., superintendents, expense to conference at county bridge, twenty-seven (27) dollars and sixty (60) cents.

Item 3. For lumber, T. Howard Hallowell, two hundred and forty (240) dollars and sixteen (16) cents.

Item 4. For lumber, Ashmead and Longstreth, one hundred and eighty-six (186) dollars and twenty-four (24) cents.

Item 5. For lumber, Jesse Roberts, one hundred and five (105) dollars and fifty-five (55) cents.

Item 6. For William Nester, paving intersections, fifty-seven (57) dollars and seventy-seven (77) cents.

Item 7. For John Nolen, macadamizing intersections, sixty-seven (67) dollars and eleven (11) cents.

Item 8. For John Nolen, stone, sixty-six (66) dollars and forty-two (42) cents.

Item 9. For Frank Toner, stone, ninety-two (92) dollars.

Item 10. For William Barnes, masonry, four hundred and forty-two (442) dollars and seventy-two (72) cents.

Item 11. For Jones and May, masonry, two hundred and seventy eight (278) dollars and twenty-eight (28) cents.

Item 12. For Jesse Lightfoot, surveying, sixty-nine (69) dollars and (70) cents.

Item 13. For James F. McKinney, culvert, &c., stone, three hundred and sixty-four (364) dollars and fifty-one (51) cents.

Item 14. For Charles Dixey, for county bridge over Wissahickon, six hundred and seventy-five (675) dollars.

Item 15. For Charles McGucken, grading Wilson street, two hundred and fifty-three (253) dollars.

Item 16. For Frank Toner, grading Chew street, one hundred and eighty-six (186) dollars and five (5) cents.

Item 17. For P. R. Freas, advertising, four (4) dollars.

Item 18. For G. W. Graeff, advertising, one (1) dollar and twenty (20) cents.

Item 19. For Joseph Parker, stationery and hardware, four (4) dollars and sixty-eight (68) cents.

Item 20. For E. T. Chase, solicitor's salary, at the rate of two hundred and fifty dollars per annum, sixty-two (62) dollars and fifty (50) cents.

Item 21. For F. V. Hoyt, treasurer's salary, thirty-three (33) dollars and thirty-three (33) cents.

Item 22. For William Nonemaker, supervisor's salary, seventeen days, thirty six (36) dollars and fifty-five (55) cents.

Item 23. For Joseph T. Mears, supervisor's salary, seventeen days, thirty-six (36) dollars and fifty-five (55) cents: *Provided*, That the City Controller shall not countersign any warrant, unless the bill is first approved by the late Superintendents of Highways and supervisors. And warrants shall be drawn by the Chief Commissioner of Highways in conformity with existing Ordinances.

APPENDIX No. 250.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Finance, respectfully report, that they have considered “ An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay damages caused by the opening and widening of Sycamore street, from Fortieth street to Centre street; ” also “ An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay the damages awarded to The Delaware County Turnpike Road Company, for that portion of said company’s road between Forty fifth street and Fifty-second street, ’ and submit the annexed Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay said damages, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, <i>Ch’n</i> ,	WM. THORNTON,
JAS. SUBERS,	H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,	JAS. W. ALLEN,
H. MARCUS,	S. G. KING,
GEO. A. SMITH,	HENRY BUDD,
WM. BALDWIN,	O. HOWARD WILSON,
W. W. BURNELL.	

April 29, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation to pay damages caused by the opening and widening of Sycamore street, and the taking of a portion of the road of the Delaware County Turnpike Company.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of three thousand seven hundred and four dollars and sixteen cents be and the same is hereby appropriated out of Item 19, in “ An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Law Department for the year 1875,” approved December 28th, 1874, to pay the following awards of damages, viz.: To Hannah E. Vogdes, executrix of the will of John R. Vogdes, deceased, six hundred and fifty dollars; to Emma and Loraine Benner, five hundred dollars for the opening and widening of Sycamore street, from Fortieth street to

Centre street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, as confirmed by the Court of Quarter Sessions, April 3d, 1875; to the Delaware County Turnpike Road Company, two thousand five hundred and fifty-four dollars and sixteen cents, for the taking of that portion of the road of the Delaware County Turnpike Road Company between Forty-fifth and Fifty-second streets, as confirmed by the said Court, March 13th, 1875. And warrants shall be drawn by the City Solicitor, in favor of the above parties or their attorneys of record, in conformity with existing Ordinances.

APPENDIX No. 251.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance to make an appropriation for display of fireworks for Fourth of July, 1875, and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,
H. MARCUS,
W. W. BURNELL,
O. HOWARD WILSON,
HENRY BUDD,
WM. THORNTON,

JAMES W. ALLEN,
S. G. KING,
GEO. A. SMITH,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
WM. BALDWIN,
JAS. SUBERS,

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN.

April 29, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation for display of fireworks for Fourth of July, 1875.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of three thousand dollars be and is hereby appropriated to defray the expense of a display of fireworks on the Fourth of July celebration, 1875, the same to be prepared and furnished by Pro-

fessor Samuel Jackson, and to be under the direction and control of the Mayor. A warrant or warrants to be drawn by the Mayor on bills approved by the Committee on Centennial Celebration.

APPENDIX No. 252.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance to authorize a temporary loan of nine hundred thousand dollars for the further extension of the Water Works, and report the same back with a negative recommendation, and request the passage of the annexed resolution.

JOHN BARDSLEY, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	JAMES W. ALLEN,
H. MARCUS,	JOHN A. MISKEY,
S. G. KING,	W. W. BURNELL,
JAS. R. GATES,	GEO. A. SMITH,
O. HOWARD WILSON,	H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
HENRY BUDD,	WM. BALDWIN,
WM. THORNTON,	JAS. SUBERS,
W. ELLWOOD ROWAN.	

April 29, 1875.

RESOLUTION

To discharge the Committee on Finance from the consideration of an Ordinance to authorize a temporary loan for the Water Works.

Resolved by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Committee on Finance be discharged from the further consideration of an Ordinance to authorize a temporary loan of nine hundred thousand dollars for the further extension of the Water Works.

APPENDIX No. 253.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance making an appropriation to the Water Department, for the purpose of completing the earthwork on the East Park reservoir, and report the same back with a negative recommendation, and request the passage of the annexed resolution.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,
H. MARCUS,
S. G. KING,
JAS. R. GATES,
O. HOWARD WILSON,
HENRY BUDD,

JAS. W. ALLEN,
JOHN A. MISKEY,
W. W. BURNELL,
GEO. A. SMITH,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
WM. BALDWIN.

April 29, 1875.

RESOLUTION

To discharge the Committee on Finance from the consideration of an Ordinance relative to the East Park reservoir.

Resolved by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Committee on Finance be discharged from the further consideration of an Ordinance making an appropriation of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars to the Water Department, for the purpose of completing the earthwork on the East Park reservoir.

APPENDIX No. 254.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay damages caused by the opening of Sedgely avenue, from Montgomery avenue to Lamb Tavern road, in the Twenty-eighth Ward of the City of Philadel-

phia," and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,
S. G. KING,
W. W. BURNELL,
O. HOWARD WILSON,
WM. BALDWIN,
WM. THORNTON,
H. MARCUS,

JAS. SUBERS,
GEO. A. SMITH,
JAS. R. GATES,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
HENRY BUDD,
W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,
JAMES W. ALLEN.

April 29, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation to pay damages caused by the opening of Sedgely avenue, from Montgomery avenue to Lamb Tavern road, in the Twenty-eighth Ward of the City of Philadelphia.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of one hundred and seven thousand four hundred and fifty (107,450) dollars and ninety-five (95) cents, be and the same is hereby appropriated to pay the award of the jury to assess damages for the opening of Sedgely avenue from Montgomery avenue to Lamb Tavern road, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, of the City of Philadelphia, as confirmed by the Court of Quarter Sessions on the thirteenth day of March, 1875, as follows, to wit: To William Walter, three thousand (3,000) dollars; to Lewis Rementer, thirty thousand (30,000) dollars; to Stephen G. Smith, five thousand (5,000) dollars; to W. J. Aikens, one thousand (1,000) dollars; to Mary Myers, one thousand (1,000) dollars; to Deborah Kressler, twelve hundred (1200) dollars; to Howell Atwater, two thousand (2,000) dollars; to John Taylor, eight hundred (800) dollars; to Elias S. Brooks, six hundred (600) dollars; to J. W. Kemble, three hundred (300) dollars; to William M. Seyfert, three hundred (300) dollars; to Francis X. Kelly, nine hundred (900) dollars; to William M. Seyfert, three hundred (300) dollars; to Michael McGrath, three hundred (300) dollars; to William M. Seyfert, three hundred (300) dollars; to John McDevitt, six hundred (600) dollars; to George N. Birch, six hundred (600) dollars; to Edward Cotton, fifteen hundred (1500) dollars; to Moses E. Coolburigh, three hundred and fifty (350) dollars; to

John Gerhart, twelve hundred (1200) dollars; to Lewis R. Seymour, five hundred (500) dollars; to Elias Brooks, nine hundred (900) dollars; to Elwood N. Kressler, two hundred (200) dollars; to Elwood N. Kressler, eighteen hundred (1800) dollars; to James B. Feree, six hundred (600) dollars; to Charles P. Weaver, five hundred and fifty (550) dollars; to Joseph Denegne, six hundred (600) dollars; to Adam Carn, five hundred (500) dollars; to Henrietta Williamson, four hundred (400) dollars; to Samuel Brown's estate, five hundred (500) dollars; to Cromwell P. Weaver, two hundred (200) dollars; to Matthew O'Brien, three hundred (300) dollars; to Thomas J. Williams, four hundred (400) dollars; to Daniel Focht, five hundred (500) dollars; to Matthew O'Brien, twenty, eight hundred (2800) dollars; to Wilkinson Jones et al., four hundred (400) dollars; to John Matz, four hundred (400) dollars; to Frederick Sheppard, fourteen hundred (1400) dollars; to Cromwell P. Weaver, four hundred and fifty (450) dollars; to George F. Klett, three hundred (300) dollars; to Conrad Koch's estate, fifty (50) dollars; to Cromwell P. Weaver, five hundred (500) dollars; to Lewis Lockhard, eight hundred (800) dollars; to Sarah Glacken, four hundred (400) dollars; to Peter Schwick, three hundred (300) dollars; to Luke McGline, two hundred and fifty (250) dollars; to Margaret Collins, one hundred and fifty (150) dollars; to Elizabeth Hoorman, twelve hundred (1200) dollars; to Gabriel Gardiner, one hundred (100) dollars; to William M. Seyfert, three thousand (3,000) dollars; to Thomas P. Rhoades, nineteen thousand nine hundred and fifty (19,950) dollars and ninety-five (95) cents; to John Heideman, eight hundred (800) dollars; to Francis Meir, eight hundred (800) dollars; to Adam Smith, four hundred (400) dollars; to Henry H. Ruth, four hundred (400) dollars; to George Conrad, four hundred (400) dollars; to John F. Klumpp, eight hundred (800) dollars; to John J. Swint, four hundred (400) dollars; to Reuben C. Hale, eight hundred (800) dollars; to Atherton Blight, ten thousand (10,000) dollars; to lot No. 39, five hundred and fifty (550) dollars; to lot No. 41, four hundred and fifty (450) dollars. And the warrants shall be drawn by the City Solicitor, in favor of the above named parties or

their attorneys of record, in conformity with existing Ordinances.

APPENDIX No. 255.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, respectfully report that they have considered a communication from James Haworth, relative to supply of water for the City; also an Ordinance authorizing the appointment of a commission to examine and report upon the plan of James Haworth for supplying the City with water to the extent of 350,000,000 of gallons per day, and submit the annexed Ordinance to appoint a Commission on Supply of Water for the City of Philadelphia, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,

H. MARCUS,

S. G. KING,

JAS. R. GATES,

O. HOWARD WILSON,

HENRY BUDD.

WM. THORNTON,

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN.

JAS. W. ALLEN,

JOHN A. MISKEY,

W. W. BURNELL,

GEO. A. SMITH,

H. B. LIPPINCOTT,

W. BALDWIN,

JAMES SUBERS,

April 29, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To appoint a Commission on Supply of Water for the City of Philadelphia.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Mayor be requested to appoint a commission of five scientific and practical engineers to be selected by him from not less than fifteen names which are to be recommended by the Board of Managers of the Franklin Institute, to whom, in connection with the Chief Engineer of the Water Department, shall be referred the entire subject of the present and future water supply of the City of Philadelphia, and to report their views to Councils.

SECT. 2. That the sum of one thousand dollars be and

the same is hereby appropriated to pay the expenses of the above commission. And warrants shall be drawn by the Chief Engineer of the Water Works in conformity with existing Ordinances.

APPENDIX No. 256.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, respectfully report that they have considered "An Ordinance to approve the contract and sureties of John Ketcham, for the building of a public school edifice at the northeast corner of Seventeenth and Spring Garden streets," and report the same back and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,

H. MARCUS,

S. G. KING,

JAS. R. GATES,

O. HOWARD WILSON,

HENRY BUDD,

WM. THORNTON,

JAS. W. ALLEN,

JOHN A. MISKEY,

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GEO. A. SMITH,

H. B. LIPPINCOTT,

WM. BALDWIN,

JAS. SUBERS,

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN.

April 29, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To approve the contract and sureties of John Ketcham, for the building of a public school edifice at the northeast corner of Seventeenth and Spring Garden streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the contract of John Ketcham, for the erection of a public school edifice at the northeast corner of Seventeenth and Spring Garden streets, for the sum of one hundred and fifty-eight thousand seven hundred and eighty-eight (158,788) dollars and twenty-eight (28) cents be and the same is hereby approved; and that George Stockham be and he is hereby approved as the surety of the said John Ketcham for the faithful performance of the said contract.

APPENDIX No. 257.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance to release the sureties of William Rittenhouse, late Commissioner of Highways, and submit the annexed Ordinance to enter satisfaction on the official bond of William Rittenhouse, late Commissioner of Highways, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	O. HOWARD WILSON,
WM. THORNTON,	S. G. KING,
JAS. W. ALLEN,	JAS. SUBERS,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,	HENRY BUDD,
W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,	GEO. A. SMITH,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	H. MARCUS,
W. BALDWIN,	JAS. R. GATES,
W. W. BURNELL.	

April 29, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To enter satisfaction on the official bond of William Rittenhouse, late Commissioner of Highways.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Solicitor be authorized and directed to enter satisfaction on the official bond of William Rittenhouse, late Commissioner of Highways: *Provided*, That the City Controller shall certify that his accounts are settled and there is no default.

APPENDIX No. 258.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance to approve the contract and sureties of Philip H. Somerset for the building school house at the corner of Twelfth and Ogden

streets, and report the same back and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	JAS. W. ALLEN,
H. MARCUS,	JOHN A. MISKEY,
S. G. KING,	W. W. BURNELL,
W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,	JAS. R. GATES,
O. HOWARD WILSON,	GEO. A. SMITH,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,	HENRY BUDD,
WM. BALDWIN,	WM. THORNTON,
	JAS. SUBERS.

April 29, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To approve the contract and sureties of Philip H. Somerset for the building of a school house at the corner of Twelfth and Ogden streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the contract of Philip H. Somerset for the erection of a public school edifice at the southeast corner of Twelfth and Ogden streets, for the sum of twenty two thousand two hundred and forty-eight (22,248) dollars be and the same is hereby approved; and that Benjamin H. Brown and George Woelpper, copartners, as Brown & Woelpper, be and they are hereby approved as the sureties of the said Philip H. Somerset, for the faithful performance of the said contract, and the lien of the judgment to be entered upon the official bond accompanying said contract as against the said sureties be and the same is hereby restricted to all that certain lot of ground and buildings thereon erected, situate on the northeast corner of Richmond and Ash street, containing 375 feet on Ash street, 421 feet on Gunner's run, and 185 feet on Richmond street, in the City of Philadelphia.

APPENDIX No. 259.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered "An Ordinance to restrict the lien of certain judgments against Rodger

Maynes," and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	JAS. W. ALLEN,
H. MARCUS,	JOHN A. MISKEY,
S. G. KING,	W. W. BURNELL,
JAS. R. GATES,	GEO. A. SMITH,
O. HOWARD WILSON,	H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
HENRY BUDD,	WM. BALDWIN,
WM. THORNTON,	JAMES SUBERS,
W. ELLWOOD ROWAN.	

April 29, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To restrict the lien of certain judgments against Roger Maynes.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the lien of the following judgments in Common Pleas No. 3, of December Term, 1874, Nos. 423, 374, 373 and 391, as against Roger Maynes, be and it is hereby restricted to the following described properties, to wit: "All that certain lot or piece of ground, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate at the northwest corner of Forty-seventh and Seneca streets, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, containing in front on the said Forty-seventh street, fifteen feet, and extending in length or depth fifty-six feet, to a three feet wide alley; and all those three certain lots or pieces of ground, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate on the north side of Seneca street, beginning at the distance of fifty-nine feet west from the west side of Forty-seventh street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the said City, containing in front on said Seneca street, fourteen feet each, and extending in length or depth each one hundred feet; and the City Solicitor be and he is hereby directed to prepare and file agreements of record, restricting the lien of the said judgments as hereinbefore directed, provided the co-surety shall consent thereto, and provided, in his opinion, the interests of the City will not be injuriously affected thereby, and that the sum of twenty-five dollars be paid into the City Treasury to pay for the publication of this Ordinance.

APPENDIX No. 260.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered a petition from the Second Regiment National Guards of Pennsylvania for a release of their property from the payment of taxes for the year 1874, and for the reasons contained in the opinion of the City Solicitor hereto appended, report the same back with a negative recommendation, and request the passage of the annexed resolution.

JOHN BARDSLEY, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	JAMES W. ALLEN,
H. MARCUS,	JOHN A. MISKEY,
S. G. KING,	W. W. BURNELL,
JAS. R. GATES,	GEO. A. SMITH,
O. HOWARD WILSON,	H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
HENRY BUDD,	W. BALDWIN,
WM. THORNTON,	JAS. SUBERS,
W. ELLWOOD ROWAN.	

April 29, 1875.

LAW DEPARTMENT,
PHILADELPHIA, April 14, 1875.

JOHN BARDSLEY, ESQ.,
Chairman Finance Committee.

DEAR SIR.—I return your herewith petition of the "Second Regiment National Guards," asking that their property on Race street, east of Sixth street, be exempted from taxation. In my opinion this is forbidden by section 1, article 9 of the Constitution.

Yours respectfully,
CHARLES H. T. COLLIS,
City Solicitor.

RESOLUTION

To discharge the Committee on Finance from the consideration of the petition of the Second Regiment National Guards of Pennsylvania.

Resolved by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Committee on Finance be discharged from the further consideration of the petition of

the Second Regiment National Guards of Pennsylvania, to have their property released from the taxes for the year 1874.

APPENDIX No. 261.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report, that they have considered “An Ordinance to authorize a loan for the further extension of the water works, and report the same back increased to one million six hundred thousand dollars, which seems to be necessary to provide for the present wants as well as a future supply. The Committee have itemized the amount showing what it is to be used for in detail. The expenditure of the above amount will increase the pumping capacity twenty-five millions of gallons per day, with a further increase of fifteen millions, when the turbine wheels are running, thus using the power now going to waste over Fairmount dam, from six to eight months in the year. The expenditure of the above sum seems to be necessary to complete the reservoir and make the necessary connections and improve the machinery at present out of date. The committee therefore submit the Ordinance and resolution to publish the same, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,
H. MARCUS,
JAS. R. GATES,
GEO. A. SMITH,
JAS. W. ALLEN,
O. HOWARD WILSON,
HENRY BUDD,

WM. THORNTON,
W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,
S. G. KING,
W. W. BURNELL,
W. BALDWIN,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
JAS. SUBERS.

April 29, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To create a loan for the further extension of the Water Works.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain, That the Mayor be and he*

is hereby authorized to borrow at not less than par on the credit of the City of Philadelphia, the sum of one million six hundred thousand dollars, for the further extension of the water works, to be applied as follows: nine hundred thousand dollars for the completion of the East Park storage reservoir to be appropriated as follows: for completion of E. S. McGlue's contract two hundred and fifty thousand dollars; outlet and inlet chamber, ninety thousand dollars; bar sand, screening and hauling of gravel, thirteen thousand five hundred dollars; cement for laying brick in bottom and sides, one hundred thousand dollars; labor in laying concrete in bottom of reservoir, also for laying of bricks and incidental labor, one hundred and sixty thousand dollars; for purchase of twenty million bricks, two hundred and forty thousand dollars; fencing, twelve thousand dollars; incidentals and contingencies, thirty-four thousand five hundred dollars; and for the further extension of the water works, seven hundred thousand dollars to be appropriated as follows: for forty-six hundred feet of forty-eight inch pipe and connections and laying from turbine wheels to connect same with East Park reservoir, via Spring Garden Works, one hundred and fifteen thousand dollars; two turbine wheels in place of Nos. 2 and 6 breast wheels. at Fairmount, seventy thousand dollars; foundations, inlets, boilers, boiler house stack alterations to engine house, stand pipe at East Park reservoir, one hundred and seventy-five thousand dollars; pipes, connections, &c., to take water out of East Park reservoir, and connect same with other reservoirs, two hundred and fifty thousand dollars; additional pumping main at Roxborough, sixty thousand dollars; rebuilding forebay at Spring Garden Works, thirty thousand dollars; for which interest not to exceed the rate of six per cent. per annum, shall be paid half yearly, on the first days of January and July, in each year, at the office of the City Treasurer. The principal of said loan shall be payable and paid at the expiration of thirty years from the date of the same, and not before, without the consent of the holders thereof; and certificates therefor, in the usual form of the certificates of City loan, shall be issued in such amounts as the lender may require, but not for less amounts than fifty dollars, and not for any other fractional part of one hun-

dred dollars, or if required in amounts of five hundred or one thousand dollars; and it shall be expressed in said certificates, that the loan therein mentioned and the interest thereof, are payable free from all taxes.

SECT. 2. Whenever any loan shall be made by virtue hereof, there shall be by force of this Ordinance annually appropriated out of the income of the corporate estates and from the sum raised by taxation, a sum sufficient to pay the interest on said certificates; and the further sum of three-tenths of one per centum, on the par value of such certificates so issued, shall be appropriated quarterly out of said income and taxes to a sinking fund, which fund and its accumulations are hereby specially pledged for the redemption and payment of said certificates.

RESOLUTION

To publish a Water Loan Bill.

Resolved, That the Clerk of Common Council, be authorized to publish in two daily newspapers of this City, daily for four weeks, the Ordinance presented to Common Council on Thursday, the sixth day of May, 1875, entitled "An Ordinance to create a loan for the further extension of the water works," and that the said clerk at the stated meeting of Councils, after the expiration of four weeks from the first day of said publication, shall present to this Council one of each of said newspapers for ever day on which the same shall have been made.

APPENDIX No. 262.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition and Ordinance to authorize the grading of Twenty-eighth street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit

for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
GEORGE DORLAN,	AMOS M. SLACK,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	DANIEL CURRIE,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	P. H. KLOHSE,
H. MARCUS,	W. K. PARK,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	A. ALBRIGHT,
JOHN FOX,	JOHN A. MISKEY,
HENRY GLASS.	

April 29, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Twenty-eighth street, in the Fifteenth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade Twenty-eighth street, from Poplar street to Pennsylvania avenue, in the Fifteenth Ward, to the established grade of the city; cost not to exceed twenty-eight hundred and sixty-six dollars.

APPENDIX No. 263.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance to amend a resolution entitled "Resolution to authorize the paving of the market plots on Lehigh avenue," respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
GEORGE DORLAN,	JOHN BARDSLEY,
SAML. A. MILLER,	H. MARCUS,
GEO. A. ENO,	W. K. PARK,
JOHN MONROE,	JOHN FOX,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	HENRY GLASS,
WM. McMULLIN.	

May 6, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To amend a resolution entitled "Resolution to authorize the paving of market plots on Lehigh avenue," passed December 30th, 1873.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That so much of a resolution entitled "Resolution to authorize the paving of the market plots on Lehigh avenue," passed December 30th, A. D. 1873, as relates to the payment for paving the intersections, be so amended as to read, cost of intersections not to exceed six hundred and forty-nine dollars and fifty cents.

APPENDIX No. 264.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select
and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance to authorize the opening of Davis street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, *Ch'n*,
GEO. DORLAN,
DANL. CURRIE,
H. MARCUS,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,
A. ALBRIGHT,
JOHN A. MISKEY,

FERD. DOEBLEY,
AMOS M. SLACK,
S. A. MILLER,
G. A. ENO,
W. K. PARK,
JOHN MONROE,
HENRY GLASS.

May 6, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Davis street, in the Twentieth Ward..

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Davis street, from Thirteenth street to Ontario street, in

the Twentieth Ward will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said Ordinance said street will be required for public use.

APPENDIX No. 265.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition and Ordinance to authorize the paving of Van Pelt street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, *Ch'n*,
GEO. DORLAN,
AMOS SLACK,
SAML. A. MILLER,
GEO. A. ENO,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,
JOHN MONROE,
JOHN A. MISKEY,

FERD. DOEBLEY,
JOHN BARDSLEY,
DANL. CURRIE,
H. MARCUS,
W. K. PARK,
A. ALBRIGHT,
JOHN FOX,
HENRY GLASS.

May 6, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Van Pelt street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers, for the paving of Van Pelt street, from Berks street to Park avenue, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, with cobble pavement, no cost of intersections. The conditions of which contract shall be, that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said street, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said street in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 266.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition to repave Spruce street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
GEORGE DORLAN,	H. MARCUS,
DANIEL CURRIE,	DANL. W. GILBERT,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	AMOS SLACK,
P. H. KLOHSE,	W. K. PARK,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	HENRY GLASS,
JOHN MONROE.	

April 29, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the repaving of Spruce street, in the Fifth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to have Spruce street, from the west side of Third street to Delaware avenue, in the Fifth Ward, repaved with rubble pavement, at a price not to exceed one dollar and seventy-five cents per square yard, the cost of said work to be taken from Item 5 of the annual appropriation to the Department of Highways for the year 1875.

APPENDIX No. 267.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance to amend a resolution

entitled "Resolution to authorize the paving of Morris, Tasker and Ludlow streets," respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
GEORGE DORLAN,	AMOS SLACK,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	DANL. W. GILBERT,
DANL. CURRIE,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
P. H. KLOHSE,	HENRY MARCUS,
H. McDOWELL,	W. K. PARK,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,	A. ALBRIGHT,
JOHN FOX,	JOHN A. MISKEY,
HENRY GLASS.	

April 29, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To amend a resolution entitled "Resolution to authorize the paving of Morris, Tasker and Ludlow streets."

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That so much of a resolution entitled "Resolution to authorize the paving of Morris, Tasker and Ludlow streets," approved May 5th, 1874, as relates to Morris street, and reads "no costs for intersections," be so amended as to read "cost of intersections not to exceed fifty-seven dollars and seventy-six cents."

APPENDIX No. 268.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition and Ordinances to authorize the grading of Twenty-seventh street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and

submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
GEORGE DORLAN,	AMOS M. SLACK,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	DANL. W. GILBERT,
DANIEL CURRIE,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
H. MARCUS,	W. K. PARK,
A. ALBRIGHT,	JOHN FOX,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	GEO. A. ENO,
P. H. KLOHSE,	HENRY McDOWELL,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	HENRY GLASS.

April 29, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Twenty-seventh street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade Twenty-seventh street, from Mount Pleasant street to Master street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, to the established grade of the City, cost not to exceed two hundred and eighty-three dollars and seventy-five cents.

A P P E N D I X N o. 269.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance to authorize the tramwaying of Lawson, Jones, Lancaster, Leithgow, Struthers and Cowley streets, respectfully report that we have

examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WILLIAM McMULLIN,
GEORGE DORLAN,	AMOS M. SLACK,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	DANL. W. GILBERT,
DANL. CURRIE,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
H. MARCUS,	W. K. PARK,
A. ALBRIGHT,	JOHN FOX,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	HENRY GLASS,
P. H. KLOHSE,	GEO. A. ENO,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	HENRY McDOWELL.

April 29, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the tramwaying of Lawson, Jones, Lancaster, Leithgow, Struthers and Crowley streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner be and is hereby authorized and directed to repave the following streets with tramway stone in the tracks of the wheels, viz.: Lawson street, from Wood street to Pearl street, in the Fourteenth Ward; Jones street, from Seventeenth to Eighteenth street, in the Ninth Ward; Lancaster street, from Marion street to Wharton street, in the Second Ward; Leithgow street, from Poplar street to George street, in the Sixteenth Ward; Struthers street, from Twelfth street, to Thirteenth street, in the Tenth Ward; Cowley street, from Thirteenth street to Juniper street, and if the cartways of said streets are wider than is necessary for a single track, to reduce them to the proper width by taking an equal quantity from each.

APPENDIX No. 270.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition and Ordinance to authorize the grading of Twenty-ninth street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
GEORGE DORLAN,	AMOS M. SLACK,
DANIEL CURRIE,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
H. MARCUS,	W. K. PARK,
JOHN FOX,	JOHN A. MISKEY,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	HENRY GLASS,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	P. H. KLOHSE,
A. ALBRIGHT.	

April 29, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Twenty-ninth street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade Twenty-ninth street, from York street to Nicetown lane, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, to the established grade of the City ; cost not to exceed fifteen hundred and eighty-seven dollars and fifty cents.

APPENDIX No. 271.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition and Ordinance authorizing the paving of Twenty-ninth street, respectfully report that

we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	HENRY GLASS,
GEORGE DORLAN,	AMOS M. SLACK,
WILLIAM McMULLIN,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
H. MARCUS,	W. K. PARK,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	DANL. CURRIE,
P. H. KLOHSE,	JOHN A. MISKEY,
JOHN FOX,	CHAS. THOMSON JONES,
A. ALBRIGHT.	

April 29, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Twenty-ninth street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers, for the paving of Twenty-ninth street, from York street to Nicetown lane, in the Twenty-eigh Ward, with rubble pavement; cost of intersections not to exceed six thousand and thirty-seven dollars and fifty cents. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said street, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said street in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 272.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinances relative to the construction of sewers, respectfully report that we have examined

and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	HENRY GLASS,
GEORGE DORLAN,	AMOS M. SLACK,
DANIEL CURRIE,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
GEO. A. ENO,	S. A. MILLER,
H. MARCUS,	W. K. PARK,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,	JOHN MONROE,
A. ALBRIGHT,	JOHN FOX,

JOHN A. MISKEY.

April 29, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

Relative to the construction of sewers.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That from and after the passage of this Ordinance, the Department of Highways, Bridges and Sewers, shall not grant to any person or persons a permit to make openings into any of the public streets of the City of Philadelphia for the purpose of constructing a sewer or sewers, until the said department shall have first received from the City Solicitor a certificate that a contract has been duly executed and deposited with the City Controller, and that a bond has been given for the faithful performance of said contract.

SECT. 2. Any contractor or contractors opening any street or streets in violation of the first section of this Ordinance, shall be liable to a penalty of five hundred dollars, to be recoverable as debts of like amount are by law recoverable.

APPENDIX No. 273.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petitions and Ordinance to authorize the paving of Twenty-fifth, Twenty-seventh, Twenty-eighth and Orleans streets, respectfully report that we have ex-

amined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, *Ch'n*,
GEORGE DORLAN,
JOHN BARDSLEY,
DANIEL W. GILBERT,
P. H. KLOHSE,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,
A. ALBRIGHT,
JOHN A. MISKEY,

WM. McMULLIN,
AMOS M. SLACK,
DANIEL CURRIE,
FERD. DOEBLEY,
H. MARCUS,
W. K. PARK,
JOHN FOX,
HENRY GLASS.

April 29, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Twenty-fifth, Twenty-seventh, Twenty-eighth and Orleans streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers for the paving of the following streets with rubble pavement, viz.: Twenty fifth street, from Hare street to Fairmount avenue, in the Fifteenth Ward, cost of intersections not to exceed six hundred and sixty-nine dollars; Twenty-seventh street, from Mt. Pleasant street to Master street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, cost of intersections not to exceed twelve hundred and twelve dollars; Twenty eighth street, from Poplar street to Pennsylvania avenue, in the Fifteenth Ward, cost of intersections not to exceed six hundred and twenty-two dollars and fifty cents; Orleans street, from Emerald street to Kensington avenue, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, cost of intersections not to exceed five hundred and thirty-eight dollars and fifty cents. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said streets, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said streets in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 274.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—Your Committee on Surveys and Regulations beg leave to report that they have considered Ordinances to revise the lines and grades on Girard avenue, from Thirty-first street to the river Schuylkill, and to revise the grades on Baltimore avenue, from Forty-ninth to Fifty-first street, and recommend the passage of the same.

WM. THORNTON, *Ch'n*,
B. F. BONHAM,
ROBT. H. COOPER,
GEORGE E. HALL,
GEO. A. ENO,
JAS. R. GATES,
A. H. McADAM,

JOSEPH H. TATEM,
JOS. J. MARTIN,
JOHN SINNER,
S. C. COLLINS,
R. H. CLIFFORD,
JOHN C. BICKEL,
JOHN FOX,

HENRY GLASS.

May 6, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To revise the lines and grades of Girard avenue, between Thirty-first street and the river Schuylkill, and to revise the grades on Baltimore avenue, between Forty-ninth street and Fifty first street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Surveys be and is hereby authorized and directed to prepare plans in duplicate for the revision of the lines and grades on Girard avenue, from Thirty-first street to the river Schuylkill, and of the revision the grades on Baltimore avenue, from Forty ninth street to Fifty-first street.

APPENDIX No. 275.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—Your Committee on Surveys and Regulations, to whom was referred the Ordinance for construct-

ing bridges over the Pennsylvania Railroad, at Fortieth and Forty-first streets, report that after frequent conferences between the officers of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company and the Chief Engineer and Surveyor, plans for bridges suited to each locality have been prepared, which are now on file in the Survey Department. The estimated cost of the bridges at the low rates now ruling is \$155,000. We submit the accompanying correspondence in which the Pennsylvania Railroad Company undertake to build both bridges for the sum of seventy-five thousand dollars. We have given the subject careful consideration and recommend that the Ordinance be passed directing the City Solicitor to prepare the contract and have it executed with the Pennsylvania Railroad Company. As the building of the bridges over so many railroad tracks, will, to a considerable extent, interfere with the regular operations of the railroad, there is a manifest advantage in the work being done by the company.

WM. THORNTON, *Ch'n*,
JOHN FOX,
JOHN C. BICKEL,
JAS. R. GATES,
ROBT. H. COOPER,
S. C. COLLINS,

GEORGE E. HALL,
HENRY GLASS,
A. H. MCADAM,
R. H. CLIFFORD,
JOS. J. MARTIN,
GEO. A. ENO,

JNO. Siner.

May 6, 1875.

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR,
PHILADELPHIA, *April 16, 1875.*

GEO. B. ROBERTS, ESQ.,
First Vice President Pennsylvania Railroad :

DEAR SIR:—Sometime since, a resolution of City Councils directed the Chief Engineer and Surveyor to confer with the Pennsylvania Railroad Company relative to plans for a bridge over the Pennsylvania Railroad at Fortieth street, and ascertain what amount said company would agree to pay towards its construction. In pursuance of this, I have had many interviews with your officers, and have agreed with you as to a plan suited for the place, and also for a bridge at Forty-first street, each to have stone

abutments and wing walls, and iron trusses, with full width of sixty feet. The plan made for Fortieth Street Bridge has three spans, giving a distance of two hundred and twenty-two feet between the abutments. The plan for Forty-first street is a single span of two hundred and twelve feet.

These bridges are needed for access to the grounds of the Centennial Exhibition, and members of the Centennial Board of Finance, of your board, and the City Councils, have been in negotiation, a result of which has been the introduction of an Ordinance in City Councils providing for a contract with the Pennsylvania Railroad Company to build the bridge at Fortieth street, towards which the City should pay the sum of \$42,000, and the bridge at Forty-first street, the City to pay \$33,000, making a total of seventy-five thousand (75,000) dollars.

At a meeting of the Committee of Surveys, held on the 7th inst., it was reported that the Ordinance which was before them, was based on a verbal proposition from the Pennsylvania Railroad Company to build the two bridges, upon the City paying \$75,000, and it was resolved, that this proposal should be made in writing before Councils could act thereon.

The matter was referred to me to get this proposal, and make a report on the plans at a meeting to be held on Wednesday the 21st inst., for which purpose I address you.

Very truly,
(Signed,) SAMUEL L. SMEDLEY,
Chief Engineer and Surveyor.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD COMPANY,
PRESIDENT'S OFFICE.

PHILADELPHIA, *April 19, 1875.*

SAML. L. SMEDLEY, ESQ.,
Chief Engineer and Surveyor City of Philadelphia :

SIR:—I am authorized to say to you and through you to the Select and Common Councils, that the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will agree to construct and erect for the City of Philadelphia, the bridges proposed for Fortieth and Forty-first streets over the Pennsylvania Railroad, for

the aggregate sum of seventy-five thousand (75,000) dollars cash, payable by the said City upon their completion and acceptance by the Chief Engineer and Surveyor; or in detail, forty-two thousand (42,000) dollars for the bridge at Fortieth street, and thirty-three thousand (33,000) dollars for the bridge at Forty-first street.

The total cost of these bridges as estimated by our engineer, exceeds in aggregate the sum of one hundred and fifty-five thousand (155,000) dollars, thus requiring from this company a larger appropriation under this estimate than is asked for from the City.

Very respectfully,
STRICKLAND KNEASS,
Assistant to President.

AN ORDINANCE

For the construction of bridges over the Pennsylvania Railroad, at Fortieth and Forty-first streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain,* That the City Solicitor be and is hereby authorized and directed to have contracts executed with the Pennsylvania Railroad Company for the construction and erection of bridges over the line of the Pennsylvania Railroad, at Fortieth and Forty-first streets, in accordance with plans in the Department of Surveys, approved by the Chief Engineer and Surveyor, with stone abutments and wing walls, and iron superstructures. The bridge at Fortieth street to be sixty (60) feet wide, and in three spans. The centre span to be one hundred and seventy-one (171) feet eleven and five-eighths ($11\frac{5}{8}$) inches between centres of piers, and the two side spans seventy-four (74) feet eleven and nine-sixteenths ($11\frac{9}{16}$) inches each, making a total span between abutments on the line of the street of three hundred and twenty-one (321) feet ten and three-quarters ($10\frac{3}{4}$) inches in the clear. The bridge at Forty-first street to be sixty (60) feet wide, and in one span of two hundred and nine (209) feet three (3) inches in the clear, between abutments on the line of the street. All materials and workmanship to be approved by the Chief Engineer and Surveyor.

SECT. 2. The terms of said contract to be, that when the

said structures, or either of them, shall be accepted by the Chief Engineer and Surveyor as completed and satisfactory, the said Pennsylvania Railroad Company shall receive as full payment from the City of Philadelphia, in warrants drawn upon the City Treasury by the Chief Commissioner of Highways, the sum of forty-two thousand (42,000) dollars for Fortieth Street Bridge, and thirty-three thousand (33,000) dollars for Forty-first Street Bridge, making a total sum of seventy-five thousand (75,000) dollars. Payments upon each to be made monthly as the work proceeds, out of an appropriation to be made to the Department of Highways for this specific purpose, and only upon estimates prepared by the Chief Engineer and Surveyor as to the comparative value of the work done.

SECT. 3. Warrants for the above to be drawn by the Chief Commissioner of Highways, in accordance with this and other existing Ordinances.

SECT. 4. The sum of seventy-five thousand (75,000) dollars is hereby appropriated to the Department of Highways for the building of said bridges, to be taken from a loan created by Ordinance approved

APPENDIX No. 276.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN :—Your Committee on Surveys and Regulations, beg leave to report that they have considered an Ordinance to amend a resolution to place Goldbeck and Baltzstreets upon the City plan, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, and return the same with a negative recommendation; and a resolution to discharge the committee from further consideration of the subject, of which they ask your approval.

WM. THORNTON, *Ch'n*,
B. F. BONHAM,
A. H. MCADAM,
JOHN FOX,
HENRY GLASS,
JOS. J. MARTIN,
S. C. COLLINS,

JOSEPH H. TATEM,
GEORGE E. HALL,
ROBT. H. COOPER,
JAS. R. GATES,
JOHN SINER,
GEO. A. ENO,
ROBERT H. CLIFFORD,

JOHN C. BICKEL.

May 6, 1875.

RESOLUTION

To discharge the Committee on Surveys and Regulations from further consideration of "An Ordinance to amend a resolution to place Goldbeck and Baltz streets upon the City plan."

Resolved by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Committee on Surveys and Regulations be discharged from the further consideration of an "Ordinance to amend a resolution entitled a 'Resolution to place upon City plan Goldbeck and Baltz streets, between Thompson street and Girard avenue, and Thirtieth and Thirty-first streets, in the Twenty-ninth Ward.'"

APPENDIX No. 277.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—Your Committee on Surveys and Regulations, to whom was referred the communication of the Chief Engineer and Surveyor, relative to paving the approach to Fairmount Bridge, respectfully report that the east approach is paved with Belgian blocks, and under the circumstances stated in the said communication, it is advisable that the west approach should be made to correspond therewith, and as it will be included in the regular estimates, and paid for out of the appropriation to the bridge, we recommend the adoption of the accompanying Ordinance directing the Chief Engineer and Surveyor to make the change of material.

WM. THORNTON, *Ch'n*,
B. F. BONHAM,
ROBT. H. COOPER,
GEO. E. HALL,
GEO. A. ENO,
JAS. R. GATES,
A. H. McADAM,

JOSEPH H. TATEM,
JOSEPH J. MARTIN,
JOHN Siner,
S. C. COLLINS,
R. H. CLIFFORD,
JOHN C. BICKEL,
JOHN FOX,

HENRY GLASS.

May 6, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

Relative to the change of pavement specifications for a part of Fairmount Bridge.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Engineer and Surveyor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to substitute Belgian blocks for cobble stone pavement, in the contract with the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, for the west approach of Fairmount Bridge, in place of cobble stones removed from the street by authority of Councils, to extend from the west abutment to Thirty-third street, of the width of forty feet, and corresponding with the Belgian pavement on the east approach of the bridge.

APPENDIX No. 278.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—Your Committee on Surveys and Regulations, to whom was referred the papers asking for the construction of sewers in various sections of the City, report that these applications were referred to the Board of Surveyors for examination, and detailed report, from which we learn that the locations for said sewers have been severally, carefully examined, the board approving their construction, and stating that their aggregate length is 13,712 feet, to be built at a cost to the property owners of \$28,190; and to the City of about \$9,600. Your Committee deem it unimportant to advise the Chambers of the great necessity for the sewers, as it is apparent to all, that the continued increase of improvements demand a corresponding increase for drainage, we submit an Ordinance

herewith, for the construction of these sewers, and respectfully ask its adoption.

WM. THORNTON, *Ch'n*,
B. F. BONHAM,
ROBT. H. COOPER,
GEO. E. HALL,
GEO. A. ENO,
JAS. R. GATES,
A. H. MCADAM,

JOS. H. TATEM,
JOS. J. MARTIN,
JOHN SINER,
S. C. COLLINS,
R. H. CLIFFORD,
JOHN C. BICKEL,
JOHN FOX,

HENRY GLASS.

May 5, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the construction of sewers on Twenty-first, Filbert, Cherry, Walnut, Poplar, Nineteenth, Second, Day, Coulter, Oregon, Nineteenth and Seybert streets, Germantown avenue, and across Seventy-first street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Highways be and is hereby authorized to construct the following sewers, viz.: on Twenty-first street, from the north line of Bainbridge street to Washington avenue; on Filbert street, from Thirty-third street to a point about one hundred and twenty feet west of said Thirty-third street; on Cherry street, from Ninth to Tenth street; on Walnut street, from Twelfth to Thirteenth street; on Poplar street, from Twenty-fifth to Twenty-sixth street; on Nineteenth street, from Green to Parrish street; on Second street from Laurel street to summit south of Poplar street; on Day street, from fifty feet northwest of Girard avenue to Thompson street; on Germantown avenue, from three mile run to Broad street; on Coulter street, from Germantown avenue southwestward to a point four hundred and forty feet southwest of Green street; on Oregon street, from Forty-fifth to Forty-seventh street; on Nineteenth street, from Ridge avenue to the north line of Thompson street; on Nineteenth street, from Master street to the south line of Seybert street; thence on Seybert street, to the east curb line of Ridge avenue, and across the intersection of Seventy-first and Lloyd streets, each with a clear inside diameter of three feet. Said sewers to be built of brick,

circular in shape, and in accordance with specifications prepared by the Chief Engineer and Surveyor.

SECT. 2. The Chief Commissioner of Highways shall advertise according to law, announcing that bids will be received for the sewers above designated, and he shall allot them to the lowest bidders, and it shall be a condition of said contract that the contractor shall accept the sums assessed upon and charged to the properties lying on the lines of said sewers in manner and form authorized by Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance regulating the assessment upon property for the construction of branch culverts or drains," approved May 12th, 1866, and supplement thereto, approved February 16th, 1869; any excess over and above said assessment, in addition to that provided for by Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Chief Commissioner of Highways to draw warrants for street intersections, manholes, and legal deductions in the construction of branch sewers," approved April 3d, 1868, to be charged to Item (for branch sewers) of annual appropriation made to the Department of Highways for the year 1875: *Provided*, Said excess does not exceed the sum of nine thousand six hundred and ninety (6,690) dollars.

APPENDIX No. 279.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—Your Committee on Surveys and Regulations, to whom was referred the communication of the Chief Engineer and Surveyor, and Ordinance relative to the revision of lines and grades of streets in the Twenty-fifth Ward, respectfully report that it is proposed to strike from the City plan all the streets between Bath street and the Delaware river, from William street to Alleghany avenue, a distance of 2400 feet. To cut off access to the river for this great distance, would be a great inconvenience and injury to the business interests of the neighborhood, and the project is strongly opposed by citizens owning prop-

erty there. The vacation of the streets is solely for the benefit of a large corporation for the construction of their tracks, dry docks and shops, one of which has been built across Clearfield street.

Your Committee are of opinion that the streets should not be vacated, and report it back to the chamber with a negative recommendation.

WM. THORNTON, *Ch'n*,
B. F. BONHAM,
GEORGE E. HALL,
GEO. A. ENO,
R. H. CLIFFORD,
JOHN FOX,

JOS. J. MARTIN,
JOSEPH H. TATEM,
ROBT. H. COOPER,
S. G. COLLINS,
JOHN C. BICKEL,
JOHN SINER,

HENRY GLASS.

May 6, 1875.

RESOLUTION

To discharge the Committee on Surveys and Regulations from further consideration of a communication of the Chief Engineer and Surveyor, and Ordinance relative to the revision of lines and grades of streets in the Twenty-fifth Ward.

Resolved by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Committee on Surveys and Regulations be discharged from further consideration of a communication of the Chief Engineer and Surveyor, and Ordinance relative to the revision of lines and grades of streets in the Twenty-fifth Ward.

APPENDIX No. 280.

To the Common Council of the
City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—Your Committee on Schools of Common Council, to whom was referred the Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Board of Public Education to pay Thomas McCarthy for completion of school house at Thirteenth and Susquehanna avenue, Twenty-eighth Ward,

respectfully report that they have examined the same and report it back and recommend its passage.

SAML. A. MILLER, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
GEO. A. SCHAFER,	JOS. L. CAVEN,
GEO. WIDENER,	WILLIAM JUDGE,
JOS. McMORRIS,	HENRY BUDD,
R. JAMISON.	

May 6, 1875.

APPENDIX No. 281.

To the Common Councils of the
City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—Your Committee on Schools of Common Councils, to whom was referred the bill entitled an Ordinance to approve the contract and surety of Thomas McCarthy, for the completion of the third story of the school house at Thirteenth street and Susquehanna avenue, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, respectfully report that they have examined the same and report it back, and recommend its passage.

S. A. MILLER, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
GEO. A. SCHAFER,	JOS. L. CAVEN,
GEO. WIDENER,	WILLIAM JUDGE,
JOS. McMORRIS,	HENRY BUDD,
SAML. R. JAMISON.	

May 6, 1875.

APPENDIX No. 282.

To the Common Councils of the
City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—Your Committee on Schools of Common Council, to whom was referred the resolution entitled resolution to discharge the Committee on Schools from the further consideration of a communication from the Board of Public Education, asking for an appropriation to pay a Superintendent of Music, respectfully report that they have examined the

same, and recommend that Common Council substitute the following bill in place of resolution to discharge the Committee, viz.:

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation to pay the salary of the Superintendent of Music in the public schools.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of eighteen hundred and fifteen (1815) dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated for the payment of the salary of the Superintendent of Music for the year 1875 in the public schools. Warrants to be drawn by the Board of Education in conformity with existing Ordinances.

S. A. MILLER, *Ch'n*, [^{for}_{report.}]
JOS. L. CAVEN,
HENRY BUDD,
ROBT. H. COOPER,

H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
WILLIAM JUDGE,
SAMUEL R. JAMISON,
GEO. WIDENER, [^{for}_{report.}]

May 6, 1875.

APPENDIX No. 283.

DEPARTMENT FOR SUPPLYING THE CITY WITH WATER,
PHILADELPHIA, May 6, 1875.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—I herewith present a statement of the expenditures and balances of the several items of appropriation for the month of April, in accordance with your resolution of December 31st, 1874.

Yours, very truly,

WM. H. McFADDEN,
Chief Engineer Water Department.

*Statement of Expenditures and Balances of Appropriation
to Department for Supplying the City with Water.*

No of Item.	PURPOSE OF APPROPRIATION.	Balance April 1.	Expended in April.	Balance May 1.
11	Books, stationery, advertising, printing, posting, &c.....	\$3,774 35	\$1,428 26	\$2,346 09
12	Fuel for offices, ground rents, cleansing, incidentals, &c.....	853 72	563 87	289 85
13	Coal and wood, Fairmount Works.....	1,470 00	.....	1,470 00
14	Coal and wood, Delaware Works.....	13,168 48	.....	13,168 48
15	Coal and wood, Schuylkill Works.....	11,812 08	.....	11,812 08
16	Coal and wood, Belmont Works.....	21,614 74	2,518 80	19,095 94
17	Coal and wood, Roxborough Works.....	12,306 52	1,279 12	11,027 40
18	Tallow, oil and gas, Fairmount Works.....	591 59	137 75	453 84
19	Tallow, oil and gas, Delaware Works.....	777 36	66 70	710 66
20	Tallow, oil and gas, Schuylkill Works.....	1,833 94	50 83	1,783 11
21	Tallow, oil, &c., Belmont Works.....	1,180 44	86 50	1,093 94
22	Tallow, oil, &c., Roxborough Works.....	579 95	.....	579 95
23	Small stores, tools, red and white lead, gum, hemp, &c.....	2,256 46	101 89	2,154 57
24	Repairs, Fairmount Works.....	2,755 62	437 39	2,318 23
25	Repairs, Delaware Works.....	319 16	192 57	126 59
26	Repairs, Schuylkill Works.....	2,289 76	1,461 86	827 90
27	Repairs to side-lever engine, Schuylkill Works...	14,998 50	1,000 00	13,998 50
28	Repairs, Belmont Works.....	2,390 02	1,687 50	702 52
29	Repairs, Roxborough Works.....	397 06	306 95	90 11
30	Drilling and making new attachments.....	7,929 00	954 62	6,944 38
31	Keeping pipes, plugs, stops and fixtures in good order.....	22,764 24	5,486 61	17,277 63
32	Labor in laying pipes, setting and fitting fire plugs, stop cocks, &c.....	82,067 93	3,387 37	78,680 56
33	Keeping grounds, buildings and reservoirs in good order.....	35,332 63	5,060 82	30,271 81
34	Purchase of iron pipe, fire plugs, stop cocks, lead, brass and iron castings, and other fixtures and materials connected with the laying of pipes, setting and fitting of plugs and stops, &c.....	174,246 38	28,892 63	145,353 75
35	Carriage hire and keep of horse for Chief Engineer.....	578 00	30 00	548 00
36	Care and maintenance of the Chestnut Hill Water Works.....	4,510 82	72 00	4,438 82
37	Purchase of two copies of Messrs. Jones & Co.'s atlas of Philadelphia.....	480 00	64 00	416 00
38	Philadelphia Fountain Society.....	1,000 00	.....	1,000 00
39	Retaining wall, Roxborough Reservoir.....	15,000 00	221 30	14,778 70

APPENDIX No. 284.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance to release certain property of John M. Kennedy from the lien of a

certain judgment, and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. BALDWIN,
W. W. BURNELL,	WM. THORNTON,
S. G. KING,	H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
A. L. HODGDON,	JAS. SUBERS,
H. MARCUS,	JOS. L. CAVEN,
O. HOWARD WILSON,	WM. BRADLY,
JAS. R. GATES,	ROBT. B. SALTER,
JAMES W. ALLEN,	W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,
GEO. A. SMITH.	

May 13, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To release certain property of John M. Kennedy from the lien of a certain judgment.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the following described property of John M. Kennedy, to wit, premises situate and numbered 1130 Callowhill street, in the City of Philadelphia, be and the same are hereby released from the lien of judgment in the late District Court of March Term, 1873, D. S. B., No. 124. And the City Solicitor be and he is hereby directed to file an agreement of record, releasing the said property as above set forth: *Provided*, The co-sureties consent thereto, and the sum of twenty-five dollars be first paid to the City Treasurer to defray the expense of advertising this Ordinance: *And provided*, In his opinion, the interests of the City will not be prejudiced thereby.

APPENDIX No. 285.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance to restrict

the lien of a certain judgment against James O'Rourke, and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. THORNTON,
W. W. BURNELL,	H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
S. G. KING,	JAS. SUBERS,
H. MARCUS,	JOS. L. CAVEN,
O. HOWARD WILSON,	WM. BRADLY,
JAS. R. GATES,	GEO. A. SMITH,
JAMES W. ALLEN,	ROBT. B. SALTER,
WM. BALDWIN,	W. ELLWOOD ROWAN.

May 13, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To restrict the lien of a certain judgment against James O'Rourke.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the lien of the judgment in the Court of Common Pleas, No. 3, of December Term, 1874, No. 421, as against Bernard O'Rourke, one of the defendants in said judgment, shall be restricted to, and shall only operate against and bind the following described property, to wit: All that certain lot or piece of ground with the six messuages or tenements thereon erected, situate on the southwesterly side of Lehigh avenue, at the distance of sixty-eight feet northwestwardly from the corner of Thompson (late Duke) street, in the Eighteenth Ward of the City of Philadelphia; containing in front on Lehigh avenue sixty-seven feet, and extending in depth southwestwardly on Cabot street one hundred and fifteen feet. And that the following described properties of James O'Rourke, another of said defendants, shall be released from the lien of the said judgment, and also from the lien of a certain judgment in District Court, of December Term, 1874, D. S. B., No. 295, to wit: All that certain lot of ground situate on the southwesterly side of Lehigh avenue, at the distance of eighteen feet northwestwardly from the corner of Thompson street and Lehigh avenue; thence extending southwestwardly along the line of other ground of James O'Rourke seventy-three feet; thence southeastwardly along said ground eighteen feet to the northwest-

erly side of Thompson street; thence southwestwardly along said Thompson street forty-two feet to a point; thence northwestwardly along ground of Isaac W. Norris, deceased, sixty-eight feet to ground of Bernard O'Rourke; thence northeasterly along said ground one hundred and fifteen feet to the southwest side of Lehigh avenue; thence southeastwardly along said Lehigh avenue to the place of beginning. Also, all that certain lot of ground with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate on the southwest side of Lehigh avenue, and northwest side of Thompson street; containing in front on said Lehigh avenue sixteen feet two inches, and extending in length southwestwardly along said Thompson street seventy-six feet three inches. And the City Solicitor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to file agreements of record restricting the lien, and releasing the said properties as above set forth: *Provided*, In his judgment the interests of the City will not be prejudiced thereby: *And provided*, The respective co-sureties agree thereto: *And also provided*, That the sum of twenty-five dollars be first paid into the City Treasury to meet the expenses of advertising this Ordinance.

APPENDIX No. 286.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance to release certain property of David Rankin, from the lien of a certain judgment, and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,
S. G. KING,
H. MARCUS,
JAS. R. GATES,
WILLIAM BALDWIN,
W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,
JAS. SUBERS,
WILLIAM BRADLY,

W. W. BURNELL,
A. L. HODGDON,
O. HOWARD WILSON,
JAS. W. ALLEN,
WILLIAM THORNTON,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
JOS. L. CAVEN,
GEO. A. SMITH,

ROBERT B. SALTER.

May 13, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To release certain property of David Rankin, from the lien of a certain judgment.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the following described property of David Rankin, be and the same is hereby released and discharged from the lien of two judgments in the Court of Common Pleas, No. 3, of December Term, 1874, numbers 400 and 413, to wit: All that certain lot or piece of ground with the brick messuage thereon erected, situate on the east side of Twenty-first street, in the Twenty sixth Ward, commencing at the distance of sixty-five feet north of Carpenter street; thence eastward fifty-four feet six inches; thence northward seven feet six inches; thence eastward nine feet seven-and-three-quarter inches; thence northward eight feet six inches; thence westward sixty-four feet one-and-three-quarter inches to the east line of said Twenty-first street; and thence southward along the same sixteen feet to the place of beginning. And the City Solicitor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to file agreements of record releasing the said property from the lien of said judgments: *Provided*, The consent of the co-surety be first had and obtained, and the sum of twenty-five dollars be first paid into the City Treasury, to defray the expense of advertising this Ordinance: *And provided*, That in the opinion of the City Solicitor, the interests of the City will not be prejudiced thereby.

APPENDIX No. 287.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance to fix the rate of interest on City warrants, and report the same back,

with a negative recommendation, and request the passage of the annexed resolution.

JOHN BARDSLEY, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	W. BALDWIN,
W. W. BURNELL,	W. THORNTON,
S. G. KING,	W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,
A. L. HODGDON,	H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
H. MARCUS,	JAS. SUBERS,
O. HOWARD WILSON,	JOS. L. CAVEN,
JAS. R. GATES,	WM. BRADLY,
JAS. W. ALLEN,	GEO. A. SMITH,
ROBERT B. SALTER.	

May 13, 1875.

RESOLUTION

To discharge the Committee on Finance from the consideration of an Ordinance to fix the rate of interest on City warrants.

Resolved by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Committee on Finance be discharged from the further consideration of an Ordinance to fix the rate of interest on City warrants at five per cent. per annum.

APPENDIX No. 288.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to whom was recommended "An Ordinance to authorize a loan for police purposes," respectfully report that they have reconsidered the same, and have added the sum of fifteen thousand dollars for extinguishment of ground rents on lots of Kensington and Southwark Halls and station house at Tenth and Thompson street, to enable the City to divide the ground to sell it in lots, and two hundred thousand dollars for the improvements of the Fire Telegraph, making the total of the loan three hundred and eighty thousand dollars. They, therefore, submit the annexed Ordinance to authorize a loan for Police purposes, extinguishment of ground rents

and improvement of the Fire Telegraph, and resolution to publish a loan bill, and recommend their passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	JAS. W. ALLEN,
H. MARCUS,	S. G. KING,
JAS. R. GATES,	GEO. A. SMITH,
O. HOWARD WILSON,	H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
W. BALDWIN,	WM. THORNTON,
JAS. SUBERS,	W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,
WM. BRADLY,	JNO. L. SHOEMAKER, [^{for} report.]

April 29, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize a loan for police purposes, extinguishment of ground rents, and improvement of the fire telegraph.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Mayor of Philadelphia be and he is hereby authorized to borrow at not less than par, on the credit of the City, from time to time, three hundred and eighty thousand dollars, to be applied as follows, viz.: One hundred and sixty-five thousand dollars for the purchase of ground and the erection and extension of buildings for police station houses; said amount to be distributed and apportioned as follows:

Second District, thirty thousand dollars; Tenth District, twenty-eight thousand dollars; Eleventh District, twenty thousand dollars; Twelfth District, twenty-five thousand dollars; Fourteenth District, eighteen thousand dollars; First and Ninth Districts, twenty thousand dollars; Eighteenth District, nine thousand dollars; Seventeenth District, ten thousand dollars; Sub-station at Olney, five thousand dollars; fifteen thousand dollars for the extinguishment of certain ground rents, and two hundred thousand dollars for new system of Fire Alarm Telegraph; for which interest not to exceed the rate of six per cent. per annum shall be paid half yearly, on the first days of January and July, at the office of the City Treasurer. The principal of said loan shall be payable and paid at the expiration of thirty years from the date of the same and not before, without the consent of the holders thereof; and the certificates therefor in the

usual form of the certificates of City loan shall be issued in such amounts as the lenders may require, but not for less amounts than fifty dollars, and not for any other fractional part of one hundred dollars, or if required in amounts of five hundred or one thousand dollars; and it shall be expressed in said certificates that the loan therein mentioned and the interest thereof are payable free from all taxes.

SECT. 2. Whenever any loan shall be made by virtue thereof, there shall be by force of this Ordinance annually appropriated out of the income of the corporate estates, and from the sum raised by taxation, a sum sufficient to pay the interest on said certificates; and the further sum of three-tenths of one per centum on the par value of such certificates so issued, shall be appropriated quarterly out of said income and taxes to a sinking fund, which fund and its accumulations are hereby specially pledged for the redemption and payment of said certificates.

RESOLUTION

To publish a loan bill.

Resolved, That the Clerk of Common Council be authorized to publish in two daily newspapers of this City, daily for four weeks, the Ordinance presented to Common Council on Thursday, May 13th, A. D. 1875, entitled "An Ordinance to authorize a loan for police purposes, extinguishment of ground rents, and improvement of the fire telegraph," and that the said Clerk at the stated meeting of Councils after the expiration of four weeks from the first day of said publication, shall present to this Council one of each of said newspapers for every day on which the same shall have been made.

APPENDIX No. 289.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—The Committees on Finance and Centennial Anniversary respectfully report that they have considered "An Ordinance to repeal so much of the proviso

in the second section of the supplement, approved May 16th, 1874, to an Ordinance entitled an Ordinance to make an appropriation in aid of the Centennial Anniversary of American Independence, approved February 22d, 1873, as relates to limiting the amount to be paid monthly or in any one year, and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,
GEO. A. SCHAFER,
H. MARCUS,
JAS. R. GATES,
W. BALDWIN,
R. KLAUDER,
JOHN COCHRAN,

W. W. BURNELL,
S. G. KING,
O. HOWARD WILSON,
JAMES W. ALLEN,
WM. THORNTON,
E. A. SHALLCROSS,
JOHN C. BICKEL.

JNO. L. SHOEMAKER, *Ch'n*,
GEO. WHITE,
JOHN KENNEY,
JOS. L. CAVEN,
GEO. A. SMITH,
W. K. PARK,

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,
EDWD. LYSTER,
JAS. SUBERS,
WM. BRADLY,
N. SPERING,
ROBERT B. SALTER.

G. W. BUMM.

May 13, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To repeal so much of the proviso in the second section of the supplement, approved May 16th, 1874, to an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation in aid of the Centennial Anniversary of American Independence, approved February 22d, 1873, as relates to limiting the amount to be paid monthly or in any one year.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That so much of the proviso in the second section of the supplement, approved May 16th, 1874, to an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation in aid of the Centennial Anniversary of American Independence," approved February 22d, 1873, as limits the amount to be paid upon any monthly statement or amount to be payable on such statements in any one year, be and is hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 290.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition and Ordinance to authorize the grading of Twenty-first street, respectfully report that we have examined and approved the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	CHAS. THOMSON JONES,
WM. McMULLIN,	W. K. PARK,
DANIEL CURRIE,	HENRY GLASS,
GEORGE DORLAN,	DANL. W. GILBERT,
H. MARCUS,	JOHN A. MISKEY,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	JOHN FOX,
AMOS M. SLACK,	M. S. BONSALE,
P. H. KLOHSE,	GEO. A. ENO,
A. ALBRIGHT.	H. McDOWELL.

May 13, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Twenty-first street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade Twenty-first street, from Alleghany avenue to Venango street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, to the established grade of the City, cost not to exceed nine hundred and ninety-seven dollars and twenty-five cents.

APPENDIX No. 291.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition of Geo. W. Souder, for extra compensation for grading, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	DANIEL CURRIE,
GEORGE DORLAN,	WILLIAM McMULLIN,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	HENRY GLASS,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,	JOHN A. MISKEY,
GEO. A. ENO,	A. ALBRIGHT,
W. K. PARK,	H. McDOWELL,
P. H. KLOHSE,	JOHN FOX,
AMOS M. SLACK,	M. S. BONSALE,
H. MARCUS.	

May 13, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

Instructing the Chief Commissioner of Highways to draw a warrant in favor of Geo. W. Souder.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized to draw a warrant for eight hundred dollars, in favor of Geo. W. Souder, for extra compensation for grading on Fifth streets, from Indiana street to Westmorland street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, the amount to be taken from Item 6, in the annual appropriation to the Department of Highways, for the year 1875.

APPENDIX No. 292.

To the Presidents and Members of Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance authorizing the opening of Thompson street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its adoption.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WILLIAM McMULLIN,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	AMOS M. SLACK,
M. S. BONSALE,	GEORGE DORLAN,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	P. H. KLOHSE,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	DANL. CURRIE,
H. MARCUS,	H. McDOWELL,
GEO. A. ENO,	W. K. PARK,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	A. ALBRIGHT,
JOHN FOX,	JOHN A. MISKEY,

HENRY GLASS.

May 13, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Thompson street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Thompson street, from Twenty-second street to Twenty-fourth street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice, said street will be required for public use: *Provided*, The owners of property on the line of said street first dedicate the same to the City.

APPENDIX No. 293.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition and Ordinance to authorize the paving of Twenty-first street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WILLIAM McMULLIN,
AMOS M. SLACK,	M. S. BONSAILL,
GEORGE DORLAN,	P. H. KLOHSE,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	DANL. CURRIE,
H. MARCUS,	W. K. PARK,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	A. ALBRIGHT,
JOHN FOX,	JOHN A. MISKEY,
HENRY GLASS.	

May 13, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Twenty-first street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers for the paving of Twenty-first street, from Alleghany avenue to Venango street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, with rubble pavement; cost of intersections not to exceed thirty-two hundred and ninety-two dollars and fifty cents. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said street, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said street in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 294.

To the Presidents and Members of Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition and Ordinance to authorize the paving of Alleghany avenue, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	AMOS M. SLACK,
M. S. BONSTALL,	GEORGE DORLAN,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	P. H. KLOHSE,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	DANIEL CURRIE,
H. MARCUS,	H. McDOWELL,
W. K. PARK,	JOHN FOX,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	JOHN A. MISKEY,
A. ALBRIGHT,	HENRY GLASS.

May 13, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Alleghany avenue, in the Twenty-fifth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers, for the paving of Alleghany avenue, from Richmond street to Delaware avenue, in the Twenty-fifth Ward with rubble pavement, without the water pipe being first laid, cost of intersections not to exceed seventeen hundred and sixty dollars : *Provided*, That Messrs. Baeder, Adamson & Co. pave said street from Bath street to Delaware avenue, at a width of twenty-four feet, including intersections without cost to the City. The conditions of said contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said street, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said street in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 295.

To the Presidents and Members of Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petitions and Ordinances to authorize the paving of Waldron and Monument (late Widener streets, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	AMOS M. SLACK,
M. S. BONSALE,	GEORGE DORLAN,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	P. H. KLOHSE,
D. W. GILBERT,	DANL. CURRIE,
H. MARCUS,	GEO. A. ENO,
W. K. PARK,	A. ALBRIGHT,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	JOHN FOX,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	HENRY GLASS.

May 13, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Waldron and Monument (late Widener) streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers for the paving of the following streets, viz.: Waldron street, from Twenty-seventh street to Twenty-eighth street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, with rubble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed thirty dollars; Monument street (late Widener) street, from Nineteenth street to Uber street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, with Belgian pavement, no cost for intersections. The conditions of which contract shall be, that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said streets, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said streets in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 296.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Fire Department respectfully report that they have considered a communication from the Board of Commissioners of the Fire Department, recommending the purchase of a lot of ground situate on Main street, above Green lane, Manayunk, belonging to Leander M. Jones, and submit the annexed Ordinance to authorize the purchase, and recommend its passage.

GEORGE DORLAN, *Ch'n*,
WM. WRIGHT,
JOHN Siner,
WM. M. GARWOOD,
M. S. BONSALE,
FERD. DOEBLEY,

JOHN F. GLENN,
DAVID MOUAT,
E. H. HAYHURST,
AMOS M. SLACK,
ALBERT H. LADNER,
N. SPERING,

G. A. SMITH.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the purchase of a lot of ground on Main street, above Green lane, Manayunk, for fire purposes, and to make an appropriation therefor.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Solicitor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to examine the title to all that certain lot or piece of ground, situate on the northeasterly side of Main street, in Manayunk, Twenty-first Ward, twenty-five feet eastwardly from the northeast corner of said Main and Centre streets, containing in front or breadth fifty feet, and extending of that width North-eastwardly sixty feet on northwest line, and on south-east line seventy feet to the Philadelphia, Germantown and Norristown Railroad, belonging to Leander M. Jones, and if he approve of the same, to cause a conveyance of said lot of ground to be made to the City of Philadelphia, in fee, for the consideration price or sum of five thousand five hundred (5,500) dollars.

SECT. 2. That the sum of five thousand five hundred (5,500) dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated to

the Board of Commissioners of the Fire Department, to be taken from the loan approved October 26th, 1872, to pay for the said lot of ground. Warrants shall be drawn by the Board of Commissioners of the Fire Department in conformity with existing Ordinances.

APPENDIX No. 297.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Gas Works, would respectfully report that we have examined the securities in the Sinking Funds in the hands of the Trustees of the Philadelphia Gas Works, for the redemption of Gas Loan No. 9, and the stock of the following Gas Companies, viz. : Southwark and Moyamensing, Germantown, Manayunk and Richmond, and found them correct, as reported by the Board of Trustees, in their annual report to Councils, for the year ending December 31st, 1874.

GEORGE E. HALL, *Ch'n*,

WM. THORNTON,

WM. W. BURNELL,

GEORGE WHITE,

ALEXANDER RUSSELL,

CHAS. THOMSON JONES,

C. ERNEST KAMERLY,

G. W. BUMM,

May 8, 1875.

HENRY GLASS,

O. HOWARD WILSON,

NICHOLAS A. SUTTON,

JOHN L. SHOEMAKER,

A. H. McADAM,

H. MARCUS,

N. SPERING,

WM. BRADLY.

Sinking Fund for Loan No. 9.

Gas Loan No. 9.

Certificate No.	254.....	\$142,000 00
"	767.....	5,700 00
"	770.....	400 00
"	786.....	16,000 00
"	813.....	3,200 00
"	836.....	4,000 00
"	838.....	2,600 00
"	843.....	1,000 00
"	861.....	2,000 00
"	1163.....	1,100 00
"	1311.....	200 00
"	1336.....	400 00
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		\$178,600 00

<i>Gas Loan No. 10.</i>		
Certificate No.	1.....	\$54,100 00
"	41.....	400 00
"	162.....	54,300 00
"	179.....	59,900 00
"	369.....	1,300 00
"	387.....	1,700 00
		<hr/> \$171,700 00

<i>Gas Loan No. 11.</i>		
Certificate No.	24.....	\$151,200 00
"	254.....	47,400 00
"	304.....	1,500 00
"	305.....	1,000 00
"	396.....	1,000 00
		<hr/> 202,100 00

<i>Gas Loan No. 12.</i>		
Certificate No.	1.....	\$44,700 00
"	2.....	55,700 00
"	4.....	1,900 00
"	23.....	66,400 00
"	84.....	10,000 00
"	85.....	10,000 00
"	125.....	17,400 00
"	127.....	55,400 00
"	134.....	1,500 00
"	135.....	15,400 00
"	143.....	42,700 00
"	148.....	56,700 00
"	185.....	59,400 00
"	240.....	35,800 00
		<hr/> 473,000 00

<i>Gas Loan No. 15.</i>		
Certificate No.	8.....	\$20,000 00
"	9.....	7,000 00
"	13.....	56,000 00
"	16.....	9,000 00
"	23.....	9,000 00
"	34.....	20,000 00
"	230.....	10,000 00
"	167.....	10,000 00
"	242.....	10,000 00
"	402.....	700 00
"	5470.....	100 00
"	80.....	20,000 00
"	81.....	20,000 00
"	121.....	900 00
"	42.....	20,000 00
		<hr/> 91,700 00

Total \$1,238,100 00

*Southwark and Moyamensing Gas Company.**City 6 per cent.*

No. 32270	\$3,500 00	
" 32271	4,100 00	
" 32272	2,500 00	
" 32273	4,400 00	
" 32306	2,000 00	
	<hr/>	\$16,500 00

Gas Loan No. 13.

No. 73	\$1,000 00	
" 87	3,000 00	
	<hr/>	4,000 00

Gas Loan No. 14.

No. 101	\$4,000 00	
" 406	2,000 00	
" 613	1,900 00	
	<hr/>	7,900 00

Gas Loan No. 15.

No. 14	\$2,000 00	
" 61	900 00	
" 304	2,500 00	
" 1364	1,000 00	
" 1406	2,000 00	
" 7523	100 00	
	<hr/>	8,500 00
Total Loans		\$36,900 00

Stocks.

No. 345. 712 shares	\$7,120 00	
" 355. 76 "	760 00	
" 362. 246 "	2,460 00	
" 371. 34 "	340 00	
" 372. 60 "	600 00	
" 388. 300 "	3,000 00	
	<hr/>	\$14,280 00
Total.....1428 shares of stock		\$14,280 00

Germantown Gas Company.

City 6 per cent.

No. 32274.....	\$3,900 00	
" 32277.....	300 00	
" 32278.....	5,000 00	
" 32279.....	1,500 00	
	<hr/>	\$10,700 00

Gas Loan No. 13.

No. 8.....	\$2,900 00	
" 74.....	700 00	
	<hr/>	3,600 00

Gas Loan No. 14.

No. 102.....	\$2,300 00	
" 407.....	1,000 00	
" 614.....	1,600 00	
	<hr/>	4,900 00

Gas Loan No. 15.

No. 15.....	\$900 00	
" 122.....	900 00	
" 411.....	600 00	
" 606.....	500 00	
" 1722.....	1,000 00	
" 8667.....	1,000 00	
	<hr/>	4,900 00

Total Loans.....		\$24,100 00
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Stocks.

No. 285. 138 shares.....	\$6,900 00	
" 292. 27 ".....	1,350 00	
" 306. 24 ".....	1,200 00	
" 309. 8 ".....	150 00	
" 312. 12 ".....	600 00	
" 316. 9 ".....	450 00	
" 320. 2 ".....	100 00	
" 324. 15 ".....	750 00	
" 325. 24 ".....	1,200 00	
" 330. 4 ".....	200 00	
" 331. 36 ".....	1,800 00	
	<hr/>	\$14,700 00
Total..... 294 shares of stock.....		\$14,700 00

*Manayunk Gas Company.**City 6 per cent.*

No. 32,275	\$9,000 00	\$9,000 00
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Gas Loan No. 13.

No. 9	\$2,100 00	
" 75	900 00	3,000 00

Gas Loan No. 14.

No. 103	\$2,400 00	
" 105	100 00	
" 408	1,000 00	
" 615	400 00	3,900 00

Gas Loan No. 15.

No. 16	\$1,500 00	
" 65	1,500 00	
" 88	1,500 00	
" 441	700 00	
" 607	500 00	
" 1,365	1,000 00	
" 8,668	1,000 00	7,700 00

Total loans.....	\$23,600 00
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Stocks.

No. 194. 90 Shares	\$4,500 00	
" 195. 45 "	2,250 00	
" 198. 17 "	850 00	
" 201. 7 "	350 00	
" 206. 19 "	950 00	\$8,900 00

Total, 178 shares of stock.....	\$8,900 00
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*Richmond Gas Company.**City 6 per cent.*

No. 32,276	\$2,700 00	\$2,700 00
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Gas Loan No. 13.

No.	10.....	\$700 00	
"	76.....	200 00	
		<u> </u>	\$900 00

Gas Loan No. 14.

No.	106.	\$500 00	
"	616.	200 00	
			<hr/>	700 00

Gas Loan No. 15.

No.	17	\$100 00
"	699	300 00
"	1,919	300 00
"	2,029	300 00
"	2,009	400 00
		<u>\$1,400 00</u>

Total Loans.....	\$5,700 00
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Stocks.

No.	89.	60	Shares	\$600 00
"	93.	2	"	20 00
"	98.	1	"	10 00
"	99.	15	"	150 00
"	101.	25	"	250 00
"	107.	25	"	250 00
				<hr/>	\$1,280 00

Total, 128 shares of stock.....	\$1,280 00
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Recapitulation.

Loan No. 9.....	\$1,238,100 00
Southwark and Moyamensing Gas Company, Loan.....	36,900 00
" " " " Stock	14,280 00
Germantown Gas Company, Loan.....	24,100 00
" " " " Stock	14,700 00
Manayunk Gas Company, Loans.....	23,600 00
" " " " Stock	8,900 00
Richmond Gas Company, Loan.....	5,700 00
" " " " Stock	1,280 00
	\$1,367,560 00

APPENDIX No. 298.

To the Honorable the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

As I am unable to obtain the payment of the moneys due me for work done upon the East Park Reservoir, without resorting to suit against the City, I prefer rescinding my contract rather than to be compelled to adopt such measures.

I therefore apply to you for this purpose, hereby agreeing to surrender up my contract, and have the same cancelled by mutual consent. In the hope that you will adopt such a course as will lead to this result.

I am very truly,

May 20, 1875.

E. S. McGLUE.

APPENDIX No. 299.

RESOLUTION

To authorize the appointment of a Joint Special Committee to consider the propriety of and what measures are advisable for the consolidation of the Almshouse with the House of Correction.

Resolved by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That a Joint and Special Committee of five from each Chamber be appointed for the purpose of considering the propriety of and ascertain what measures are necessary for the consolidation of the Almshouse with the House of Correction.

APPENDIX No. 300.

RESOLUTION

Instructing the Chief Engineer and Surveyor to prepare plans and estimates for footwalks on the lower chords of the Girard Avenue Bridge.

Resolved by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Chief Engineer and Surveyor of the City, be and is hereby instructed and directed to prepare plans and estimate of the cost of constructing footwalks on the lower chords of Girard Avenue Bridge; and also to report the amount of balance unexpended of the appropriation made for the construction of said Girard Avenue Bridge.

APPENDIX No. 301.

Condition of the appropriation to the Department of Highways to May 7th, 1875.

Items.	Appropriat'n	Expended.	Balance.
1 Officers' salaries.....	\$34,300 00	\$9,441 31	\$2,4858 69
2 Paving intersections.....	75,000 00	15,429 90	59,570 10
3 Repairing streets.....	155,000 00	23,273 87	131,726 13
4 Repaving and tramwaying streets.....	7,500 00	1,199 13	6,300 87
5 Repairing roads and unpaved streets.....	80,000 00	9,152 51	70,847 49
6 Grading streets and roads.....	175,000 00	73,906 53	101,093 47
7 Repairing and rebuilding bridges.....	35,000 00	1,177 46	33,822 54
8 Repairs to sewers and inlets.....	35,000 00	35,000 00	None.
9 Printing, advertising and stationery.....	5,500 00	1,034 55	4,465 45
10 Insurance on bridges.....	2,500 00	600 00	1,900 00
11 Office and yard expenses.....	10,000 00	1,681 73	8,318 27
12 Incidental expenses.....	2,500 00	1,249 00	1,251 00
13 Index boards.....	500 00	23 40	476 60
14 Repairs along railway tracks.....	3,000 00	None.	3,000 00
15 Salaries of bridge watchmen.....	10,020 00	3,379 92	6,640 08
16 Grading, curbing and repaving footways.....	4,000 00	None.	4,000 00
17 Repairs to meadow banks.....	1,100 00	"	1,100 00
18 Tramwaying, gutter and crossing stone.....	35,000 00	4,530 34	30,469 66
19 Completing sewer at Chestnut and Meadow streets.....	5,600 00	4,962 46	637 54
20 Constructing branch sewers.....	30,000 00	337 20	29,662 80
21 Constructing new inlets.....	35,000 00	3,104 00	31,896 00
22 Completing Tacony State road.....	15,000 00	7,200 00	7,800 00
23 Completing grading of Fifth street.....	7,000 00	2,167 14	4,832 86
24 Repairing Mill creek culvert, south of Baltimore avenue.....	15,000 00	4,394 06	10,605 94
25 Completing improvement of South Broad street.....	3,500 00	None.	3,500 00
26 Completing culvert on Market street, at Mill creek.....	6,960 00	6,916 94	43 06
27 Constructing culvert at Mill creek and Woodland avenue.....	12,000 00	12 00	11,988 00
28 Constructing culvert on Chestnut street, at Forty-fourth street.....	3,900 00	None.	3,000 00
29 Constructing culvert at Forty-eighth and Oregon streets.....	10,000 00	"	10,000 00
30 Opening, grading, &c., State road, in Twenty-fourth Ward.....	9,500 00	130 02	9,369 98
31 Grading over Mantua creek culvert.....	5,000 00	5,000 00	None.
32 Bridging and culverting Cobb's creek.....	21,000 00	None.	21,000 00
33 Repairing Broad street, north of Columbia avenue.....	10,000 00	"	10,000 00
34 Removing curb and paving stone on Twenty-sixth street.....	2,500 00	"	2,500 00
35 Building retaining wall on Main street (Manayunk).....	2,500 00	"	2,500 00
36 Repaving Perkiomen turnpike.....	25,000 00	"	25,000 00
37 " " Broad street, northward.....	80,000 00	11,374 04	68,625 96
" " " Broad street, southward.....	10,000 00	606 83	9,393 17
" " " Market street.....	30,000 00	4,692 50	25,307 50
" " " Chestnut street.....	15,000 00	7,644 36	7,355 64
" " " Dock street.....	10,000 00	None.	10,000 00
38 Paving west approach to South Street Bridge.....	8,850 00	"	8,850 00
39 Opening, grading, &c., Bryn Mawr State Road.....	4,131 82	4,130 75	1 07

M. M. COPPUCK,
Chief Clerk Department of Highways.

APPENDIX No. 302.

DEPARTMENT FOR SUPPLYING THE CITY WITH WATER,
PHILADELPHIA, *May 28, 1875.*

To the President and Members
of Common Council:

GENTLEMEN:—The importance of immediate provision being made by your honorable body, to enable this department to meet the increasing demands made upon it, compels me to again call your attention thereto, and to suggest a remedy therefor. For two years I have left nothing undone to impress you with the true situation. During the coming summer we will be taxed to our utmost to keep up the supply in the various sections of the City, and we cannot in our present condition provide for the extraordinary demands of the Centennial year. The present necessities require and demand prompt and decisive action, that provisions may be immediately made for an increase of pumping machinery and storage facilities. Even should it be determined by any scheme that the experts may report upon, to obtain a supply by other means, provisions must be made to meet the demand until such time, as such scheme could be successfully in operation. And, by the time the experts are organized and enabled to report, the time may be too short to prepare for the Centennial year. An appropriation has been made for an engine, at the Schuylkill Works to supply storage reservoir, and plans are now ready to have the same constructed, but no appropriation has been made for boilers, boiler house or foundations for the same. An appropriation has also been made for a main to connect the Schuylkill Works with the storage reservoir, and the same has been contracted for, and is now ready to be laid, but no appropriation has been made to conduct the water from the reservoir.

Among the items in the loan for one million six hundred thousand dollars, that has been presented to your body, are items for boilers, boiler house, foundations, &c., at Schuylkill Works, main from storage reservoir to Broad street, and main to connect with main from storage reservoir to Schuylkill Works, so that the same may be continued to

the Fairmount Works. All of which I respectfully ask that you appropriate at an early date, that the work may be proceeded with.

Should the above suggestion be adopted I feel that we can fully meet the requirements of the Centennial year. We will then be enabled to relieve the Belmont Works in a great measure from supplying on this side of the river, and also assist the Corinthian avenue and Delaware reservoirs.

I would also respectfully call your attention to, and ask appropriations for the following purposes. During the severe frosts of last winter, one line of pipes of the Wissahickon aqueduct were frozen; forty-eight lengths of which bursted; these pipes form part of the bridge, in consequence of which the bridge is endangered and should be repaired before next winter. The boilers of the Chestnut Hill Works have been condemned by the boiler inspectors, and are in an unsafe condition; new ones should be provided. The south side of the Roxborough reservoir requires relining, as the ice has destroyed the lining and the banks are endangered.

To meet the above requirements in addition to the loan contemplated will require the following appropriations to wit:

To complete the south division storage reservoir, 50,080 cubic yards of earthwork, @ 80 cents...	\$40,064 00
Lining bottom, sides and top of division embankment, 48.927 square yards, @ 1.20.....	58,712 00
Inlet chamber.....	15,000 00
Outlet " including iron gates.....	20,000 00
Incidentals 5 per cent.....	6,688 00
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	\$140,464 00
Chestnut Hill, boilers, setting and connections...	7,000 00
Repairing Wissahickon aqueduct.....	28,000 00
Relining south division Roxborough reservoir...	4,000 00
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	\$179,464 00

Respectfully yours,

WM. H. McFADDEN,
Chief Engineer of Water Department.

APPENDIX No. 303.

RESOLUTION

To meet in Joint Convention.

Resolved by the Common Council, That Select Council be invited to meet Common Council in Joint Convention in Common Council chamber, on this day the 27th of May, 1875, at four-and-a-half o'clock, P. M. for the purpose of electing eight Port Wardens and two Trustees of the Northern Liberties Gas Works.

APPENDIX No. 304.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered the communication from the Trustees of the City Boats, stating that it would be necessary to furnish City Ice Boat No. 2, with new boilers, and directed said Trustees to advertise for proposals, when they received the following bids, viz. : F. G. Obert and Edward Weicke, \$36,750 ; W. Cramp & Sons Co., \$31,300 ; Neafie & Levy, \$25,500 ; J. P. Morris & Co., \$25,500 ; and Wood, Dialogue & Co, \$24,890. The contract was awarded to Wood, Dialogue & Co., they being the lowest bidders. They submit the annexed Ordinance to authorize certain transfers, approve the award of the contract, and to make an appropriation to pay for said boilers, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,
WM. DIVINE,
JOSEPH L. CAVEN,
WM. BRADLY,
JOHN COCHRAN,
S. G. KING,
H. MARCUS,
JAS. R. GATES,

WM. BALDWIN,
ROBT. B. SALTER,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
W. W. BURNELL,
WM. THORNTON,
GEO. A. SMITH,
O. HOWARD WILSON,
A. L. HODGDON.

May 27, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriation to the Trustees of the City Ice Boats for 1875, to approve the award of the contract for boilers for Ice Boat No. 2, and to make an appropriation to pay for said boilers.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Controller be authorized and directed to make the following transfers in the annual appropriation to the Trustees of the City Ice Boats for 1875, approved December 21st, 1874, viz.: From Item 1, "For repairs to and equipment of boats and machinery," three thousand dollars; from Item 2, "for fuel," seven thousand dollars; from Item 3, "for wages," two thousand dollars; from Item 4, "provisions," three thousand dollars; in all fifteen thousand dollars, to a new item to be called Item 6. For new boilers for City Ice Boat No. 2.

SECT. 2. That the award of the contract for the furnishing of boilers for City Ice Boat No. 2, to Wood, Dialogue & Co., for the sum of twenty-four thousand eight hundred and ninety dollars, be and the same is hereby approved, and that the sum of nine thousand eight hundred and ninety dollars, be and the same is hereby appropriated to new Item 6, mentioned in the first section of this Ordinance, for new boilers for City Ice Boat No. 2.

APPENDIX No. 305.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor to enter security for any damages which may arise from the opening, and taking for public use, of Dauphin street, from Lamb Tavern road to Nineteenth street, Twenty-eighth Ward," and submit the annexed Ordinance to provide for the opening of said street and the en-

tering of security for the payment of the damages, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,
S. G. KING,
W. W. BURNELL,
O. HOWARD WILSON,
WM. BALDWIN,
WM. THORNTON,
H. MARCUS,
JOHN COCHRAN,

WM. DIVINE,
GEO. A. SMITH,
JAS. R. GATES,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
ROBERT B. SALTER,
JOS. L. CAVEN,
A. L. HODGDON,
WM. BRADLY.

May 27, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Dauphin street, from Lamb Tavern road to Nineteenth street, Twenty-eighth Ward, and request the Mayor to enter security for the payment of the damages.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and he is hereby authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Dauphin street, from Lamb Tavern road to Nineteenth street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use; and the Mayor be requested and authorized to enter security in behalf of the City of Philadelphia, in such manner as shall be directed by the Court of Quarter Sessions, for the payment of the damages awarded or which shall be awarded for the opening and taking for public use said street between the points mentioned.

APPENDIX No. 306.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered "An Ordinance to make certain transfers in the appropriations to the Department

for Supplying the City with Water, approved April 17th, 1865, and July 10th, 1865, out of Loan 2, authorized May 5th, 1865; appropriations approved April 3d, 1868, and February 13th, 1869, out of Loan 3, authorized December 26th, 1868; appropriation approved April 7th, 1870, out of Loan 4, authorized March 19th, 1870, and appropriations approved July 7th, 1870, December 5th, 1870 and November 6th, 1871; out of Loan 5, authorized July 8th, 1871," and report the same back and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,
JAS. R. GATES,
GEO. A. SMITH,
O. HOWARD WILSON,
H. MARCUS,
W. BALDWIN,
JOS. L. CAVEN,

WM. THORNTON,
S. G. KING,
W. W. BURNELL,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
WM. DIVINE,
ROBERT B. SALTER,
WM. BRADLY,

JOHN COCHRAN.

May 27, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To make certain transfers in the appropriations to the Department for Supplying the City with Water, approved April 17th, 1865, and July 10th, 1865, out of Loan 2, authorized May 5th, 1865; appropriations approved April 3d, 1868, and February 13th, 1869, out of Loan 3, authorized December 26th, 1868; appropriation approved April 7th, 1870, out of Loan 4, authorized March, 19th, 1870, and appropriations approved July 7th, 1870, December 5th, 1870 and November 6th, 1871, out of Loan 5, authorized July 8th, 1871.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized to make the following transfers of the balances in the appropriations to the Department for Supplying the City Water, approved April 17th, 1865, and July 10th, 1865, out of Water Loan 2, authorized May 5th, 1865.

From appropriation approved April 17th, 1865, entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation for the purpose of making and sinking a crib in front of Fairmount dam, and placing an oak apron upon it," six hundred and forty-three (643) dollars and ninety-eight (98) cents.

From Item 8 of appropriation approved July 10th, 1865,

for Cornish engine, boilers and connections, at Twenty-fourth Ward Works, sixteen (16) dollars and ninety-four (94) cents, in all the sum of six hundred and sixty (660) dollars and ninety-two (92) cents, to a new Item, to be used in case of the bursting of mains or other emergency.

Out of Water Loan 3, approved December 26th, 1868, from appropriation approved April 3d, 1868. Item 1. For purchasing and laying a sixteen inch, twelve inch and ten inch main for Manayunk, three hundred and ninety (390) dollars and sixty-six (66) cents. Item 2. For purchasing and laying a twenty inch main to connect the Roxborough Water Works with the Germantown Water Works, ninety-three (93) cents. Item 3. For purchasing and laying a thirty-six inch ascending main from the Schuylkill Works to Spring Garden Reservoir, one hundred and twelve (112) dollars and sixty-four (64) cents. Item 4. For purchasing and laying a thirty inch ascending and a twenty inch descending main for the Twenty-fourth Ward Works, three hundred and thirty-five (335) dollars and forty (40) cents.

From appropriation approved February 13th, 1869. Item 1. For engine house, foundations, stack, wharf tunnel, coal sheds, &c., at Belmont Works, thirty-two (32) cents. Item 3. For reservoir at Belmont Works, fifty (50) cents. Item 4. For twenty inch main on Lancaster avenue, from Belmont avenue to Fortieth street, four hundred and ninety-three (493) dollars and fifty-eight (58) cents. Item 8. For engine boilers and connections, boiler house, &c., at Schuylkill Works, thirty-five (35) cents. Item 9. For substituting turbine wheels in place of old wheels, Nos. 4 and 5, at Fairmount Works, seven (07) cents, in all the sum of thirteen hundred and thirty-four (1,334) dollars and forty-five (45) cents, to Item 5. For completion of cornish engine boilers and connections, at Roxborough Water Works, of same appropriation.

Out of Water Loan 4, authorized March 19th, 1870, from appropriation approved April 7th, 1870. Item 1. For engine and foundations at Schuylkill Works, in place of old engine No. 3, sixty-seven (67) cents. Item 2. For additional duplex engine at Delaware Works, ninety (90) cents. Item 3. For ascending main for Belmont Works, seventy-two (72) dollars and six (06) cents. Item 4. For

(on account) descending main from the Belmont reservoir, and for crossing the Schuylkill river, one hundred and seventy-five (175) dollars and thirty-four (34) cents. Item 5. For (on account) pumping main from the Delaware Works to the reservoir, six (6) dollars and seventeen (17) cents. Item 6. For pumping main from Schuylkill Works to the reservoir, six thousand two hundred and nine (6,209) dollars and seven (07) cents. Item 7. For substituting turbine wheels in place of old wheels, Nos. 6 and 7, at Fairmount Works, twenty-eight (28) dollars and thirteen (13) cents. Item 8. For (on account) reservoir adjoining present reservoir of Delaware Works, two (2) dollars and ninety-two (92) cents. Item 9. For enlarging the reservoir now building at Belmont Works, ten (10) dollars and twenty-three (23) cents, in all the sum of six thousand five hundred and five (6,505) dollars and forty-nine (49) cents, to Item 10, incidentals of same appropriation, provided the same be used in case of the bursting of mains or other emergency.

Out of Water Loan 5, authorized July 8th, 1871 From appropriation approved July 7th, 1870. Item 2. For new engine and boiler house, eleven (11) dollars and eleven (11) cents. Item 3. For necessary repairs to reservoir, seventeen (17) dollars and eighty-five (85) cents. Item 4. For small engines and stand pipe to supply Germantown, five (5) dollars and twenty-one (21) cents. Item 5. Incidentals, one hundred and fifty-six (156) dollars and thirty-two (32) cents.

From appropriation approved December 5th, 1870, entitled "An Ordinance to lay a water main from Mount Airy reservoir to Wistar street," &c., ten (10) dollars and twenty-eight (28) cents, in all the sum of two hundred (200) dollars and seventy-seven (77) cents, to Item 9, incidentals, of appropriation approved November 6th, 1871, of same Loan.

APPENDIX No. 307.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered An Ordinance to approve the contract and surety of George Nonnamaker for the erection of a school edifice at Pittville, in the Twenty-second Ward, and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,
WM. DIVINE,
JOS. L. CAVEN,
S. G. KING,
H. MARCUS,
A. L. HODGDON,
WM. BRADLY,
JOHN COCHRAN,

WM. BALDWIN,
ROBERT B. SALTER,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
GEO. A. SMITH,
O. HOWARD WILSON,
JAS. R. GATES,
W. W. BURNELL,
WM. THORNTON.

May 27, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To approve the contract and surety of George Nonnamaker, for the erection of a school edifice at Pittville in the Twenty-second Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the contract of George Nonnamaker, for the erection of a public school edifice on Haines street, at Pittville, in the Twenty-second Ward, for the price or sum of five thousand nine hundred and seventy-five dollars, be, and the same is hereby approved; and that Aaron Engle be, and he is hereby approved as the surety of the said contractor, for the faithful performance of the said contract.

APPENDIX No. 308.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that have considered An Ordinance to approve the contract and sureties of George W. Fulmer, for the building of pavilion wards at the Almshouse, and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,

WM. DIVINE,

H. B. LIPPINCOTT,

GEO. A. SMITH,

JAS. R. GATES,

H. MARCUS,

JNO. COCHRAN,

WM. BALDWIN,

ROBERT B. SALTER,

S. G. KING,

O. HOWARD WILSON,

WM. BRADLEY,

W. W. BURNELL,

WM. THORNTON.

May 27, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To approve the contract and sureties of George W. Fulmer, for the building of pavilion wards at the Almshouse.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the contract of George W. Fulmer for the building and erection of six pavilion wards at the Philadelphia Almshouse, for the price or sum of thirty-eight thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars, be, and the same is hereby approved; and that Gustav Sigel and Patrick H. Delaney, be and they are also hereby approved as the sureties of the said George W. Fulmer, for the faithful performance of his said contract.

APPENDIX No. 309.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, respectfully report, that they have considered “An Ordinance provid-

ing for the drawing of warrants to pay the fees of constables, and submit the annexed Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay the fees of the constables of the City of Philadelphia," and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	O. HOWARD WILSON,
WM. THORNTON,	S. G. KING,
WM. BRADLY,	JOS. L. CAVEN,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,	ROBT. B. SALTER,
WM. DIVINE,	GEO. A. SMITH,
JOHN COCHRAN,	H. MARCUS,
W. BALDWIN,	JAS. R. GATES,
W. W. BURNELL,	A. L. HOGDON.

May 27, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation to pay the fees of the constables of the City of Philadelphia.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of one hundred thousand dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the constables fees paid to the City Treasurer, by the respective Police Magistrates, agreeably to the act of February 5th, 1875, for the purpose of paying to each of the constables monthly, the aggregate amount of fees which shall be certified to be due and payable by the magistrate of his court; *Provided*, The same shall not exceed the amount of constables fees actually paid to the City Treasurer; *Provided also*, That the City Commissioners, shall draw no warrant in favor of any constable until furnished with a certificate from the police magistrate of his court, the amount of fees to be due and payable to him, and the Controller shall countersign no warrant until furnished with a certificate from the City Treasurer, that the amount for which the warrant has been drawn has been paid into the treasury by the said Magistrate. And warrants shall be drawn monthly by the City Commissioners for said fees in conformity with existing Ordinances.

SECT. 2. That the constables' fees paid into the City Treasury, in pursuance of act of February 5th, 1875, shall

be kept as a separate fund for the special purposes mentioned in the first section of this Ordinance, and the City Treasurer on or before the tenth day of every month, shall furnish to the City Controller a statement of the amount of constables' fees paid into the City Treasury by the respective Police Magistrates.

APPENDIX No. 310.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, respectfully report, that they have considered "An Ordinance to authorize the Board of Trustees of the Philadelphia Gas Works, to purchase a tract of land in the Twenty-fifth Ward," and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,

H. MARCUS,

S. G. KING,

JAS. R. GATES,

O. HOWARD WILSON,

JNO. COCHRAN,

WM. THORNTON,

ROBT. B. SALTER,

WM. DIVINE,

W. W. BURNELL,

GEO. A. SMITH,

H. B. LIPPINCOTT,

WM. BALDWIN,

A. L. HODGDON,

WM. BRADLY.

May 27, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the Board of Trustees of the Philadelphia Gas Works, to purchase a tract of land in the Twenty-fifth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Council of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Board of Trustees of the Philadelphia Gas Works, be and they are hereby authorized to purchase at the price or sum of three thousand nine hundred dollars per acre, a certain tract of land situate in the Twenty-fifth Ward, of the City of Philadelphia, and described as follows, to wit: commencing at the northwest corner of Tioga and Brabant streets; thence northeastwardly along the west line of said Brabant street, five hundred and forty-two feet five inches, to a point near

the middle of Kensington street; thence southeastwardly crossing Brabant, Myrtle, Casper, Cooke, and Carbon streets and Delaware avenue, two thousand two hundred and forty-five feet three and three-eighths inches to low water mark in the river Delaware; thence southwestwardly along said low water mark, about four hundred and fifteen feet, to the northerly side of Tioga street; thence northwestwardly along the same, and recrossing the said streets, one thousand nine hundred and ninety-six feet three and three-eighths inches to the place of beginning. The above described tract of land containing about twenty-one acres.

APPENDIX No. 311.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance to pay for damages from the opening of Ford street; also, an Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay damages caused by the opening of Montgomery avenue, from Fourth street to Germantown avenue, and submit the annexed Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay said damages, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. BALDWIN,
WM. DIVINE,	ROBT. B. SALTER,
JOS. L. CAVEN,	H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
S. G. KING,	GEO. A. SMITH,
O. HOWARD WILSON,	A. L. HODGDON,
H. MARCUS,	JAS. R. GATES,
WM. BRADLY,	W. W. BURNELL,
JNO. COCHRAN,	WM. THORNTON.

May 27, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation to pay damages caused by the opening of Ford street and Montgomery avenue.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Council of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of twelve thou-

sand five hundred and eighty-three dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated out of Item 19, in an Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Law Department for the year 1875, approved December 28th, 1874, to pay the following awards of damages, viz.: To Robert W. Ritchie, one thousand dollars for the opening of Ford street; to Charles Magee, twenty-five hundred dollars; to Charles O. Schmidt, eight hundred dollars; to Fenner's Estate, five thousand seven hundred and thirty-three dollars; to George W. Thorn, five hundred dollars; to McAlpin's Estate, eighteen hundred dollars; to Benjamin Sullatt, two hundred and fifty dollars for the opening of Montgomery avenue, from Fourth street to Germantown avenue, as confirmed by the Court of Quarter Sessions, February 8th, 1875. And warrants shall be drawn by the City Solicitor in favor of the above parties or their attorneys of record in conformity with the existing Ordinances.

APPENDIX No. 312.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance to enter satisfaction on the official bond of William H. McFadden, Chief Engineer of the Water Department, and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,
WM. DIVINE,
JOS. L. CAVEN,
S. G. KING,
O. HOWARD WILSON,
H. MARCUS,
WM. BRADLY,
JOHN COCHRAN,

WM. BALDWIN,
ROBERT B. SALTER,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
GEO. A. SMITH,
A. L. HODGDON,
JAS. R. GATES,
W. W. BURNELL,
WM. THORNTON.

May 27, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To enter satisfaction on the official bond of William H. McFadden, Chief Engineer of the Water Department.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Solicitor be authorized and directed to enter satisfaction on the official bond of William H. McFadden, Chief Engineer of the Water Department for the term ending March 1st, 1875: *Provided*, The City Controller shall certify that his accounts are settled and there is no default.

APPENDIX No. 313.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report, that they have considered a communication from the Controller relative to contract for blank warrants for the use of the departments; also an Ordinance authorizing a contract to be made for the printing of City warrants, and submit the annexed Ordinance to approve the contract and surety of William F. Murphy's Sons, for furnishing City warrants and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,

H. MARCUS,

S. G. KING,

JAS. R. GATES,

O. HOWARD WILSON,

A. L. HODGDON,

WM. THORNTON,

WM. DIVINE,

May 27, 1875.

JOS. L. CAVEN,

ROBT. B. SALTER,

W. W. BURNELL,

GEO. A. SMITH,

H. B. LIPPINCOTT,

W. BALDWIN,

JOHN COCHRAN,

WM. BRADLY.

AN ORDINANCE

To approve the contract and surety of William F. Murphy's Sons for furnishing blank warrants.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the contract of Charles S.

Murphy, Henry F. Murphy and Francis W. Murphy, trading as William F. Murphy's Sons with the City of Philadelphia for the furnishing of blank warrants be and the same is hereby approved, and Lafayette Horter is also hereby approved as surety of the said William F. Murphy's Sons, in the sum of ten thousand dollars, for the faithful performance of the said contract; and the City Solicitor is hereby directed to prepare the proper bond and warrant of attorney for said parties to execute, and to cause judgment to be entered thereon, and further to file agreements of record that the lien of the judgment against Lafayette Horter shall only operate on and against premises numbered 529, 531, 533, 535 and 537 North Thirty-fourth street; and the lien of the judgment against Charles S. Murphy shall only operate on and against premises numbered 341 Chestnut street: *Provided*, That the said William F. Murphy's Sons give a bond of indemnity in the sum of one hundred thousand dollars against furnishing any of the paper or impressions of the Bank Note Company of said warrants to any other than the City of Philadelphia.

APPENDIX No. 314.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered an Ordinance to make an appropriation for meals for jurors, and report the same back and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,
H. MARCUS,
S. G. KING,
JAS. R. GATES,
O. HOWARD WILSON,
WM. BRADLY,
WM. THORNTON,
ROBT. B. SALTER,

WM. DIVINE,
JOHN COCHRAN,
W. W. BURNELL,
GEO. A. SMITH,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
W. BALDWIN,
A. L. HODGDON,
JOS. L. CAVEN.

May 27, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation for meals for jurors.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of one thousand (1,000) dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated to Item 8, in "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of City Commissioners for the expenses of the year 1875," approved December 31st, 1874, for meals for jurors.

APPENDIX No. 315.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petitions and Ordinances to authorize the paving of Victoria, Belgrade, Winton and Cantrell streets, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
GEORGE DORLAN,	AMOS M. SLACK,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	JOHN MONROE,
DANL. CURRIE,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
W. K. PARK,	HENRY MARCUS,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,	A. ALBRIGHT,
JOHN FOX,	JOHN A. MISKEY,

HENRY GLASS.

May 20, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Victoria, Belgrade, Winton and Cantrell streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers, for the paving of the following streets, viz.: Victoria street,

from Lambert street to Myrtle street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, with cobble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed two hundred and sixty-seven dollars and fifty cents; Belgrade street, from Tioga street to Venango street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, with rubble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed two hundred and fifty-five dollars; Winton street, from Sixth street to Seventh street, in the First Ward, with cobble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed forty-six dollars and sixty-seven cents; Cantrell street, from Sixth street to Seventh street, in the First Ward, with cobble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed forty-six dollars and sixty-seven cents. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said streets; and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said streets in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 316.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petitions and Ordinances to authorize the paving of Parrish, Twenty-seventh and Bate-man streets, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
M. S. BONSALE,	AMOS M. SLACK,
SAML. A. MILLER,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
H. MARCUS,	W. K. PARK,
JOHN MONROE,	JOHN FOX,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	P. H. KLOHSE,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	HENRY GLASS.

May 27, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Parrish, Twenty-seventh and Bateman streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers, for the paving of the following streets, viz.: Parrish street, from Taney street to Twenty-eighth street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, with rubble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed six hundred and fifty-two dollars and fifty cents; Twenty-seventh street, from Pennsylvania avenue to Brown street, in the Fifteenth Ward, with rubble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed eight hundred and ninety-four dollars; Bateman street, from Wharton street to Reed street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, with cobble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed one hundred and fifty-five dollars. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said streets; and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said streets in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 317.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition and Ordinance to authorize the paving of Thirty-ninth street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, *Ch'n*,

JOHN A. MISKEY,

FERD. DOEBLEY,

AMOS M. SLACK,

DANIEL CURRIE,

H. MARCUS,

CHARLES THOMSON JONES,

May 27, 1875.

WM. McMULLIN,

HENRY GLASS,

P. H. KLOHSE,

M. S. BONSALE,

SAML. A. MILLER,

W. K. PARK,

JOHN MONROE.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Thirty-ninth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers, for the paving of Thirty-ninth street, from Mantua avenue to Grape street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, with rubble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed two thousand and thirty-two dollars and fifty cents. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said street, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said street in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 318.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition and Ordinance to authorize the paving of Cambria street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, *Ch'n*,

JOHN A. MISKEY,

FERD. DOEBLEY,

AMOS M. SLACK,

H. MARCUS,

CHAS. THOMSON JONES,

GEORGE DORLAN.

WM. McMULLIN,

HENRY GLASS,

P. H. KLOHSE,

M. S. BONSALE,

W. K. PARK,

JOHN MONROE,

May 27, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Cambria street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers, for the paving of Cambria street, from Front street to Fifth street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, with rubble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed four thousand nine hundred and ninety-six dollars and fifty cents. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said street, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said street in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 319.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petitions and Ordinances to authorize the grading of Queen and Cambria streets, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WILLIAM McMULLIN,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	P. H. KLOHSE,
AMOS M. SLACK,	M. S. BONSALE,
H. MARCUS,	W. K. PARK,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	JOHN MONROE,
A. ALBRIGHT,	JOHN FOX,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	HENRY GLASS.

May 27, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Queen and Cambria streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade the following streets to the established grade of the city, viz.: Queen street, from Pulaski avenue to Laurens street, in the Twenty-second Ward, cost not to exceed three hundred and twenty-four dollars; Cambria street, from Front street to Fifth street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, cost not to exceed six hundred and thirty-six dollars and twenty-five cents.

APPENDIX No. 320.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petitions and Ordinance to authorize the grading of Winton, Waln, Hamberger and Jackson streets, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WILLIAM McMULLIN,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	P. H. KLOHSE,
AMOS M. SLACK,	M. S. BONSAILL,
DANIEL CURRIE,	SAML. A. MILLER,
H. MARCUS,	W. K. PARK,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,	JOHN MONROE,
A. ALBRIGHT,	JOHN FOX,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	HENRY GLASS.

May 20, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Winton, Waln, Hamberger and Jackson streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*; That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade the following streets to the established grade of the City, viz.: Winton street, from Sixth street to Seventh street, in the First Ward, cost not to exceed two hundred and twenty-two dollars and seventy-five cents; Waln street, from Reed street to Dickinson street, in the First Ward, cost not to exceed three hundred and three dollars and fifty cents; Hamberger street, from Berks street to Norris street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, cost not to exceed three hundred and seventeen dollars; Jackson street, from Sixth street to Seventh street, in the First Ward, cost not to exceed three hundred and seventy dollars and fifty cents.

 APPENDIX No. 321.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select
and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways to whom was referred the petition and Ordinance to authorize the grading of Parrish street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, *Ch'n*,

AMOS M. SLACK,

SAML. A. MILLER,

CHAS. THOMSON JONES,

JOHN MONROE,

JOHN A. MISKEY,

W. K. PARK,

P. H. KLOHSE,

FERD. DOEBLEY,

DANL. CURRIE,

H. MARCUS,

A. ALBRIGHT,

JOHN FOX,

HENRY GLASS,

WILLIAM McMULLIN,

M. S. BONSALE.

May 27, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Parrish street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and he is hereby authorized and directed to grade Parrish street, from Taney street to Twenty-eighth street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, to the established grade of the City, cost not to exceed two thousand one hundred and thirty-seven dollars.

APPENDIX No. 322.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select
and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways to whom was referred the resolution relative to vacating Sedgely avenue, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed resolution, and ask its adoption.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	HENRY GLASS,
WILLIAM McMULLIN,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
H. MARCUS,	W. K. PARK,
P. H. KLOHSE,	JOHN A. MISKEY,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	A. ALBRIGHT,
DANL. CURRIE,	AMOS M. SLACK,
JOHN MONROE,	S. A. MILLER,
M. S. BONSTALL.	

May 27, 1875.

RESOLUTION

Of instruction to the Survey Department.

Resolved by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Department of Surveys be and is hereby authorized and directed to revise the plans of that part of the City where Sedgely and Glenwood avenues

are located, in order that the said avenues may be stricken from the plans of the City, and also that the said department revise the lines of that part of the City where Mantua avenue is located, in order that the said Mantua avenue be changed from its present position.

APPENDIX No. 323.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance to authorize the opening of Gowen street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	AMOS M. SLACK,
P. H. KLOHSE,	W. K. PARK,
DANIEL CURRIE,	M. S. BONSALE,
H. MARCUS,	SAML. A. MILLER,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	HENRY GLASS,
JOHN MONROE,	A. ALBRIGHT,

CHAS. THOMSON JONES.

May 27, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Gowen street, in the Twenty-second Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Gowen street, from Germantown avenue to Stenton avenue, in the Twenty-second Ward, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice, said street will be required for public use.

APPENDIX No. 324.

To the Presidents and Members of Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinances authorizing the tramwaying of Miller, Mott, Prospect, Hope and Pollard streets, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	AMOS M. SLACK,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	S. A. MILLER,
DANIEL CURRIE,	GEORGE DORLAN,
H. MARCUS,	JOHN MONROE,
W. K. PARK,	JOHN FOX,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	HENRY GLASS,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES.	

May 20, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the tramwaying of Miller, Mott, Prospect, Hope and Pollard streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Council of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to repave the following streets with tramway stone, in the tracks of the wheels, and if the cartways of said streets are wider than is necessary for a single track, to reduce them to the proper width by taking an equal quantity from each side, viz.: Miller street, from Washington avenue to Barnett street, in the Second Ward; Mott street, from Thirtieth street westwardly, in the Second Ward; Prospect street, from Thompson street to Jefferson street, in the Twentieth Ward; Hope street, from Otter street to Master street, in the Sixteenth and Seventeenth Wards; Pollard street, from Canal street to Germantown avenue, in the Sixteenth Ward.

APPENDIX No. 325.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition and ordinance to authorize the grading of Twenty-seventh street, respectfully report, that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, *Ch'n*,

JOHN A. MISKEY,

FERD. DOEBLEY,

AMOS M. SLACK,

DANL. CURRIE,

H. MARCUS,

CHAS. THOMSON JONES,

WILLIAM McMULLIN,

JOHN FOX,

HENRY GLASS,

P. H. KLOHSE,

M. S. BONSALE,

SAML. A. MILLER,

W. K. PARK,

JOHN MONROE,

A. ALBRIGHT.

May 27, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Twenty-seventh street in the Fifteenth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Council of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade Twenty-seventh street, from Pennsylvania avenue to Brown street, in the Fifteenth Ward, to the established grade of the city, cost not to exceed three thousand two hundred and eighteen dollars and seventy-five cents.

APPENDIX No. 326.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways to whom was referred the Ordinance to authorize the opening of Manayunk avenue, respectfully report that we have ex-

amined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
GEORGE DORLAN,	AMOS M. SLACK,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	DANIEL CURRIE,
H. MARCUS,	SAML. A. MILLER,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	JOHN MONROE,
JOHN FOX,	JOHN A. MISKEY,
HENRY GLASS,	W. K. PARK,
JOHN BARDSLEY.	

May 20, 1875

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Manayunk avenue, in the Twenty-first Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Manayunk avenue, from Green lane to Riley street, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice, said street will be required for public use: *Provided*, The owners of property in the vicinity of said street first file a satisfactory bond with the City Solicitor, indemnifying the City against any damages for the opening of said street.

APPENDIX No. 327.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways to whom was referred the petitions and Ordinance to authorize the paving of McMurray, Neff, Agate, Memphis, Tulip, Gaul, and Chatham streets, respectfully report that we have

examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
GEORGE DORLAN,	JOHN BARDSLEY,
M. S. BONSALE,	H. MARCUS,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	W. K. PARK,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	HENRY GLASS,
JOHN MONROE,	AMOS M. SLACK,
WM. McMULLIN.	

May 20, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of McMurray, Neff, Agate, Memphis, Tulip, Gaul, and Chatham streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers for the paving of the following streets in the Twenty-fifth Ward, viz.: McMurray street, from Wellington street to Westmoreland street, no cost for intersections; Neff street, from Belgrade street to Gaul street, no cost for intersections; Agate street, from Clearfield street to Alleghany avenue, no cost for intersections; Memphis street, from Clearfield street to Alleghany avenue, no cost for intersections; Tulip street, from Clearfield street to Alleghany avenue, no cost for intersections; Gaul street, from Freemont street to the Reading Railroad with rubble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed one hundred and twelve dollars and fifty cents; Chatham street, from Somerset street to Williams street, with cobble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed thirty-five dollars. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said street, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said street in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 328.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance supplementary to an Ordinance constituting the Department of Highways, Bridges and Sewers, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WILLIAM McMULLIN,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	P. H. KLOHSE,
AMOS M. SLACK,	M. S. BONSALE,
DANIEL CURRIE,	SAML. A. MILLER,
H. MARCUS,	W. K. PARK,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	JOHN MONROE,
A. ALBRIGHT,	JOHN FOX,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	HENRY GLASS.

May 20, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

Supplementary to an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance constituting the Department of Highways, Bridges and Sewers," approved December 23d, 1874.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That there be appointed four additional street Superintendents in the Department of Highways, as follows: one for the First District; one for the Second District; one for the Third District; and one for the Fourth District; the salaries of said Superintendents to be the same as those already appointed.

APPENDIX No. 329.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance to authorize the location of a City yard in the Twenty-sixth Ward, respectfully re-

port that they have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its adoption.

W ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WILLIAM McMULLIN,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	P. H. KLOHSE,
AMOS M. SLACK,	M. S. BONSALE,
DANIEL CURRIE,	SAML. A. MILLER,
H. MARCUS,	W. K. PARK,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	JOHN MONROE,
A. ALBRIGHT,	JOHN FOX,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	HENRY GLASS.

May 27, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the location of a City yard in the Twenty-sixth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enclose so much of the lot of ground adjoining and west of the County Prison, known as the parade ground as may be required by the Departments of Highways and Water, for the storage of materials, &c., for the use of said departments.

APPENDIX No. 330.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—Your Committee on Surveys and Regulations, to whom was referred the accompanying applications for sewers, report that they have all been examined and approved by the Board of Surveyors, from whose reports we find that their aggregate length is 6726 feet, to be built at a cost to the property owners upon the lines thereof of \$15,696, and to the City of about \$3240. We herewith

submit an ordinance for their construction, and respectfully ask its adoption.

WM. THORNTON, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	JOSEPH H. TATEM
B. F. BONHAM,	GEORGE E. HALL,
A. H. MCADAM,	ROBT. H. COOPER,
S. C. COLLINS,	ROBERT H. CLIFFORD,
JOHN FOX,	JAS. R. GATES,
HENRY GLASS,	GEO. A. ENO,

JOS. J. MARTIN.

May 19, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the construction of sewers on Twenty-first, Norris, Garnet, Diamond, Third, Weaver, St. John, Wharton, Fourth, Hancock, Harriet, Comptroller, Marriott, Branch, and Spruce streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Council of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Highways be and is hereby authorized to construct the following sewers, viz.: On Twenty-first street, from Berks street to seventy-five feet south of Norris street; on Norris street, from Twenty first to Twenty-second street; on Garnet street; from Jefferson to Oxford street; on Diamond street, from Germantown avenue to Seventh street; on Third street, from thirty-two feet seven inches south of Fairmount avenue to Green street; on Weaver street, from Fairmount avenue to Green street; on St. John street, from Wood to Callowhill street; on Wharton street, from Eighth to Ninth street; on Fourth street, from Reed to Wharton street; on Fourth street, from Race to Vine street; on Hancock street, from Susquehanna avenue, southward, two hundred and ninety-four feet; on Harriet street, from Ross street, south-westwardly, one hundred and seventy-seven feet; on Comptroller street, from Union street, south, two hundred feet; on Mariott street, from Ninth to Eighth street; on Branch street, from Third to Fourth street, and on Spruce street, from Fifth to Sixth street. Said sewers to be built of brick, circular in shape, and in accordance with specifications prepared by the Chief Engineer and Surveyor.

SECT. 2. The Chief Commissioner of Highways shall advertise according to law, announcing that bids will be

received for the sewers above designated, and he shall allot them to the lowest bidders, and it shall be a condition of said contract that the contractor shall accept the sums assessed upon and charged to the properties lying on the lines of said sewers in manner and form authorized by Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance regulating the assessment upon property for the construction of branch culverts or drains," approved May 12th, 1866, and supplement thereto, approved February 16th, 1869; any excess over and above said assessment, in addition to that provided for by Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Chief Commissioner of Highways to draw warrants for street intersections, manholes, and legal deductions in the construction of branch sewers," approved April 3d, 1868, to be charged to item (for branch sewers) of annual appropriation made to the Department of Highways for the year 1875: *Provided*, The same does not exceed the sum of three thousand dollars.

APPENDIX No. 331.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—Your Committee on Surveys and Regulations beg leave to report that they have considered a petition to change the name of Tacony street, in the Twenty-third Ward, to State avenue, and find the change unadvisable, for the reason that the proposed name is already appropriated to one of the City streets. Your Committee, therefore, ask to be discharged from further consideration of the petition, and present a resolution to that effect.

WM. THORNTON, *Ch'n*,
B. F. BONHAM,
S. C. COLLINS,
JOS. J. MARTIN,
JAS. R. GATES,
JOHN FOX,

JOSEPH H. TATEM,
GEORGE E. HALL,
ROBT. H. COOPER,
R. H. CLIFFORD,
A. H. MCADAM,
HENRY GLASS,

GEO. A. ENO.

May 19, 1875.

RESOLUTION

To discharge the Committee on Surveys and Regulations from the further consideration of a petition to change the name of Tacony street.

Resolved by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Committee on Surveys and Regulations be discharged from further consideration of a petition to change the name of Tacony street, in the Twenty-third Ward.

APPENDIX No. 332.

To the President and Members of
Common Council of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—The Special Committee to whom was referred the matter of grading Hancock street, respectfully report that they have attended to the duty assigned to them, and find that the amount of grading done is seven hundred and twenty-five yards. The Committee, therefore, ask the adoption of the following resolution. All of which is respectfully submitted by

E. C. QUIN, *Ch'n*, H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
JOSEPH H. TATEM.

RESOLUTION

Discharging the Special Committee on grading of Hancock street, and directing the Clerk to notify the Chief Commissioner of Highways.

Resolved by Common Council, That the Committee appointed to inquire and report on the grading of Hancock street be and they are hereby discharged from the further consideration of the subject, and that the Clerk be requested to notify the Chief Commissioner of Highways of the facts contained in the foregoing report.

APPENDIX No. 333.

RESOLUTION

To meet in Joint Convention to elect Guardians of the Poor.

Resolved by the Common Council, That Select Council be invited to meet Common Council in Joint Convention, in Common Council chamber, on this day, at four-and-a-half o'clock, for the purpose of electing four members of the Board of Guardians of the Poor.

APPENDIX No. 334.

RESOLUTION

To appoint a Joint Committee on the Bunker Hill Centennial Anniversary Celebration.

Whereas, The centennial anniversary of the battle of Bunker's Hill occurs at Boston on June 17th, 1875, an event in the history of the nation in which every American citizen should feel a deep interest; *And whereas,* It is fitting that the city of Philadelphia, in view of the approaching centennial anniversary of American Independence, to be celebrated in this City in 1876, should be properly represented at the Boston celebration as a mark of recognition to the very earnest manner in which Massachusetts has seconded the national centennial work; therefore,

Resolved by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That a Joint Special Committee of five from each Chamber be appointed, for the purpose of making arrangements for Councils to attend the centennial celebration of the battle of Bunker Hill, at Boston, on June 17th, 1875.

APPENDIX No. 335.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered a resolution to release certain properties of Francis Riley, surety for late John Murphy, contractor for building South Street Bridge, and submit the annexed ordinance to release said property, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,
S. G. KING,
H. MARCUS,
HENRY BUDD,
WILLIAM BALDWIN,
W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,
JOHN COCHRAN,

W. W. BURNELL,
A. L. HODGDON,
O. HOWARD WILSON,
JAS. W. ALLEN,
WILLIAM THORNTON,
JOS. L. CAVEN,
GEO. A. SMITH.

June 2, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To release certain property of Francis Riley from the lien of a certain judgment.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Solicitor be authorized and directed to release from the lien of the judgment entered on the bond of the late John Murphy, contractor for building the South Street Bridge, the following described property of Francis Riley, one of his sureties, viz.: All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate on the west side of Meeting House lane, beginning at the distance of sixty-four feet northward from the north side of Westminster avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, containing in front or breadth, on said Meeting House lane, thirty-two feet, and extending westward of that width, between parallel lines at right angles with said Meeting House lane, one hundred and twenty-three feet, to a twenty-five feet street, intended to be laid out and opened ; *Provided*, His co-sureties consent, and the sum of twenty-five dollars be paid into the City Treasury to pay for the publication of this Ordinance.

APPENDIX No. 336.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition and Ordinance to authorize the opening of Tasker street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WILLIAM McMULLIN,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	GEORGE DORLAN,
P. H. KLOHSE,	DANL. W. GILBERT,
DANIEL CURRIE,	AMOS M. SLACK,
M. S. BONSALE,	S. A. MILLER,
H. MARCUS,	W. K. PARK,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,	HENRY GLASS.

June 3, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Tasker street, in the First Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Tasker street, from Otsego street to the Delaware river, in the First Ward, will pass that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice, said street will be required for public use.

APPENDIX No. 337.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition and Ordinance to authorize the grading of Atlanta street, respectfully report that we

have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	GEORGE DORLAN,
P. H. KLOHSE,	DANL. W. GILBERT,
DANIEL CURRIE,	AMOS M. SLACK,
M. S. BONSALE,	S. A. MILLER,
H. MARCUS,	W. K. PARK,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	JOHN FOX,
HENRY GLASS.	

June 3, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Atlanta street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade Atlanta street, from Thirty-eighth street to Thirty-ninth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, to the established grade of the City.

APPENDIX No. 338.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance to authorize the Mayor to appoint watchmen for Girard Avenue and Chestnut Street Bridges, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	GEORGE DORLAN,
P. H. KLOHSE,	DANL. W. GILBERT,
DANL. CURRIE,	AMOS M. SLACK,
M. S. BONSALE,	S. A. MILLER,
H. MARCUS,	W. K. PARK,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	JOHN FOX,
HENRY GLASS.	

June 3, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the Mayor to appoint watchmen for Girard Avenue and Chestnut Street Bridges.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Mayor be authorized to appoint, by and with the advice of Select Council, two watchmen for Girard Avenue Bridge and two watchmen for Chestnut Street Bridge to be at the same annual salary as the watchmen now appointed for Girard Avenue Bridge, and so much of any law or Ordinance as authorizes the Chief Commissioner of Highways to appoint said watchmen on Girard Avenue Bridge, be and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 339.

To the Presidents and Members of Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinances to authorize the tramwaying of Holly, Lloyd and Harmony streets, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WILLIAM McMULLIN,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	GEO. DORLAN,
P. H. KLOHSE,	DANL. W. GILBERT,
AMOS M. SLACK,	M. S. BONSALE,
SAML. A. MILLER,	H. MARCUS,
W. K. PARK,	CHAS. THOMSON JONES,
DANL. CURRIE,	JOHN FOX,

HENRY GLASS.

June 3, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the tramwaying of Holly, Lloyd and Harmony streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner

of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to repave the following streets with tramway stone in the tracks of the wheels, viz.: Holly street, from Catharine street, to Kater street, in the Twenty sixth Ward; Lloyd street, from Bainbridge street to Kater street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward; Harmony street, from Third street to Fourth street, in the Third Ward; and if the cartway of said streets is wider than is necessary for a single track, to take an equal quantity from each side.

APPENDIX No. 340.

To the Presidents and Members of Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petitions and Ordinances authorizing the paving of Berks street and Columbia avenue, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WILLIAM McMULLIN,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	GEO. DORLAN,
P. H. KLOHSE,	DANL. W. GILBERT,
DANIEL CURRIE,	AMOS M. SLACK,
M. S. BONSALE,	SAML. A. MILLER,
H. MARCUS,	W. K. PARK,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	HENRY GLASS.

June 3, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Berks street and Columbia avenue.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers for the paving of the following streets, viz.: Berks street, from Eighteenth street to Nineteenth street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, with cobble pavement, cost of intersections

not to exceed two hundred and sixty-seven dollars and twelve cents; Columbia avenue, from Fifty-third street to Fifty-fourth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, with rubble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed two hundred and thirty-two dollars and fifty cents. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said streets, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said streets in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 341.

To the Presidents and Members of Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petitions and Ordinances to authorize the paving of Siloam and Josephine streets, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	S. A. MILLER,
DANIEL CURRIE,	W. K. PARK,
AMOS M. SLACK,	M. S. BONSALE,
WILLIAM McMULLIN,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
GEORGE DORLAN,	P. H. KLOHSE,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	H. MARCUS,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,	HENRY GLASS.

June 3, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Siloam and Josephine streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers for the paving of the following streets, Siloam street, from Norris street to Berks street, in the Eighteenth Ward, with

cobble pavement; no cost for intersections. Josephine street, from Oxford street to Church street, in the Twenty-third Ward, with rubble pavement; no cost for intersections. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said streets, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said streets in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 342.

To the Presidents and Members of Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance to repeal a resolution entitled "Resolution relative to the opening of Sedgely avenue," respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	GEORGE DORLAN,
P. H. KLOHSE,	DANL. W. GILBERT,
DANL. CURRIE,	AMOS M. SLACK,
M. S. BONSALE,	H. MARCUS,
W. K. PARK,	HENRY GLASS,

CHARLES THOMSON JONES.

June 3, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To repeal a resolution entitled "Resolution relative to the opening of Sedgely avenue," approved September 28th, 1872.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That a resolution entitled "Resolution relative to the opening of Sedgely avenue," approved September 28th, 1872, be and the same is hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 343.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—Your Committee on Surveys and Regulations, to whom was referred the petition asking that the roadway of Sixty-third street, between Market street and Haverford avenue, be reduced to fifty two feet in width, report that your Committee is in favor of granting the prayer of petitioners, and offer the Ordinance herewith for which we respectfully ask your approval.

WM. THORNTON, *Ch'n*,
JOHN FOX,
JOHN C. BICKEL,
JAS. R. GATES,
ROBT. H. COOPER,
S. C. COLLINS,
WM. JAMES,
B. F. BONHAM,
W. W. BURNELL,

GEORGE E. HALL,
HENRY GLASS,
A. H. McADAM,
R. H. CLIFFORD,
JOS. J. MARTIN,
JNO. SINGER,
JOS. H. TATEM,
H. UHLER, M. D.,
W. K. PARK.

June 2, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To revise the curb lines of Sixty-third street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Surveys be and is hereby authorized and directed to revise the curb lines of Sixty-third street, between Market street and Haverford avenue, so that the roadway, between said lines shall be fifty-two feet.

APPENDIX No. 344.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—Your Committee on Surveys and Regulations to whom was referred the Ordinance directing the

Department of Surveys to prepare plans revising part of the City plan in the Twenty-fifth Ward, have examined the subject and have heard Mr. F. B. Gowan, President of the Reading Railroad, with reference to their proposed improvements. We recommend the passage of the Ordinance with the proviso that certain streets shall be dedicated and retained on the City plan as contained in the annexed Ordinance.

WM. THORNTON, *Ch'n*,

WM. JAMES,

A. F. MCADAM,

W. W. BURNELL,

R. H. CLIFFORD,

JOHN FOX,

H. N. UHLER, M. D.,

JOSEPH H. TATEM,

B. F. BONHAM,

S. G. COLLINS,

JOHN C. BICKEL,

JOHN SINER,

HENRY GLASS.

June 2, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

Relative to the revision of a part of the plan of the Twenty-fifth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Surveys be instructed to prepare plans in duplicate, revising that portion of the Twenty-fifth Ward, embraced between William street and Alleghany avenue, and Bath street and the Delaware river: *Provided*, That said revision shall not extend to Brabant street, between William and Toronto streets, nor to Sorrell, Ann and Neff streets: *And provided further*, That the Reading Railroad Company shall dedicate and open Bath street, from Ann street to Alleghany avenue, of the width of eighty feet, by widening on the east side thereof, and also Neff street, of the width of one hundred feet, from Bath street to the Port Wardens' line; also, that said railroad company shall dedicate to the City Neff, Ann, Sorrell and William streets to the Port Wardens' line, whenever the City shall require it.

APPENDIX No. 345.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, a minority of the Committee on Surveys, believing that the interests of the City demand that the request of the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company for the vacating of certain streets in the Twenty-fifth Ward in order to permit them to erect certain valuable improvements should be complied with, have agreed to submit the following, and ask that it be substituted for the recommendations made by the majority of the Committee.

“That the resolution providing for a revision of the lines and grades of that part of the Twenty-fifth Ward lying between William street, Alleghany avenue, Bath street, and the Delaware, shall be reported back as a bill with the following proviso: *Provided*, That the Reading Railroad Company shall dedicate Neff street, of a width of one hundred feet, from Bath street to the Port Wardens line, and dedicate sufficient ground on the south side of Bath street to make that street eighty feet wide.

JAS. R. GATES,
HENRY GLASS,
JOS. J. MARTIN,
ROBT. H. COOPER,

GEO. A. SMITH,
W. K. PARK,
JOHN COCHRAN,
GEO. E. HALL.

APPENDIX No. 346.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—Your Committee on Surveys and Regulations, to whom was referred the Ordinance to revise Plan 251 on the line of the Connecting Railroad, report that they have visited the ground where the established grades of the streets are made, so as to pass over the railroad by raising twenty feet above the present grade. We think, that

the plan should be altered, so as to make grade crossings, and recommend the adoption of the Ordinance attached.

WM. THORNTON, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM JAMES,
S. C. COLLINS,	JOS. H. TATEM,
B. FRANK BONHAM,	JOS. J. MARTIN,
ROBT. H. COOPER,	H. N. UHLER, M. D.,
GEO. E. HALL,	JOHN SINER,
JOHN C. BICKEL,	A. H. MCADAM,
JOHN FOX,	HENRY GLASS,
W. W. BURNELL,	R. H. CLIFFORD,
W. K. PARK,	JAS. R. GATES.

June 3, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To revise Plan 251, in the Twenty-fifth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Surveys be and they are hereby authorized to revise Plan 251, from A street to the Frankford creek, to cross the railroad at grade.

APPENDIX No. 347.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—Your Committee on Police, to whom was referred an Ordinance to grant permission to F. G. Malone to erect a temporary frame building at Frankford and Lehigh avenues, have agreed to report the bill favorably, and recommend its passage.

JOHN F. GLENN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	DAVID MOUAT,
SAML. WILLIAMSON,	ALEX. RUSSELL,
E. H. HAYHURST,	M. A. DAVIS,
GEO. A. ENO,	W. K. PARK,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	JOHN MONROE,
N. SPERING,	HENRY GLASS,
JOHN McCULLOUGH.	

June 3, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To grant permission to F. G. Malone to erect a temporary frame building at Frankford and Lehigh avenues.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That permission be and the same is hereby given to F. G. Malone to erect a temporary frame building in the rear of his building, at southwest corner of Frankford and Lehigh avenues: *Provided*, That the permission hereby granted shall be revocable by the City of Philadelphia by the passage of an Ordinance or resolution to that effect without notice: *And provided further*, That the said F. G. Malone shall first pay into the City Treasury the sum of twenty-five dollars, to pay for the publication of this Ordinance. All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances to the contrary hereof notwithstanding.

APPENDIX No. 348.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—Your Committee on Police, have had under consideration the bill referred to them entitled “An Ordinance to grant permission to George Field to erect a temporary frame building in the rear of No. 1029 Han-over street,” and have decided to report upon the bill favorably, and ask its passage.

JOHN F. GLENN, *Ch'n*,
SAML. WILLIAMSON,
E. H. HAYHURST,
GEO. A. ENO,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,
N. SPERING,

DAVID MOUAT,
ALEX. RUSSELL,
M. A. DAVIS,
W. K. PARK,
JOHN MONROE,
HENRY GLASS,

JOHN McCULLOUGH.

June 3, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To grant permission to George Field to erect a temporary frame building in the rear of No. 1029 Hanover street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That permission be and the same is hereby given to George Field to erect a temporary frame building in the rear of No. 1029 Hanover street: *Provided*, That the permission hereby granted shall be revocable by the City of Philadelphia by the passage of an Ordinance or resolution to that effect without notice: *And provided further*, That the said George Field shall first pay into the City Treasury the sum of twenty-five dollars, to pay for the publication of this Ordinance. All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances to the contrary hereof notwithstanding.

APPENDIX No. 349.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—Your Committee on Police have had under consideration a bill entitled “ An Ordinance to regulate the erection of signs within the City limits,” have examined into and considered the same, and have agreed to recommend its passage.

JOHN F. GLENN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	M. A. DAVIS,
ALEX. RUSSELL,	E. H. HAYHURST,
SAML. WILLIAMSON,	CHARLES THOMSON JONES,
W. K. PARK,	DAVID MOUAT,
GEO. A. SMITH,	JOHN MCCULLOUGH,
N. SPERING,	JOHN MONROE,
GEO. A. ENO,	HENRY GLASS.

June 3, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To regulate the erection of signs within the City limits.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the 1st part of section 49, relating to signs, passed under Ordinance of December 24th, 1864, reading :

It is unlawful to extend or project from any dwelling or building (except inns for the accommodation of man or horse), any sign-board, pole or other device, or thing to denote or show place of business, or the merchandise or things which the occupant thereof has to dispose of, into any of the streets of the width of fifty feet and upwards, more than four feet three inches from the line of the street, and level of the pavement to the height of four feet six inches; and from that point to the top of the first story, more than one foot six inches; and from the top of the first story more than four feet three inches to any other part of said building, be and the same is hereby repealed.

A P P E N D I X No. 350.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—Your Committee on Police, to whom was referred a bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the Manship M. E. Church to erect a frame chapel,” have considered the same, and agreed to recommend its passage.

JOHN F. GLENN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	CHARLES THOMSON JONES,
SAML. WILLIAMSON,	GEO. A. ENO,
W. K. PARK,	DAVID MOUAT,
ALEX. RUSSELL,	E. H. HAYHURST,
M. A. DAVIS,	HENRY GLASS,
JOHN McCULLOUGH,	N. SPERING,
JOHN MONROE.	

June 3, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the Manship M. E. Church to erect a frame chapel.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Manship Methodist Episcopal Church be and is hereby authorized to erect a frame chapel, on the east side of Twenty-eighth street, north of Girard avenue, in the Twenty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia : *Provided*, That said building shall be removed at any time hereafter upon thirty days' notice,

to be given by the Chief Commissioner of Highways, on the passage of a resolution by Councils to that effect: *And provided further*, That the Manship Methodist Episcopal Church first pay into the City Treasury the sum of twenty-five dollars to pay for the publication of this Ordinance. All Ordinances to the contrary hereof notwithstanding.

APPENDIX No. 351.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—Your Committee on Police, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance granting permission to Wm. S. Reyburn to erect a bay window at Nineteenth and Spring Garden streets,” have agreed to recommend its passage.

JOHN F. GLENN, *Ch’n*,
SAML. WILLIAMSON,
E. H. HAYHURST,
GEO. A. ENO,
W. K. PARK,
JOHN MONROE,
HENRY GLASS,

DAVID MOUAT,
ALEXANDER RUSSELL,
M. A. DAVIS,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,
GEO. A. SMITH,
N. SPERING,
JOHN McCULLOUGH.

June 3, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

Granting permission to W. S. Reyburn to erect a bay window at Nineteenth and Spring Garden streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That permission be and is hereby granted to Wm. S. Reyburn to erect a one-story bay window at the building he is now erecting at the southeast corner of Nineteenth and Spring Garden streets: *Provided*, That said window shall not extend outwardly more than four feet nine inches, and shall not be more than one story high: *And provided further*, That the said Wm. S. Reyburn shall pay twenty-five dollars into the City Treasury to pay for printing this Ordinance. All Ordinances or

parts of Ordinances inconsistent herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 352.

To the Common Council
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Railroads of Common Council respectfully report that they have considered a "Resolution to discharge the Committee on Railroads from the further consideration of a resolution relative to placing flagmen on Washington avenue," and report the same back and recommend its passage. (See Appendix S. C. No. 133.)

JOHN F. GLENN, *Ch'n*,
FERD. DOEBLEY,
JOS. J. MARTIN,

DAVID MOUAT,
JOHN BARDSLEY,
W. BALDWIN,

DANL. CURRIE.

June 3, 1875.

APPENDIX No. 353.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Fire Department, to whom was referred an Ordinance to authorize the purchase of a lot of ground and buildings thereon erected, situated on the north side of Lombard street, east of Eleventh, for a fire station, and to make appropriation therefor, have given the same careful consideration, and report the said Ordinance back with a favorable recommendation, and ask its passage.

GEORGE DORLAN, *Ch'n*,
JOHN F. GLENN,
E. H. HAYHURST,
FERD. DOEBLEY,
JOHN Siner,
H. M'DOWELL,
JOHN C. BICKEL,

AMOS M. SLACK,
DAVID MOUAT,
N. SPERING,
WILLIAM BRADLY,
H. MARCUS,
R. H. CLIFFORD,
W. W. BURNELL.

June 3, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the purchase of a lot of ground, with the buildings thereon erected, situated on the north side of Lombard street, east of Eleventh, for a Fire Station, and to make an appropriation therefor.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Council of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Solicitor be and is hereby authorized to examine the title to all that certain lot or piece of ground, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situated on the north side of Lombard street, at the distance of ninety-five feet eastward from the east side of Eleventh street, containing in front or breadth, on the said Lombard street, nineteen feet, and extending of that width in length or depth northward, at right angles with said Lombard street, ninety feet, and if he approve the same to cause a conveyance of said premises in fee to be made to the City of Philadelphia, for the consideration, price, or sum of eleven thousand dollars, free and clear of all encumbrance.

SECT. 2. That the sum of eleven thousand dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated to the Board of Commissioners of the Fire Department, to be taken from the loan approved October 26th, 1872, to pay for the said lot of ground, hereinbefore described, and warrants therefor shall be drawn by the Board of Commissioners of the Fire Department, in conformity with existing Ordinances.

APPENDIX No. 354.

PHILADELPHIA, *June 8, 1875.*

A. WILSON HENSZEY, Esq.,
President of Common Council:

DEAR SIR:—I notice that an Ordinance has been introduced into Councils, to authorize the Trustees of the Gas Works to purchase about twenty-one acres of land in the Twenty-fifth Ward, at the price of thirty-nine hundred dollars per acre, or over eighty thousand dollars.

May I, therefore, request you to bring to the notice of the body over which you preside, the following :

As executor, &c., of Lewis Waln, I am prepared to sell about one hundred acres of land in the Twenty-third Ward, for the price of sixty thousand dollars, or about six hundred dollars per acre. The land lies upon Frankford creek, a navigable stream there, and has over one mile of front on the creek. I believe it to be equally available for the purposes of the Gas Works, and as the Trustees can obtain nearly five times the quantity of land for three-fourths of the price named in the proposed Ordinance, I feel it my duty as a citizen and taxpayer, to call the attention of Councils to it.

I am very respectfully, &c.,

R. RUNDLE SMITH.

APPENDIX No. 355.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered a communication from the Board of Health for an appropriation to pay for cleaning the streets, removing the ashes and garbage, &c., of the Twenty-second Ward, for the period of seven months, commencing June 1st, 1875, and submit the annexed Ordinance to make an appropriation for said purposes, and recommend its passage,

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,
JNO. L. SHOEMAKER, [^{For}_{report.}]
WM. THORNTON,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
W. BALDWIN,
ROBT. B. SALTER,

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,
S. G. KING,
WM. DIVINE,
JAS. W. ALLEN,
JAS. SUBERS,
JOHN COCHRAN,

JOS. L. CAVEN.

June 8, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an additional appropriation to the Board of Health for cleaning the streets, &c., in the Twenty-second Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of three thousand five hundred and seventy-six (3,576) dollars and sixty-one (61) cents be and the same is appropriated to the following items in "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Board of Health for the expenses of the year 1875," approved December 31st, 1874, viz.:

To Item 51. For pay of contractors for cleaning the streets and markets, and removing the ashes, dead animals and garbage therefrom, two thousand four hundred and seventy-two (2,472) dollars and fifty-eight (58) cents.

To Item 53. For salaries, five hundred and twenty-five (525) dollars.

To Item 54. For incidentals, one hundred and fifty (150) dollars.

To Item 55. For the removal of kitchen garbage and offal, four hundred and twenty-nine (429) dollars and three (3) cents.

APPENDIX No. 356.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered "An Ordinance to release the sureties on the official bond of John Overn, Chief Inspector of Steam Engines and Boilers, and substitute other sureties," and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,
JNO. L. SHOEMAKER, [^{For} report.]	S. G. KING,
WM. THORNTON,	WM. DIVINE,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,	JAS. W. ALLEN,
WM. BALDWIN,	JAS. SUBERS,
ROBT. B. SALTER,	JNO. COCHRAN,
JOS. L. CAVEN.	

June 8, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To release the sureties on the official bond of John Overn, Chief Inspector of Steam Engines and Boilers, and substitute other sureties.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Solicitor be authorized and directed to release the sureties on the official bond of John Overn, Chief Inspector of Steam Engines and Boilers, and substitute Jane Overn and A. P. Rutherford in their stead.

APPENDIX No. 357.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered “An Ordinance to restrict the lien of certain judgments against Edwin M. Hunt,” and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, <i>Ch’n</i> ,	JNO. L. SHOEMAKER, [^{For} _{report.}]
S. G. KING, [^{For} _{report.}]	WM. THORNTON,
WM. DIVINE,	II. B. LIPPINCOTT,
JAS. W. ALLEN,	WM. BALDWIN,
JAS. SUBERS,	ROBT. B. SALTER,
JOHN COCHRAN,	W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,
	JOS. L. CAVEN.

June 8, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To restrict the lien of certain judgments against Edwin M. Hunt.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the lien of the following judgments in the Court of Common Pleas, No. 3, of December Term, 1874, Nos. 373, 374, 391 and 423, as against Edwin M. Hunt, be and is hereby restricted to the following described property, to wit: All that certain lot or piece of ground with the two three-story brick stores and dwellings thereon erected, situate on the south side of

Hamilton street, beginning at a point at the distance of three hundred and twenty feet westward from the west side of Thirty-eighth street, thence extending southward on a line at right angles with said Hamilton street thirty-three feet two and a quarter inches to a point, thence southwestward on a line at right angles with Lancaster avenue, thirty-three feet two and a quarter inches to the northeast side of said Lancaster avenue, thence northwest along said Lancaster avenue, thirty-six feet to a point in the middle of party wall, thence through the middle line of said party wall northeast nineteen feet three inches to another point in said party wall, thence north through the middle of said party wall, and on a line at right angles with said Hamilton street, nineteen feet three inches. to said Hamilton street, and thence northeast along said Hamilton street thirty-six feet to the place of beginning. And the City Solicitor be and he is hereby directed to prepare and file agreements of record restricting the lien of said judgments in accordance herewith: *Provided*, The co-surety shall consent thereto: *And provided*, In his opinion, the interests of the City will not be prejudiced thereby, and that the sum of twenty-five dollars be first paid into the City Treasury to pay for the publication of this Ordinance.

APPENDIX No. 358.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, respectfully report that they have considered “An Ordinance to enter satisfaction on the official bond of Samuel M. Fox, late Purveyor of the Water Department,” and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,
J. L. SHOEMAKER, [_{For} _{report.}]	S. G. KING,
JOS. L. CAVEN,	WM. THORNTON,
WM. DIVINE,	H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
JAS. W. ALLEN,	W. BALDWIN,
JAS. SUBERS,	ROBERT B. SALTER,

JOHN COCHRAN.

June 8, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To enter satisfaction on the official bond of Samuel M. Fox, late Purveyor in the Water Department.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Solicitor be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter satisfaction on the official bond of Samuel M. Fox, late Purveyor in the Water Department: *Provided*, That the City Controller shall first certify that there is no default in his accounts.

APPENDIX N o. 359.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered a communication from the Commissioners for the erection of Public Buildings for certain transfers in their appropriation, and submit the annexed Ordinance to authorize the transfers asked for, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,
J. L. SHOEMAKER,
S. G. KING,
WM. DIVINE,
JAS. W. ALLEN,
JAS. SUBERS,

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,
JOS. L. CAVEN,
WM. THORNTON,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
WM. BALDWIN,
ROBERT B. SALTER,

JOHN COCHRAN.

June 8, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize certain transfers in the appropriation to the Commissioners for the erection of Public Buildings.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Controller be authorized and directed to make the following transfers in "the appropriation to the Commissioners for the erection of Public Buildings," approved December 28th, 1875, viz.: From Item 9, bricks and brickwork, three thousand dol-

lars to Item 12, blacksmithwork ; from Item 15, of 1873, as carried over on the books of the City Controller to Item 10, of 1874, ninety-six thousand seven hundred and eighty-seven dollars to Item 20, for dressed stone for inside finish, thirty-one thousand seven hundred and eighty-seven dollars ; and to Item 11, for iron floor beams, sixty-five thousand dollars.

APPENDIX No. 360.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered a communication from the Board of Revision of Taxes, for an appropriation to pay for clerks and twelve assessors appointed agreeably to the provisions of an Act of Assembly, approved June 5th, 1874, also an Ordinance to make the appropriation, and report the Ordinance back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,

WM. DIVINE,

JOS. L. CAVEN,

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,

JOHN COCHRAN,

W. BALDWIN,

JAS. W. ALLEN,

ROBERT B. SALTER,

H. B. LIPPINCOTT,

S. G. KING,

WM. THORNTON,

JAMES SUBERS,

JNO. L. SHOEMAKER. [^{For}report.]

June 8, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation to the Board of Revision of Taxes to pay salaries of assessors for the year 1875.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of eighteen thousand nine hundred and fifteen (18,915) dollars and thirty-four (34) cents be and the same are hereby appropriated to the Board of Revision of Taxes to pay for clerks and salaries of twelve assessors, appointed agreeably to the provisions of an Act of Assembly, approved June 5th, 1874. And warrants shall be drawn by the Board of Revision of Taxes in conformity with existing Ordinances.

APPENDIX No. 361.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered “ An Ordinance to approve the contract and surety of Robert D. Reeves for alterations to school house, on Spruce street below Sixth street,” and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, <i>Ch’n</i> ,	JAS. W. ALLEN,
W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,	ROBERT B. SALTER,
S. G. KING,	JNO. L. SHOEMAKER, [For :] [report.]
JOS. L. CAVEN,	WILLIAM DIVINE,
WM. THORNTON,	JAS. SUBERS,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,	WM. BALDWIN,
JOHN COCHRAN.	

June 8, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To approve the contract and sureties of Robert D. Reeves, for alterations to school house on Spruce street below Sixth street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, do ordain*, That the contract of Robert D. Reeves for making alterations to the public school edifice, on Spruce street below Sixth street, for the price or sum of eleven hundred and eighty-five dollars, be and the same is hereby approved; and that Charles S. Reeves be and he is hereby approved as the surety of the said Robert D. Reeves for the faithful performance of the said contract.

APPENDIX No. 362.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered “ An Ordinance to release

the sureties upon the official bond of the City Solicitor," and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	JOHN L. SHOEMAKER, [^{For} report.]
S. G. KING,	WM. THORNTON,
WM. DIVINE,	H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
JAS. W. ALLEN,	WM. BALDWIN,
JAS. SUBERS,	ROBT. B. SALTER,
JOHN COCHRAN,	JOS. L. CAVEN,
W. ELLWOOD ROWAN.	

June 8, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To release the sureties upon the official bond of the City Solicitor.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That J. Gillingham Fell and I. Livingston Erringer, the sureties upon the official bond of Charles H. T. Collis, City Solicitor, for the term ending December 31st, 1874, be and they are hereby released from all liability upon the said bond; and the Mayor is hereby instructed and directed to cancel and deliver up the said bond: *Provided*, The City Controller shall first certify that no default has taken place thereon.

APPENDIX No. 363.

THE FARMERS' AND MECHANICS' NATIONAL BANK,
PHILADELPHIA, *June 10, 1875.*

A. WILSON HENSZEY, ESQ.,
President of Common Council
of the City of Philadelphia:

DEAR SIR:—Agreeably to Section 3, of Ordinance approved the 16th day of March, A. D. 1872, we have the honor to submit herewith a report showing the aggregate of the five per cent. loans, and the aggregates of the six per cent. loans of the City, on which interest is paid by the City, as they stood on January 1st, 1875, and as they stand on the books at The Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank on June 1st, 1875.

Very respectfully,
E. M. LEWIS,
President.

Report of the aggregates of the five per cent. loans, and the aggregates of the six per cent. loans of the City of Philadelphia, on which interest is paid by the City, as they stood on January 1st, 1875, and as they stand on the books at the Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank, Loan and Transfer Agent of the City of Philadelphia, on June 1st, 1875.

Aggregate of five per cent. loans, January 1st, 1875.....	\$135,703 50		
Aggregate of five per cent. loans, June 1st, 1875.....	132,603 50		
		Decrease.....	\$3,100 00
Aggregate of six per cent. loans, January 1st, 1875.....	\$59,831,682 88		
Aggregate of six per cent. coupon bonds, January 1st, 1875..	78,200 00		
		—\$59,909,882 88	
Aggregate of six per cent. loans, June 1, 1875.....	\$60,124,632 88		
Aggregate of six per cent. coupon bonds, June 1st, 1875.....	78,200 00		
		—60,202,832 88	
		—Increase,.....	292,950 00
		Total increase.	\$289,850 00

The Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank,

Loan and Transfer Agent of the City of Philadelphia,

E. M. LEWIS,
President.

PHILADELPHIA, June, 1875.

APPENDIX No. 364.

OFFICE OF THE
AMERICAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY, OF PHILADELPHIA,
PHILADELPHIA, *June 8, 1875.*

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—By reports in the public papers, I notice that the Survey Committee of Councils have reported adversely to granting the request of the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company for a revision of lines, and vacation of certain streets in the Twenty-fifth Ward, to enable that company to establish their ship yard, machine shops and dry docks at the point referred to.

As to what extent individual interests may suffer by vacating a sufficient number of streets to accommodate the company in their projected plans, I am, of course, unable to judge, but certainly no sacrifice of a trivial character on the part of citizens should prevent the speedy accomplishment of this proposed undertaking.

The want of a dry dock of sufficient capacity to accommodate the largest class of steamships, has been a serious drawback to the commerce of this City, and many thousands of dollars are annually paid for dockage and repairs to the ships of this line in Liverpool and New York, that, of right, should be done in our City.

The delay for repairs of American ships in a foreign port adds greatly to the expense over that of our own, were there no higher motive for having the work done here.

The establishment of an American line of Trans-Atlantic steamships, built, owned and chiefly sustained at this port, together with the large and constantly increasing steam marine of coastwise ships, makes it a positive necessity to have such facilities; and in fact it will be almost impossible to compete successfully with the numerous foreign lines now running between this country and Europe, without the opportunity of docking our vessels in this port.

The reputation of iron steamships built on the Delaware, is now fully recognized and established throughout the

world, and yet, with all our boasted advantages for building, we are compelled to send them abroad for the necessary painting and repairs that Ocean iron steamers so frequently require.

Believing that when the question of granting the request of the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company is fully understood, the action of your honorable bodies will be such as to foster, and not retard the commerce of Philadelphia.

I remain very respectfully yours,

HENRY D. WELSH,
President.

APPENDIX No. 365.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Trustees of the Philadelphia Gas Works to lay gas pipe on Fifty-second street and Elm avenue.

Resolved by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Trustees of the Philadelphia Gas Works be and are hereby respectfully requested to have gas pipe laid on Fifty-second street, from Lancaster avenue to Elm avenue; and on Elm avenue, from Fifty-second street to Girard avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, before the said streets are paved.

APPENDIX No. 366.

To the Presidents and Members of Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petitions and Ordinances to authorize the paving of Boudinot, Emory, Ridge, Witte and Manor streets, respectfully report that we have examined

and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	AMOS M. SLACK,
M. S. BONSALE,	GEORGE DORLAN,
D. W. GILBERT,	DANL. CURRIE,
P. H. KLOHSE,	S. A. MILLER,
H. MARCUS,	JOHN MONROE,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES.	

June 8, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Boudinot, Franklin, Emory, Ridge, Witte and Manor streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and he is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers for the paving of the following streets with rubble pavement: *Provided*, There be no cost to the City for intersections viz.: Boudinot street, from Hart lane to Indiana street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward; Franklin street, from Unity street to Pine street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward; Emory street, from Ash street to Bockius street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward; Ridge street, from Leiper street to Johnson street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward; Witte street, from Ann street to Westmorland street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward; Manor street, from Berks street to Montgomery avenue, in the Nineteenth Ward. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said streets, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said streets in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 367.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance to authorize the grading of Main street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	P. H. KLOHSE,
GEORGE DORLAN,	AMOS M. SLACK,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	DANIEL CURRIE,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	W. K. PARK,
H. MARCUS,	A. ALBRIGHT,
JOHN FOX,	HENRY GLASS.

June 10, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Main street, in the Twenty-first Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade Main street, from Shur's lane to Ridge avenue, in the Twenty-first Ward to the established grade of the City, cost not to exceed four thousand three hundred and fifty dollars.

APPENDIX No. 368.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance to authorize the construction of a retaining wall on Main street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and

submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	P. H. KLOHSE,
GEORGE DORLAN,	AMOS M. SLACK,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	D. W. GILBERT,
DANL. CURRIE,	W. K. PARK,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,	A. ALBRIGHT,
HENRY MARCUS,	JOHN FOX,
HENRY GLASS.	

June 10, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the construction of a retaining wall on Main street, in the Twenty-first Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to have a retaining wall constructed on the southwest side of Main street, between Shur's lane and Wissahickon, in the Twenty-first Ward, cost not to exceed four thousand two hundred and fifty dollars. The above work to be done upon plans and specifications of the Department of Surveys, for which the Chief Commissioner shall invite proposals, and award the same to the lowest responsible bidder; payment for the same to be taken from Item 5 of the annual appropriation to the Department of Highways.

APPENDIX No. 369.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance to authorize the tramwaying of Clay and Carlton streets, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for

your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	AMOS M. SLACK,
GEORGE DORLAN,	M. S. BONSALE,
P. H. KLOHSE,	DANL. W. GILBERT,
DANIEL CURRIE,	WM. McMULLIN,
S. A. MILLER,	JOHN MONROE,
JOHN BARDSELEY,	CHAS. THOMSON JONES,
H. MARCUS,	A. ALBRIGHT.

June 8, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the tramwaying of Clay and Carlton streets, in the Fourteenth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to repave Clay street, from Eleventh street to Ridge avenue, and Carlton street, from Tenth street to Eleventh street, in the Fourteenth Ward, with tramway stone in the tracks of the wheels, and if the cartway of said streets is wider than is necessary for a single track, to take an equal quantity from each side.

APPENDIX No. 370.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance authorizing the grading of Somerset street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	AMOS M. SLACK,
GEORGE DORLAN,	M. S. BONSALE,
P. H. KLOHSE,	DANL. W. GILBERT,
DANIEL CURRIE,	WM. McMULLIN,
SAML. A. MILLER,	JOHN MONROE,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,	H. MARCUS,
A. ALBRIGHT.	

June 8, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Somerset street, in the Twenty-fifth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade Somerset street, from Sixth street to Germantown avenue, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, to the established grade of the City; cost not to exceed thirteen hundred and thirty-seven dollars.

APPENDIX No. 371.

To the Presidents and Members of Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition relative to the opening of Thirty-first street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	AMOS M. SLACK,
GEORGE DORLAN,	M. S. BONSALE,
P. H. KLOHSE,	DANL. W. GILBERT,
DANL. CURRIE,	WILLIAM McMULLIN,
S. A. MILLER,	JOHN MONROE,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	JOHN BARDSLEY,
H. MARCUS,	A. ALBRIGHT.

June 8, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Thirty-first street, in the Twenty-seventh Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the width of Thirty-first street, between Chestnut street and Market street, in the Twenty-seventh Ward, be reduced to sixty feet as originally laid out, and that the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which the said

Thirty-first street, from Chestnut street to Market street, of a width of sixty feet, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice, said street will be required for public use. The Survey Department are hereby directed to change the plans of that part of the City wherein said street is located, to conform to this Ordinance.

APPENDIX No. 372.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Gas Works, would respectfully report that they have considered petitions for the location of public lamps, and submit the annexed Ordinance locating the same, and recommend its passage.

GEORGE E. HALL, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. THORNTON,
ALEXANDER RUSSELL,	J. H. KENNEDY,
WM. M. GARWOOD,	JAS. CARTLEDGE,
GEORGE WHITE,	H. N. UHLER, M. D.,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	H. MARCUS,
WM. BRADLY,	O. HOWARD WILSON,
JOHN L. SHOEMAKER,	N. SPERING,
A. H. McADAM,	A. ALBRIGHT.

June 10, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the erection of Public Lamps.

SECTION 1. *She Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Trustees of the Philadelphia Gas Works be and they are hereby authorized and directed to erect public lamps located as follows:

First Ward.—One lamp southwest corner of Tenth and Cross streets, in front of No. 920 Pierce street.

Second Ward.—One lamp at northwest corner of Eighth street and Washington avenue; at corner of Eleventh street and Washington avenue; on Third street, west side below Redwood street, opposite Church.

Third Ward.—One lamp at northwest corner of Eleventh and Christian streets; on Fifth street above Catharine street, opposite Jewish Synagogue.

Fourth Ward.—One lamp in front of No. 527 Fitzwater street.

Fifth Ward.—One lamp at southwest corner of Fourth and Gaskill streets; in front of No. 207 Dock street.

Seventh Ward.—One lamp at corner of Seventeenth and Richard streets; two lamps between Twentieth and Twenty-first streets, and Pine street and Delancy place.

Eighth Ward.—One lamp opposite No. 915 Locust street.

Ninth Ward.—Two bracket lamps on the corners of Eleventh and Twelfth streets, and a small street south of Market street.

Tenth Ward.—One lamp on Cherry street, west of Twentieth street, north side, middle of alley.

Twelfth Ward.—One lamp opposite and between Nos. 833 and 835 North Sixth street.

Thirteenth Ward.—One lamp on the west side of Marshall street, about ten feet above Vine street; on Wood street, opposite and between Nos. 723 and 725.

Fourteenth Ward.—One lamp opposite No. 1125 Mount Vernon street; on Coates street, in front of Lincoln Market House.

Fifteenth Ward.—One lamp opposite and between Nos. 1806 and 1808 Spring Garden street; on Hare street, one hundred and eighty feet west of Twenty-fifth street; on Hare street, one hundred feet east of Twenty-sixth street; on Twenty-sixth street, north of Perot street; on southeast corner of Hare and Twenty-sixth streets; at southeast corner of Twenty-sixth and Swain streets; on northeast corner of Twenty-seventh and Poplar streets; on north side of Callowhill street, west of Twentieth street, opposite alley; on Vine street, west of Twentieth street, opposite church; on Eighteenth street, one hundred and twenty-seven feet north of Spring Garden street.

Sixteenth Ward.—One lamp on Adrian street, opposite court, between Nos. 1142 and 1144.

Seventeenth Ward.—One lamp between Nos. 1315 and 1317 North Fifth street.

Nineteenth Ward.—One lamp at northeast corner of Lawrence and Berks streets; at the corner of Marshall and

Huntingdon streets; at the corner of Seventh and Cumberland streets; at the corner of Seventh and Huntingdon streets; at the corner of Marshall and Cumberland streets; on Seventh street, between Huntingdon and Cumberland streets; on Marshall street, between Huntingdon and Cumberland streets; at corner of Fifth and Cumberland streets; on Fifth street, between Cumberland and Huntingdon streets; at corner of Fifth and Huntingdon streets; on Fifth street, between Huntingdon street and Lehigh avenue.

Twentieth Ward.—One lamp opposite No. 904 North Sixth street; on west side of Marshall street, below Diamond street, in front of south side of church; one bracket lamp on the west end of Vernon place: *Provided*, The owner of wall consents; on the southwest corner of Ninth and Diamond streets; on the northeast corner of Diamond and Delhi streets; on southwest corner of Eighth and Norris streets; at southwest corner of Darien and Norris streets; at southeast corner of Ninth and Norris streets; on the east side of Ninth street, about half way between Norris and Berks streets; remove lamps on the east side of Darien street, and the west side of Eighth street, above Berks street, to a point further north, about midway in the square.

Twenty-first Ward.—One lamp at Ripka avenue and Winchester street; on Jefferson street, midway between Winchester and Fowler streets; on Ridge avenue, near Roxborough Grammar School; at corner of Mitchell street and Kram's avenue; at corner of Mitchell street and Leverington avenue; on Mitchell street, midway between Kram's and Leverington avenues; at corner of Leverington avenue and Pechin street.

Twenty-second Ward.—One lamp at lower end of Miller street; at Chew street and Woodbine avenue; on Woodbine avenue, two hundred feet from Chew street; on Green street, between School street and Maplewood avenue; five lamps on Duval street, between Main and Adams street; four lamps on Cheltenham avenue, between Morris and Bixley streets; one lamp on Rittenhouse street, two hundred feet east of Wayne street; on north side of Pastorius street, midway between Hancock and Osceola streets.

Twenty-third Ward.—One lamp corner of Foulkrod and

Leshner streets; on northwest corner of Foulkrod and Mulberry streets.

Twenty-fourth Ward.—One lamp at the northeast corner of Conestoga street and Torr avenue; at northeast corner of Forty-sixth and Huron streets; on north side of Lancaster avenue, opposite alley way of Engine No. 16; on Hunter's lane, opposite Jones' Mill; at Fifty-seventh street and Hunter's lane.

Twenty-fifth Ward.—One lamp on the northwest corner of Second and Somerset streets; at southwest corner of Frankford road and Calvert street.

Twenty-sixth Ward.—One lamp at corner of Twenty-third and Federal streets; at northeast corner of Twenty-fourth and Ellsworth streets; in front of No. 2321 Ellsworth street; on south side of Ellsworth street east of Broad street; on northwest corner of Lindsay and Fitzwater streets; in front of No. 1818 Webster street; in front of No. 2425 Washington avenue; at northwest corner of Twenty-eighth street and Gray's Ferry road, at drug store; on Gray's Ferry road opposite Bowers' Laboratory Office; on Gray's Ferry road near Twenty-ninth street, at end of pipe at Rice's box works; in front No. 1930 Christian street; on south side of South street, below Twenty-second street; in front of No. 1613 Christian street.

Twenty seventh Ward.—One lamp on the north side of Spruce street between Nos. 3735 and 3737; on the east side of Forty-second street, halfway between Market and Ludlow streets; at Thirty-second and Chestnut streets, in front of church; at northeast corner of Fortieth and Pine streets; on the east side of Fortieth street, one hundred and ten feet south of Pine street; on north side of Baltimore avenue, one hundred and forty feet west of Fortieth street; on Irvin street, half way between Thirty-seventh and Thirty-eighth streets; on the northeast corner of Forty-first and Spruce streets; on the west side of Forty-first street south of Spruce street; on south side of Pine street, seventy feet east of Forty-first street; at corner of Thirty-ninth and Robin streets; at the corner of Fortieth and Robin streets; two lamps in Robin street between Thirty-ninth and Fortieth streets; one lamp at southwest corner of Thirty-ninth and Pine streets; on Pine street, one hundred feet west of Thirty ninth street; on the east side of Fortieth street north

of Baltimore avenue; on Kingsessing avenue, as far west of Forty-fifth street as it can be placed.

Twenty-eighth Ward.—One lamp on the northeast corner of Cumberland and Warnock streets; at the top of St. James street, Falls of Schuylkill; ten lamps on Broad street, from Norris street to Germantown avenue, the lamps at present there to be re-arranged; one lamp corner of Spencer street and Ridge avenue; on Spencer street, half-way between Ridge avenue and top of street; at the top of Spencer street.

Twenty-ninth Ward.—One lamp at corner of Twenty-fourth and Turner streets; on south side of Oxford street, between Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth streets; on south side of Turner street, between Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth streets; at corner of Twenty-third and Turner streets; at corner of Twenty-third and Oxford streets; at corner of Monroe and Girard avenue; on Turner street, opposite No. 2220; at northwest corner of Twenty-fourth and Thompson streets; at northeast corner of Twenty-fifth and Thompson streets; at northeast corner of Twenty-fifth and Seybert streets; at west end of Seybert street, west of Twenty-fifth street; in centre of Seybert street, between Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth streets; at southeast corner of Twenty-fourth and Seybert streets; on Thompson street, opposite No. 2421; on Yardley street, half way between Twentieth and Twenty-first streets; at corner of Thirty-third and Master streets; on west side of Ridge avenue, halfway between Bolton and Oxford streets; on Broad street, opposite No. 1308; on Redner street; between Jefferson and Oxford streets, opposite No. 2221; on south side of Girard avenue, ninety feet west of Twenty-seventh street; on Eighteenth street, halfway between Jefferson and Oxford streets; on Centennial street, halfway between Jefferson and Oxford streets; on Nineteenth street, halfway between Jefferson and Oxford streets; two lamps on Jefferson street, halfway between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets; two lamps on Oxford street, halfway between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets; one lamp in front of church, Oxford street, below Nineteenth street; on east side of Gratz street, north of Jefferson street; on west side of Gratz street, north of Jefferson street; on east side of Gratz street, south of Oxford street; at north corner of

Gratz and Oxford streets; on east side of Eighteenth street, north of Jefferson street, in front of Home; on east side of Eighteenth street, south of Oxford street; on the west side of Eigeteenth street, north of Jefferson street; on Davis street, west of Thirteenth street; on the east side of Broad street, north of Girard avenue; on the east side of Broad street, south of Master street; on east side of Nineteenth street, north of Jefferson street; on the east side of Nineteenth street, south of Oxford street; at southwest corner of Twenty-third and Oxford street; at southeast corner of Twenty-fourth and Oxford streets; on Ontario street, in front of yard of No. 1311, about eight feet from telegraph pole.

Thirty-first Ward.—One lamp on southeast corner of York and Almond streets; on the north side of York street, between Almond and Thompson streets; at the corner of Jasper and Firth streets.

APPENDIX No. 373.

To the Presidents and Members of Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—The plans for the pumping engines of the Frankford and Spring Garden Works are now completed, and the detail drawings are far enough advanced to begin the building of the same. To facilitate the execution of the work, I propose to give the building of the said engines out in parts. The department to furnish all the drawings and erect the same. This would necessitate the execution of several contracts as the work progresses, and to expedite the work, I would suggest that a resolution be passed authorizing the Chief Engineer of the Water Department to enter into contract with parties for building the same. By such action the several parts can be commenced immediately upon the completion of the several detail drawings without awaiting the time usually required in the awarding of contracts.

Yours very truly,
WM. H. McFADDEN,
Chief Engineer of Water Department.

APPENDIX No. 374.

RESOLUTION

Relative to the adjournment of Councils.

Resolved by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That when these Councils adjourn on Thursday June 24th, 1875, they will adjourn to meet Thursday October 7th, 1875, and that the intermediate meetings of Councils are hereby dispensed with.

APPENDIX No. 375.

RESOLUTION

Of inquiry relative to contracts for street paving.

Resolved by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the City Solicitor communicate his opinion as to whether it is lawful for the Chief Commissioner of Highways to award any paving contracts contrary to the provisions of the act of Assembly known as Senate Bill No. 69.

APPENDIX No. 376.

To the Presidents and Members of Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance to make an appropriation to Item 2, in the appropriation to the Department of Highways, respectfully report that we have examined and

disapprove the same, and return it with a negative recommendation.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WILLIAM McMULLIN,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	GEORGE DORLAN,
P. H. KLOHSE,	DANL. W. GILBERT,
DANIEL CURRIE,	AMOS M. SLACK,
H. MARCUS,	W. K. PARK,
CHARLES THOMSON JONES,	HENRY GLASS,
M. S. BONSALE,	JOHN BARDSLEY.

June 14, 1875.

APPENDIX No. 377.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance to authorize the tramwaying of Lawson, Jones, Lancaster, Leithgow, Struthers and Cowley streets, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	WM. McMULLIN,
GEORGE DORLAN,	AMOS M. SLACK,
JOHN BARDSLEY,	DANL. CURRIE,
DANL. W. GILBERT,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
P. H. KLOHSE,	H. MARCUS,
GEO. A. ENO,	HENRY McDOWELL,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	W. K. PARK,
A. ALBRIGHT,	JOHN FOX,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	HENRY GLASS.

June 14, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the tramwaying of Lawson, Jones, Lancaster, Leithgow, Struthers and Cowley streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to re-

pave the following streets with tramway stone in the tracks of the wheels, viz.: Lawson street, from Wood street to Pearl street, in the Fourteenth Ward; Jones street, from Seventeenth to Eighteenth street, in the Ninth Ward; Lancaster street, from Marion street to Wharton street, in the Second Ward; Leithgow street, from Poplar street to George street, in the Sixteenth Ward; Struthers street, from Twelfth street to Thirteenth street, in the Tenth Ward; Cowley street, from Thirteenth street to Juniper street; and if the cartways of said streets are wider than is necessary for a single track, to reduce them to the proper width by taking an equal quantity from each.

APPENDIX No. 378.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—Your Committee on Surveys and Regulations to whom was referred the accompanying Ordinance to place Ripka avenue, Chestnut street, Smick street, Mansion avenue, Atlanta street, Wilder street, Fernon street, Dorrance street, Ward street, Latona street, Newkirk street, Marston street, Van Pelt street, and Willington street, upon the plans of the City, report the same back with a favorable recommendation, and respectfully urge its adoption.

WM. THORNTON, *Ch'n*,
S. C. COLLINS,
GEORGE E. HALL,
A. H. MCADAM,
HENRY GLASS,
GEO. A. ENO,
W. K. PARK,

JNO. Siner,
B. FRANK BONHAM,
JOHN C. BICKEL,
JOHN FOX,
W. W. BURNELL,
R. H. CLIFFORD,
JAS. R. GATES.

June 14, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To place on the City plans, Ripka avenue, Chestnut street, Smick street, Mansion avenue, Atlanta street, Wilder street, Fernon street, Dorrance street, Ward street, Latona street, Newkirk street, Marston street, Van Pelt street, and Willington street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Surveys be and they are hereby authorized to place upon the City plans the following streets: Ripka avenue, of the width of fifty feet, extending from Mansion street to Washington street, at the distance of two hundred and ninety-four feet six and a half inches northwest from Leverington avenue, measuring on said Mansion street, in the Twenty-first Ward.

Chestnut street, of the width of thirty feet, extending from Ripka avenue to Leverington avenue, parallel with and at the distance of one hundred and eighty feet southwest from Smick street, Twenty-first Ward.

Smick street, of the width of forty feet, extending from Ripka avenue to Leverington avenue, parallel with and at the distance of one hundred and eighty feet southwest from Mansion avenue, Twenty-first Ward.

Mansion avenue, of the width of fifty feet, extending from Jefferson street to Leverington avenue, at the distance of one hundred and seventy-five feet four and a quarter inches southwest from Hamilton street, measuring along said Jefferson street, Twenty-first Ward.

Atlanta street, of the width of forty feet, extending from Thirty-eighth to Thirty-ninth street, parallel with and at the distance of one hundred and fifty-five feet northward from Silverton avenue, Twenty-fourth Ward.

Wilder street, of the width of thirty-five feet, extending from Eighteenth to Nineteenth street, parallel with and at the distance of one hundred and sixteen feet northward from Dickinson street, Twenty-sixth Ward.

Fernon street, of the width of thirty-five feet, extending from Eighteenth to Nineteenth street, parallel with and at the distance of one hundred and sixteen feet southward from Tasker street, Twenty-sixth Ward.

Dorrance street, of the width of thirty-three feet, ex-

tending from Dickinson to Tasker street, parallel with and at the distance of one hundred and sixteen feet eastward from Nineteenth street, Twenty-sixth Ward.

Ward street, of the width of thirty-three feet, extending from Dickinson to Tasker street, parallel with and at the distance of one hundred and sixteen feet westward from Eighteenth street, Twenty-sixth Ward.

Latona street, of the width of thirty-five feet, extending from Sixteenth to Seventeenth street, parallel with and at the distance of two and sixty-three feet and three-quarters of an inch northward from Wharton street, Twenty-sixth Ward.

Newkirk street, of the width of fifty feet, extending from York to Huntingdon street, parallel with and at the distance of one hundred and seventy-five feet eastward from Twenty-ninth street, Twenty-eighth Ward.

Marston street, of the width of forty feet, extending from York to Cumberland street, parallel with and at the distance of one hundred and twenty feet eastward from Twenty-eighth street, Twenty-eighth Ward.

Van Pelt street, of the width of fifty feet, extending from Berks to Norris street, parallel with and at the distance of one hundred and seventy-five feet eastward from Twenty-second street, Twenty-eighth Ward.

Willington street, of the width of forty feet, extending from Montgomery to Berks street, parallel with and at the distance of one hundred and seventy-seven feet ten inches westward from Sixteenth street, Twenty eighth Ward.

APPENDIX No. 379.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—Your Committee on Surveys and Regulations, to whom was referred the accompanying petition, asking for a revision of grades on Pine street, from Forty-second street to Forty-third street, report that this revision is desired for the purpose of partially relieving owners from the heavy filling now required to be made, and can be done with advantage to private interests, and

without detriment to public requirements. The Ordinance herewith offered is for this purpose, as well as to embrace in one plan a number of other changes, which, at different times have been made, we respectfully ask its approval.

WM. THORNTON, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	JOS. H. TATEM,
B. FRANK BONHAM,	GEO. E. HALL,
S. C. COLLINS,	ROBT. H. COOPER,
JOS. J. MARTIN,	R. H. CLIFFORD,
JAS. R. GATES,	A. H. MCADAM,
JOHN FOX,	HENRY GLASS,
	GEO. A. ENO.

May 19, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To revise the lines and grades upon Plan No. 166, Twenty-seventh Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Surveys be and is hereby directed to revise the lines and grades on that portion of the Twenty-seventh Ward embraced in the limits of Plan No. 166, now on file in said department.

APPENDIX No. 380.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Fire Commissioners to recall a certain order.

Whereas, The Board of Fire Commissioners have requested the following gentlemen, Messrs. John Watson, David Bennett and William Robinson to resign their positions in the Fire Department by the 1st of July; therefore, be it

Resolved by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Board of Fire Commissioners be and are hereby requested to *recall* the said order requiring the above named men to resign.

APPENDIX No. 381.

RESOLUTION

To meet in joint convention.

Resolved by the Common Council, That Select Council be invited to meet Common Council in joint convention on Thursday, June 24th, at four-and-a-half o'clock P. M., to elect a member of the Board of Health; one Port Warden, for the unexpired term of E. A. Gaskill, resigned, and one Trustee of the Northern Liberties Gas Works, for the unexpired term of De Witt C. Moore, deceased.

APPENDIX No. 382.

MAYOR'S OFFICE OF THE CITY OF PHILADELPHIA.

June 28, 1875.

To the Common Council
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—I herewith transmit a communication from the "Committee on Hotel Accommodations, of the Centennial Board of Finance," relative to the granting of permission to erect certain buildings on the grounds between the Pennsylvania Railroad and Elm avenue, Belmont avenue and Fifty-second street, for the purpose of depots, hotel accommodations and the box warehouses of the International Exhibition.

In view of the vast importance of this matter I would recommend that immediate action be taken to pass the Ordinance authorizing the erection of the buildings deemed so essential by the committee.

I am very respectfully,

W. S. STOKLEY,
Mayor.

CENTENNIAL BOARD OF FINANCE,

PHILADELPHIA, June 25, 1875.

To Hon. WM. S. STOKLEY,

Mayor of the City of Philadelphia:

DEAR SIR:—We desire to call your attention to the urgent necessity for the passage of the Ordinance without delay permitting the erection of frame buildings on the grounds between the Pennsylvania Railroad and Elm avenue, Belmont avenue and Fifty-second street, under the control of the Centennial Board of Finance and the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, for the purpose of depots, hotel accommodation and the box warehouses of the International Exhibition.

The depot and buildings for the storage of boxes are indispensable as appurtenances of the Exhibition, and we need not add, that, as our City will be called upon to furnish accommodations for from sixty to one hundred thousand strangers daily for six months of the year of 1876, any enterprise which proposes to add to the hotel accommodations should meet with encouragement from the public authorities.

Having had various plans and propositions presented to us, we have finally concluded an agreement with Mr. John Crump, and his associates, for the erection of a hotel on a portion of the grounds, to accommodate from three thousand to five thousand people, we now await the authority for the erection of a temporary building to consummate it.

The urgency in point of time, we would add, is to enable the work of construction to go on immediately, as the period yet remaining will be sufficient only for their timely preparation.

Feeling assured of your warm interest in all that pertains to the success of the Centennial Exhibition, and that the Councils of the City need but to have their attention directed to the importance of this legislation to enact the necessary laws, is the occasion of this letter.

Respectfully yours,

N. PARKER SHORTRIDGE,

Chairman,

HENRY DISSTON,

JOHN P. WETHERELL,

CLEMENT M. BIDDLE,

JOHN WELSH, *Ex-officio,**Committee on Hotel Accommodation of the Centennial Board of Finance.*

APPENDIX No. 383.

PHILADELPHIA, June 28, 1875.

Hon. A. WILSON HENSZEY, ESQ.,
President of Common Council:

DEAR SIR:—Orders were issued to the various District Surveyors for curb and grade stake in the year 1874, as required for the Highway Department for work authorized by Ordinances. The appropriation for the year was insufficient to pay for the work done, and bills to the following amounts remain unpaid.

Thomas Daly.....	\$407 71
Charles S. Close.....	474 46
Edward D. Roberts.....	202 89
James P. Davis.....	493 08
Wm. Albertson.....	224 03
Isaac E. Shallcross.....	438 01
William H. Jones.....	267 80
Josiah Hibberd.....	215 04
Total.....	<hr/> \$2,723 02

An appropriation of five thousand dollars for the same purpose is required for this year, which will be reimbursed by collections from the contractors under the present law. The amount named will make up the sum which I submitted for this year's appropriation when the annual estimates were called for.

Respectfully submitted,
SAMUEL L. SMEDLEY,
Chief Engineer and Surveyor.

APPENDIX No. 384.

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR,
PHILADELPHIA, *June 23, 1875.*

In answer to resolution requesting the Chief Engineer and Surveyor to submit to Councils the number of square yards of paving on Green and Spring Garden streets, and Fairmount avenue, from Broad street to Fairmount Park I respectfully submit the following:

On Green Street.

	Square yards.
In front of private property.....	14,745
Intersections.....	4,224

Total.....18,967

Of this, 3,864 square yards belong to the tracks of Green and Coates Passenger Railway Company.

On Spring Garden Streets.

	Square yards.
In front of private property.....	42,077
Intersections.	7,222

Total.....49,299

Of this, 3,164 square yards belong to tracks of Union Passenger Railway Company.

266 square yards belong to tracks of Arch Street Passenger Railway Company.

3,430 square yards.

On Fairmount Avenue.

	Square yards.
In front of private property.....	25,200
Intersections	5,804

Total.....31,004

Of this, 34,271 square yards belong to tracks of Green and Coates Street Passenger Railway Company.

Yours respectfully,

SAMUEL L. SMEDLEY,

Chief Engineer and Surveyor.

APPENDIX No. 385.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered “An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay a claim of Joseph Keesey,” and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch’n*,
JAS. W. ALLEN,
JAS. SUBERS,
JOHN A MISKEY,
H. MARCUS,
O. HOWARD WILSON,
WM. THORNTON,

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,
WM. BALDWIN,
ROBERT B. SALTER,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
JAS. R. GATES,
GEO. A. SMITH,
W. W. BURNELL.

June 24, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation to pay a claim of Joseph Keesey.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of three hundred and seventy-two dollars and three cents be and the same is hereby appropriated for the following purpose, to wit: To pay Joseph Keesey for services rendered as driver of store house wagon in the Fire Department: *Provided*, The bill shall first be approved by the Board of Fire Commissioners. And that the warrants shall be drawn by the City Solicitor in conformity with existing Ordinances.

APPENDIX No. 386.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN: The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered a communication from Messrs. Gibson and others, owners of lands in the Twenty-seventh Ward, for an appropriation to the Kingsessing

and Tinicum Meadow Company to enlarge and improve that portion of the Darby creek bank, lying in the City of Philadelphia, and having been informed by the Sub-Committee, whose report is hereto appended that the improvement is necessary, and submit the annexed Ordinance to provide for the improvement of the meadow banks, in the Twenty seventh Ward, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,
H. MARCUS,
HENRY BUDD,
WILLIAM BALDWIN,
W. ELLWOOD ROWAN,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
JOHN A. MISKEY,

W. W. BURNELL,
O. HOWARD WILSON,
JAS. W. ALLEN,
WILLIAM THORNTON,
GEO. A. SMITH,
JAS. SUBERS,
ROBERT B. SALTER.

June 24, 1875.

To the Committee on Finance :

GENTLEMEN : The Sub-Committee on the communication of Messrs Gibson and others, owners of lands in the Twenty-seventh Ward, asking for an appropriation to the Kingessing and Tinicum Meadow Company to enlarge and improve that portion of the Darby creek bank lying in the City of Philadelphia, respectfully report that they visited the grounds, and are fully persuaded of the necessity of the improvement, and recommend that an appropriation of ten thousand dollars be made for the purpose, to be taken from the appropriation to the Department of Highways for the year 1875.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, *Ch'n*, JOHN A. MISKEY,
H. B. LIPPINCOTT.

June 24, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To provide for the improvement of the meadow banks, in the Twenty-seventh Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of ten thousand (10,000) dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated to the Department of Highways, to be taken from the appro-

priation to the Highway Department for the year 1876, for the improvement of the meadow banks along the east side of Darby Creek, in the Twenty-seventh Ward of the City of Philadelphia, from Bow creek northward to the fast land for the purpose of making a bank or bulkhead, which shall not be less than ten feet wide at the top and thirty feet wide at the base, or as much wider as may be required for the slopes where there is extra height of embankment; the elevation of the top of the bank to be ten feet above low water mark, with sufficient sluices.

SECT. 2. The Chief Commissioner of Highways shall draw warrants in favor of the treasurer of the Kingessing and Tinicum Meadow Company upon the certificate of the Chief Engineer and Surveyor that one-third of the work has been done by the said Kingessing and Tinicum Meadow Company, and in like manner upon the performance of two-thirds of the work. The final payment to be made on the completion of the whole work to the entire satisfaction of the Chief Engineer and Surveyor, and Chief Commissioner of Highways.

APPENDIX No. 387.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have considered “An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay the interest on the funded debt of the City of Philadelphia, falling due on the first day of July, 1875,” and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARSELY, *Ch'n*,
H. MARCUS,
JAS. R. GATES,
O. HOWARD WILSON,
WM. THORNTON,
ROBERT B. SALTER,
JAS. W. ALLEN,

H. B. LIPPINCOTT,
W. W. BURNELL,
GEO. A. SMITH,
JOHN A. MISKEY,
WM. BALDWIN,
HENRY BUDD,
JAS. SUBERS,

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN.

June 24, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation to pay the interest on the funded debt of the City of Philadelphia, falling due on the first day of July, 1875.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of (1,855,726) one million eight hundred and fifty-five thousand seven hundred and twenty-six dollars and seventy-seven (77) cents, be and the same is hereby appropriated to pay the interest on the funded debt of the City of Philadelphia, falling due on the first day of July, Anno Domini, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five. Warrants for the payment of said interest shall be drawn as follows: The Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank shall present to the Mayor of the City of Philadelphia, a list of the loan holders to be paid as aforesaid, the amount of the principal of the debt owned by them respectively, the rate and amount of interest accrued, the amount of the State tax to be deducted and retained, and the net sum due for interest; and at the foot of each list the Mayor shall add the following warrant:

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
Philadelphia, 1875.

Pay to the persons and corporations named above, the amount respectively due to them as above set forth, for interest on City debt due.

Mayor of Philadelphia.

The said list shall be presented to the City Controller to be countersigned by him.

APPENDIX No. 388.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance respectfully report, that they have considered a resolution relative to the adjournment of Councils, and report the same back,

fixing the time of adjournment July 8th, and time of re-assembling September 2d, and recommend its passage.

JOHN BARDSLEY, *Ch'n*,

W. W. BURNELL,

H. MARCUS,

JAS. R. GATES,

JOHN A. MISKEY,

HENRY BUDD,

JAS. SUBERS,

H. B. LIPPINCOTT,

WM. THORNTON,

O. HOWARD WILSON,

JAS. W. ALLEN,

WM. BALDWIN,

ROBT. B. SALTER,

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN.

June 24, 1875.

RESOLUTION

Relative to the adjournment of Councils.

Resolved by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That when these Councils adjourn on Thursday, July 8th, 1875, they will adjourn to meet Thursday September 2d, 1875, and that the intermediate meetings of Councils are hereby dispensed with. •

APPENDIX No. 389.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petitions and Ordinances to authorize the grading of Wilson, Price, Chew, and Seventh street and Pulaski avenue, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, *Ch'n*,

FERD. DOEBLEY,

GEORGE DORLAN,

DANIEL CURRIE,

CHAS. THOMSON JONES,

JOHN A. MISKEY,

JOHN FOX,

JOHN BARDSLEY,

HENRY GLASS,

AMOS M. SLACK,

JOHN MONROE,

W. K. PARK,

S. A. MILLER,

H. MARCUS.

June 24, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Wilson, Price, Chew, and Seventh streets, and Pulaski avenue.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade the following streets to the established grade of the City, viz.: Wilson street, from Centre street to the Chestnut Hill Railroad, in the Twenty-second Ward; cost not to exceed two hundred and ninety-two dollars. Price street, from Wilson street seven hundred and fifty feet southwest in the Twenty-second Ward; cost not to exceed three hundred and seventy dollars. Chew street, from Sharpnack street to Church street, in the Twenty-second Ward; cost not to exceed three hundred and ninety six dollars and fifty cents. Seventh street, from Winton street to Moyamensing avenue, in the First Ward; cost not to exceed four hundred and forty-two dollars. Pulaski avenue, from School street to Chelton avenue, in the Twenty-second Ward; cost not to exceed five hundred and seventeen dollars and eighty cents.

APPENDIX No. 390.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition and Ordinance to authorize the paving of Dauphin street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	JOHN BARDSLEY,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	GEO. DORLAN,
DANIEL CURRIE,	AMOS M. SLACK,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	HENRY GLASS,
H. MARCUS,	W. K. PARK,
SAML. A. MILLER,	JOHN A. MISKEY,
JOHN MONROE.	

June 24, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Dauphin street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers for the paving of Dauphin street, from Twenty-ninth street to Ridge avenue, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, with rubble pavement; cost of intersections not to exceed ten hundred and eighty-four dollars and fifty cents. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said street, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said street in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 391.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petitions and Ordinances to authorize the paving of McAlpin and Myrtle streets, respectfully report, that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
AMOS M. SLACK,	DANL. CURRIE,
SAML. A. MILLER,	H. MARCUS,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	JOHN BARDSLEY,
JOHN MONROE,	JOHN FOX,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	HENRY GLASS,
W. K. PARK,	H. McDOWELL,

GEO. DORLAN.

June 24, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of McAlpin and Myrtle streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers for the paving of McAlpin street, from Locust street to Walnut street, in the Twenty-seventh Ward; no cost for intersections. Myrtle street, from Fortieth street to Preston street, in the Twenty-seventh Ward; no cost for intersections; and Myrtle street, from Forty-first street to Forty-second street, in the Twenty-seventh Ward; no cost for intersections. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said streets, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said streets in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 392.

To the Presidents and Members of Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petition and Ordinance to authorize the paving of Sansom street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage,

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	AMOS M. SLACK,
DANL. CURRIE,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
GEORGE DORLAN,	S. A. MILLER,
H. MARCUS,	W. K. PARK,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	JOHN A. MISKEY,
HENRY GLASS,	JOHN MONROE,

P. H. KLOHSE.

June 24, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Sansom street, in the Twenty-seventh Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed, to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers for the paving of Sansom street, from Forty-seventh street to Fifty-second street, in the Twenty-seventh Ward, with rubble pavement ; cost of intersections not to exceed twenty-one hundred dollars. The condition of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the owners of properties respectively fronting on said street, and shall also enter into an obligation to the City to keep said street in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 393.

To the President's and Members of Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance to authorize the tramwaying of Potts, Atmore and Myrtle streets, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	JNO. BARDSLEY,
AMOS M. SLACK,	DANIEL CURRIE,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	GEORGE DORLAN,
S. A. MILLER,	H. MARCUS,
H. MCDOWELL,	GEO. A. ENO,
W. K. PARK,	CHAS. THOMSON JONES,
JOHN FOX,	JOHN A. MISKEY,
HENRY GLASS,	JOHN MONROE.

June 24, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the tramwaying of Potts, Atmore and Myrtle streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to repave the following streets with tramway stones in the tracks of the wheels, and if the cartway of said streets is wider than is necessary for a single track, to take an equal quantity from each side, viz.: Potts street, from Twelfth street to Broad street, in the Fourteenth Ward; Atmore street, from Thirteenth street to Broad street, in the Fourteenth Ward; Myrtle street, from Eleventh street to Thirteenth street, in the Fourteenth Ward.

APPENDIX No. 394.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia:

GENTLEMEN:—We your committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance to authorize the grading of South street, respectfully report, that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	JNO. BARDSLEY,
AMOS M. SLACK,	DANIEL CURRIE,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	GEORGE DORLAN,
SAML. A. MILLER,	H. MARCUS,
W. K. PARK,	JOHN FOX,
JOHN A. MISKEY,	HENRY GLASS,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	JOHN MONROE.

June 24, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of South street in the Twenty-seventh Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner

of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade South street (Paschalville) between the southwest side of Seventy-second street and the northeast side of Island avenue, in the Twenty-seventh Ward, to the established grade of the City, cost not to exceed three hundred and twenty-five dollars.

APPENDIX No. 395.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance to authorize the opening of Powelton avenue, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, *Ch'n*,
DANIEL CURRIE,
GEORGE DORLAN,
H. MARCUS,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,
HENRY GLASS,

AMOS M. SLACK,
FERD. DOEBLEY,
S. A. MILLER,
W. K. PARK,
JOHN A. MISKEY,
JOHN MONROE,

P. H. KLOHSE.

June 24, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Powelton avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Powelton avenue, from Forty-third street to Market street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice, said street will be required for public use.

APPENDIX No. 396.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the petitions and Ordinances to authorize the paving of South and Mildred streets, and Snyder avenue, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	JOHN BARDSLEY,
AMOS M. SLACK,	DANIEL CURRIE,
FERD. DOEBLEY,	GEORGE DORLAN,
S. A. MILLER,	H. MARCUS,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	W. K. PARK,
JOHN FOX,	JOHN A. MISKEY,
HENRY GLASS,	JOHN MONROE.

June 24, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of South, and Mildred streets and Snyder avenue.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract with a competent paver or pavers, for the paving of the following streets, viz. : South street, (Paschalville), between the southwest side of seventy-second street, and the northeast side of Island avenue, in the Twenty-seventh Ward, with rubble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed ninety-six dollars; Mildred street, from McKean street to Snyder avenue, in the First Ward, with cobble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed fifty-two dollars and fifty cents; Snyder avenue, from Twelfth street to Broad street, in the First Ward, with cobble pavement, cost of intersections not to exceed three hundred and ninety-two dollars and fifty cents. The conditions of which contract shall be that the contractor or contractors shall collect the cost of said paving from the

owners of property respectively fronting on said streets, and shall also enter into an obligation to keep said streets in good repair for three years after the paving is finished.

APPENDIX No. 397.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance to authorize a transfer in the items of the annual appropriation to the Department of Highways, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
S. A. MILLER,	AMOS M. SLACK,
P. H. KLOHSE,	W. K. PARK,
GEORGE DORLAN,	DANIEL CURRIE,
JOHN MONROE,	WM. McMULLIN,
CHAS. THOMPSON JONES,	H. MARCUS,
D. W. GILBERT.	

June 28, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To make a transfer in the items of the annual appropriation to the Department of Highways for the year 1875.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Controller be and is hereby authorized and directed to make the following transfer in the items of the appropriation to the Department of Highways, Bridges and Sewers, for the year 1875, viz. : From Item 32 for bridging and culverting Cobb's creek, at Market street, fifteen thousand dollars, to Item 33, repairing Broad street, north of Columbia avenue.

APPENDIX No. 398.

To the Presidents and Members of Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the Department of Highways, respectfully report that we have examined and approved the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed Ordinance, and ask its passage.

W. ELLWOOD ROWAN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	FERD. DOEBLEY,
SAML. A. MILLER,	AMOS M. SLACK,
P. H. KLOHSE,	W. K. PARK,
GEORGE DORLAN,	DANL. CURRIE,
JOHN FOX,	JOHN MONROE,
WM. McMULLIN,	JOHN A. MISKEY,
H. MARCUS,	DANL. W. GILBERT.

June 28, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an additional appropriation to the Department of Highways,
Bridges and Sewers for the year 1875.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of thirty thousand dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated to Item 8, for the repairing, altering and extending of sewers and inlets in the annual appropriation to the Department of Highways, Bridges and Sewers for the year 1875.

APPENDIX No. 399.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—Your Committee on Surveys and Regulations, to whom was referred the Ordinance to place Loyal street upon the plan of the City, report that there appears to be no objection, provided it is done without cost to the

City ; we herewith present an Ordinance to cover the case, and respectfully ask its adoption.

WM. THORNTON, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	JOS. J. MARTIN,
JOSEPH H. TATEM,	B. F. BONHAM,
GEORGE E. HALL,	ROBT. H. COOPER,
JOHN SINER,	R. H. CLIFFORD,
JAS. R. GATES,	W. K. PARK,
GEO. A. SMITH,	W. W. BURNELL,
JOHN FOX,	A. H. McADAM.

AN ORDINANCE

To place Loyal street upon the plan of the City.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Surveys be authorized to place Loyal street, of the width of thirty feet, running from York to Dauphin street, and between Moyer and Thompson streets, upon the plan of the City : *Provided*, The owners thereof, first dedicate the soil to the City.

APPENDIX No. 400.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—Your Committee on Surveys and Regulations, to whom was referred the applications for sewers, report that they have all been examined and recommended by the Board of Surveyors as being needful and necessary, from the reports of the Board we have the following data, aggregate length of said sewers, 4,761 feet, to be built at a cost to property owners of \$10,046, and to the City, of \$3,187. We submit a bill for their construction, and respectfully ask its adoption.

WM. THORNTON, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	JOS. J. MARTIN,
JOSEPH H. TATEM,	B. F. BONHAM,
GEORGE E. HALL,	ROBT. H. COOPER,
JOHN SINER,	R. H. CLIFFORD,
JAS. R. GATES,	W. K. PARK,
GEO. A. SMITH,	W. W. BURNELL,
JOHN FOX,	A. H. McADAM.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the construction of sewers on Third, Cherry, Gebhard, Berks, Fourth, Fortieth, Spring Garden, Seventeenth, Howard and Huntingdon streets, and Columbia, Lancaster and Lehigh avenues.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Highways be and is hereby authorized to construct the following sewers, viz.: on Third street, from Spruce street

feet northward; on Cherry street, from Fifteenth to Sixteenth street, and on Gebhard street, from Cherry street to north line of Green's court; on Berks street, from a point six feet west of the east curb line of Front street to the sewer in Howard street; on Fourth street, from Thompson street to sewer in Girard avenue; on Fortieth street, from Haverford to Baring street; on Spring Garden street, from Sixteenth to Seventeenth street; on Seventeenth street, from Spring Garden to Brandywine street; on Lehigh avenue, Howard and Huntingdon streets, from Waterloo street and Lehigh avenue to Front and Huntingdon streets; on Lancaster avenue, from Forty-fourth to Forty-fifth street; and on Columbia avenue, from east curb line of Germantown avenue to Fourth street, said sewers to be built of brick, circular in shape and in accordance with specifications prepared by the Chief Engineer and Surveyor.

SECT. 2. The Chief Commissioner of Highways shall advertise according to law, announcing that bids will be received for the sewers above designated, and he shall allot them to the lowest responsible bidders, and it shall be a condition of said contract that the contractor shall accept the sums assessed upon and charged to the properties lying on the lines of said sewers in manner and form authorized by Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance regulating the assessment upon property for the construction of branch culverts or drains," approved May 12th, 1866, and supplement thereto, approved February 16th, 1869; any excess over and above said assessment, in addition to that provided for by Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Chief Commissioner of Highways to draw warrants for street intersections, manholes, and legal deduc-

tions in the construction of branch sewers," approved April 3d, 1868, to be charged to Item (for branch sewers) of annual appropriation made to the Department of Highways for the year 1875: *Provided*, said excess does not exceed the sum of three thousand dollars.

APPENDIX No. 401.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Police respectfully report that they have considered the petition and Ordinance to permit George Jeffries to maintain a carriage stand on Belmont avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, and report the same back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN F. GLENN, *Ch'n*,
JOHN J. GEGAN,
M. A. DAVIS,
E. H. HAYHURST,
JOHN McCULLOUGH,
N. SPERING,

SAMUEL R. JAMISON,
N. A. SUTTON,
ALEXANDER RUSSELL,
GILBERT WEIR,
O. HOWARD WILSON,
HENRY GLASS,

JOHN MONROE.

June 24, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To permit George Jeffries to maintain a carriage stand on Belmont avenue,
in the Twenty-fourth Ward.

SECTION 1. *Be it ordained by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia*, That George Jeffries is hereby permitted and authorized to maintain and keep a stand for carriages (for the purpose of hire), on the east side of Belmont avenue, north of Jefferson street, opposite the depot of the Chestnut and Walnut Street Passenger Railway Company, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, all Ordinances or part of Ordinances to the contrary notwithstanding: *Provided*, That this privilege shall be revocable upon the passage of an Ordinance to that effect: *And provided further*, That the said George Jeffries shall pay twenty-five dollars into the City Treasury for the printing and advertising this Ordinance.

APPENDIX No. 402.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Police, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance for the suppression of a nuisance in the densely populated part of the Twenty-fifth Ward,” respectfully report that we have examined and approve of the same, and report it back and recommend its passage.

JOHN F. GLENN, *Ch’n*,
JOHN J. GEGAN,
M. A. DAVIS,
E. H. HAYHURST,
JOHN McCULLOUGH,
O. HOWARD WILSON,
HENRY GLASS,

SAMUEL R. JAMISON,
N. A. SUTTON,
ALEXANDER RUSSELL,
GILBERT WEIR,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,
N. SPERING,
JOHN MONROE.

June 24, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

For the suppression of a nuisance in the densely populated part of the
Twenty-fifth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That from and after the passage of this Ordinance, it shall not be lawful for any person or persons employed in cleansing any privy or privies to deposit or cause to be deposited the contents thereof for any purpose whatsoever in that part of the Twenty-fifth Ward, lying south of Erie avenue and westward of Richmond street, and if any person or persons shall deposit or cause to be deposited, as well as the person or persons receiving the same shall forfeit and pay for every such offence the sum of twenty dollars to the use of the Board of Health, and said penalty may be recovered by action of debts as sums of like amount are by law recoverable; and that it shall be the duty of the Board of Health, and they are hereby enjoined and required to see this Ordinance and every part thereof carried into execution, and the offenders against it prosecuted to effect.

APPENDIX No. 403.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Police, to whom was referred the Ordinance to regulate the erection of signs within the City limits, respectfully report that we have examined the same, and report the annexed Ordinance, and recommend its passage.

JOHN F. GLENN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	M. A. DAVIS,
JOHN MONROE,	SAML. R. JAMISON,
JOHN J. GEGAN,	N. A. SUTTON,
ALEX. RUSSELL,	E. H. HAYHURST,
GILBERT WEIR,	JOHN McCULLOUGH,
CHAS. THOMSON JONES,	N. SPERING,
	HENRY GLASS.

June 3, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To repeal a portion of "An Ordinance relating to nuisances," approved December 24th, 1864.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That so much of section two of an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance relating to nuisances," approved December 24th, 1864, as relates to the extension or projection from any dwelling or building any signboard, pole or other device to denote or show the place of business, or the merchandise or things which the occupant thereof has to dispose of," be and the same is hereby repealed: *Provided*, That signs suspended across the footways from awnings shall be properly fastened, and not less than eight feet from the sidewalk in height, and swinging signs projecting from buildings shall not extend more than five feet from the building or buildings.

APPENDIX No. 404.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN :—We, your Committee on Police, to whom was referred the Ordinance providing for the removal of a temporary frame chapel, in the Twenty-seventh Ward, respectfully report that we have examined and approve of the same, and report it back, and recommend its passage.

JOHN F. GLENN, <i>Ch'n</i> ,	SAMUEL R. JAMISON,
JOHN J. GEGAN,	N. A. SUTTON,
M. A. DAVIS,	ALEX. RUSSELL,
E. H. HAYHURST,	GILBERT WEIR,
JOHN McCULLOUGH,	CHAS. THOMSON JONES,
O. HOWARD WILSON,	N. SPERING,
HENRY GLASS,	JOHN MONROE.

AN ORDINANCE

To provide for the removal of a frame church edifice used as a temporary chapel.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That permission be and is hereby granted for the removal of the temporary frame church edifice now located at Thirty-second and Chestnut streets, to the northeast corner of Thirty-fourth and Walnut streets: *Provided*, That said building shall be removed at any time hereafter upon thirty days' notice, to be given by the Chief Commissioner of Highways, on the passage of a resolution by Councils to that effect: *And provided further*, That the sum of twenty five dollars be first paid into the City Treasury to pay for the publication of this Ordinance.

APPENDIX No. 405.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia :

GENTLEMEN: The Committee on Election Divisions, respectfully report that they have considered certain Ordi-

nances and resolutions to change and establish places of holding elections in the several Wards of the City, and submit the annexed Ordinance to authorize the changes, and fixing of places, and recommend its passage.

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June 24, 1875.

AN ORDINANCE

To change and establish places of voting in the several divisions of the Wards of the City.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the places of holding elections in the several divisions hereinafter named shall be changed and established, as follows: First Ward, Second Division, to No. 1323 South Ninth street; Nineteenth Division changed to the house of George Applegate, No. 1628 South Front street, below Tasker street; Twenty-fifth Division, changed to No. 1412 South Sixth street. Second Ward, Fifth Division, established at northwest corner of Moyamensing avenue and Federal street; Seventh Division, established at northwest corner of Fourth and Washington avenue. Third Ward, Second Division, changed to the northeast corner of Front and Queen streets; Third Division, changed to No. 135 Catharine street. Fourth Ward, Third Division, changed to No. 220 Monroe street. Fifth Ward, Eighth Division, changed to No. 213 Lodge street. Tenth Ward, Twentieth Division, changed to No. 118 North Tenth street. Thirteenth Ward, Third Division, changed to No 830 Callowhill street; Fifteenth Division, changed to No. 809 Darien street. Fifteenth Ward, Thirty-fourth Division, changed to No. 1744 Francis street. Sixteenth Ward, Eighth Division, changed to No. 1005 North Third street. Eighteenth Ward, Second Division, changed to northwest corner of Richmond and Marlborough streets.

Nineteenth Ward, Forty-third Division, changed to the southeast corner of Orianna and York streets; Fifty-third Division, changed to the southeast corner of Bodine and Diamond streets. Twenty-second Ward, Fifteenth Division, changed to No. 138 Centre street; Twelfth Division, changed to house of George Wolf, corner of Germantown avenue and Coulter street. Twenty-fourth Ward, Twenty-first Division, changed to northwest corner of Thirty-seventh and Sycamore streets; Twenty-fourth Division, changed to the house of Philip M. Ott, corner of Forty-first and Mary streets; Twenty-sixth Division, changed to northwest corner of Thirty-ninth and Elm streets. Twenty-sixth Ward, Fourth Division changed to southeast corner of Eleventh and Ellsworth streets; Seventh Division, changed to northwest corner of Twelfth and Federal streets; Eighth Division, changed to southeast corner of Twenty-second and Webster streets. Twenty-ninth Ward, Fourth Division, changed to No. 1813 Ginnodo street; Fifth Division, changed to southwest corner of Nineteenth and Thompson streets; Ninth Division, changed to the house of Wm. Bozarth, corner of Twenty-second and Ridge avenue; Tenth Division, changed to the northeast corner of Girard avenue and Twenty-seventh street; Fourteenth Division, changed to southeast corner of Wellington street and Columbia avenue; Eighteenth Division, changed to southeast corner of Ridge and Columbia avenues. Thirty-first Ward, Fourth Division, changed to northwest corner of Almond and Norris streets; Twenty-fourth Division, changed to the house of John Rhoads, corner of Front and Carroll streets; Thirty-ninth Division, changed to northwest corner of Sergeant and Jasper streets. Third Ward, Sixteenth Division, established at southwest corner of Twelfth and Fitzwater streets. Fourteenth Ward, Third Division, changed to northeast corner of Broad and Wood streets.

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